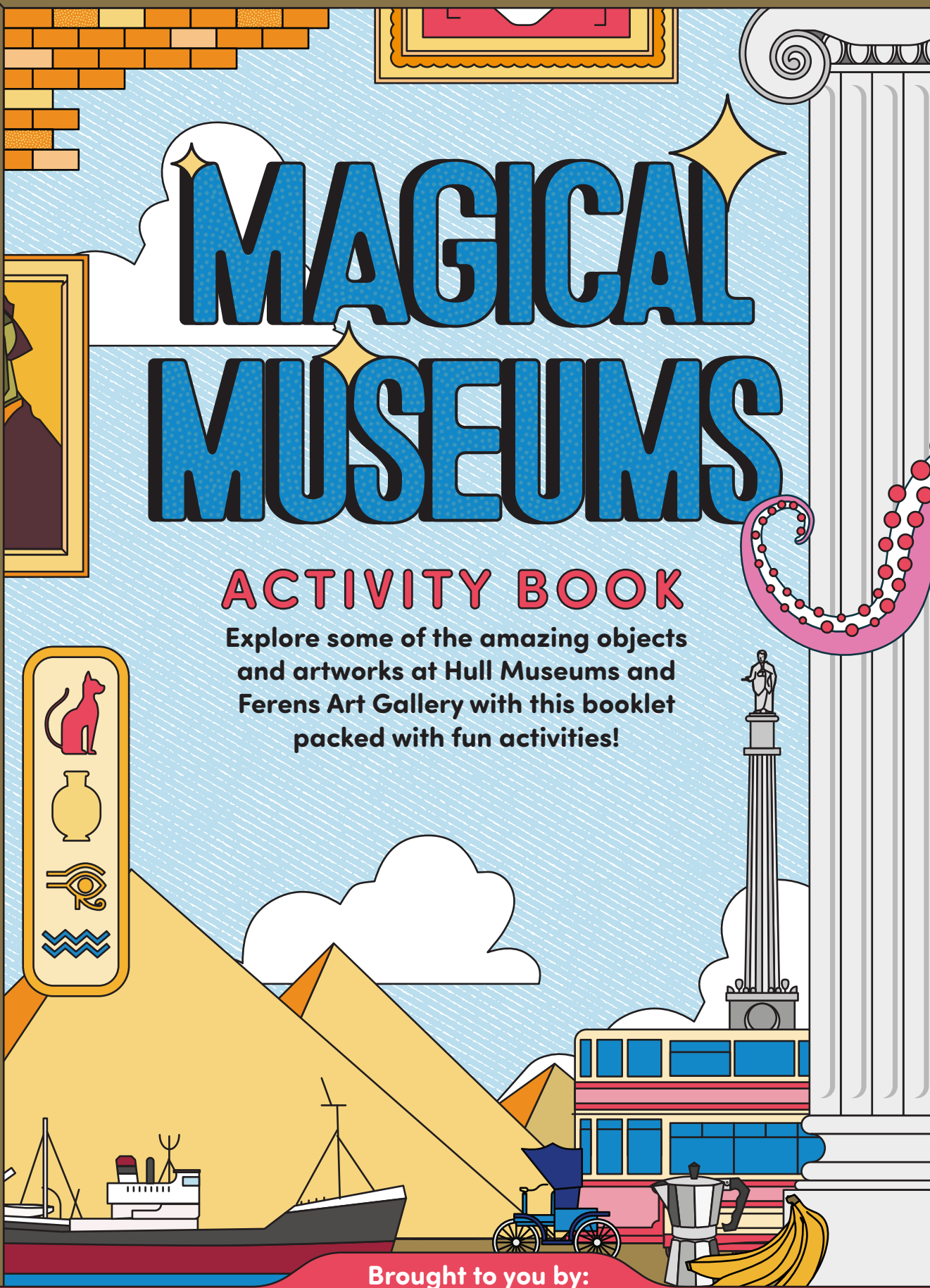


MAGICAL MUSEUMS

ACTIVITY BOOK

Explore some of the amazing objects and artworks at Hull Museums and Ferens Art Gallery with this booklet packed with fun activities!



