

Build a story at the museum

Museums are a great place to uncover stories – they're hiding everywhere amongst the fascinating objects!

Take this sheet along to a museum near you to help you build a story! Your challenge is to find an interesting object and piece together a story around it.

Object

Start by finding an object that sparks your curiosity, like a rare jewel from the crown of a queen or a toy which used to belong to a child hundreds of years ago.

Draw it here.

Character

Who could this object be found by? It could be anyone from a famous historical figure to an ordinary person a long time ago, or even you!

What is their name?

What is their biggest fear?

What will your character do with the object now that they have found it?

Setting

Imagine where this object might appear. You can hunt for clues in the information around the object, like when or where in the world it was found.

Draw this place and note down some words to describe it.

Now you have all of the ingredients you need to make a fantastic story!

Use the other side of this sheet to get started – you can jump straight in to write it, or plan out exactly what you would like to happen. Don't forget to use some of the words and ideas that you have come up with already and include some illustrations too!