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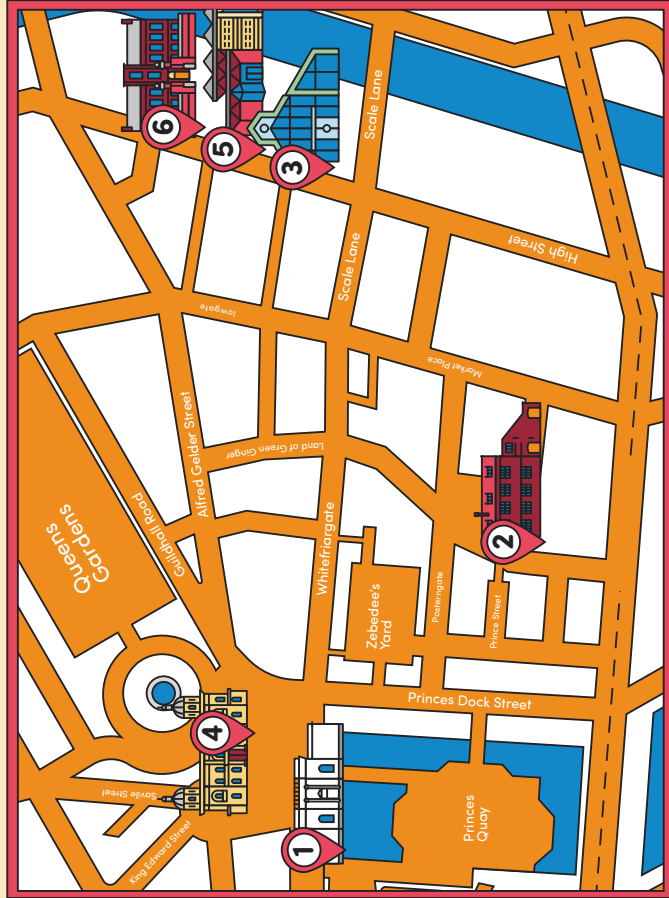
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Welcome

Hull Museums and Ferens Art Gallery are full of amazing objects and artworks dating from Pre-history to the present day. In this booklet we introduce you to some of the amazing treasures of our collections and fun activities you can do inspired by them to help you delve into the magic of the museums!

How to find us:

Hull Museums and Ferens Art Gallery consist of 6 different sites across the city of Hull. Here's where to find our wonderful sites.



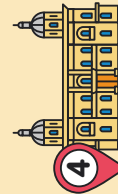
Ferens Art Gallery
Queen Victoria Square
Carr Lane
HU1 3RA



Hands on History Museum
South Church Side
HU1 1RR



Hull and East Riding Museum
36 High Street
Hull
HU1 1NQ



Maritime Museum
Queen Victoria Square
Carr Lane
HU1 3DX



Streetlife Museum
High Street
Hull
HU1 1PS



Wilberforce House
High Street
Hull
HU1 1NQ

Draw and Explore

This page is a space for you to flip back to and make notes and sketches of the objects and facts you discover.

MAGICAL MUSEUMS

FERENS ART GALLERY

As you go around the gallery, can you find and draw your own version of...

A painting of a person?
We call these portraits.

A painting of a place or
somewhere in nature?

Spotter Guide

As you go around the gallery, can you spot:

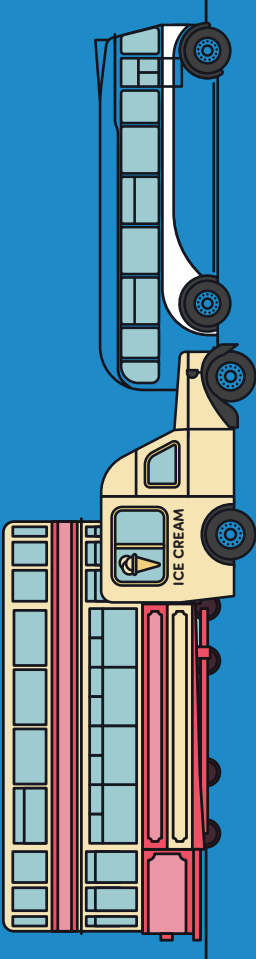
-  An artwork with an animal in it
-  An artwork which shows a river or sea
-  A sculpture
- An artwork which has flowers or plants in it.

Explore some of our wonderful museums and their amazing collections with this fun trail.

Please note, it is essential to book a separate time slot to visit each of our museums. Booking is not required to visit the Museums Quarter Garden. To find links to our online booking pages, please visit: www.hcandi.co.uk/museums-and-galleries

STREETLIFE MUSEUM

Can you find these vehicles as you go around the museum?



Hull Double Decker Tram

What is the number of this tram?

Ice Cream Van

What is the name of the company this van belonged to?

AEC Regal Mark III

Where is this bus going to?

Explore the street scene

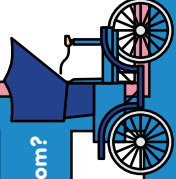
What foods can you see for sale in the Co-op?

Find the pharmacy. What is the number of the shop?

Find the signal box. Where is it from?

Find our collection of early motor cars.

Draw your favourite car here:



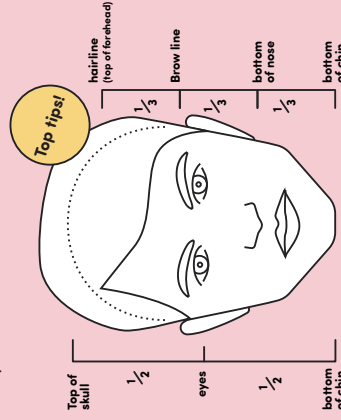
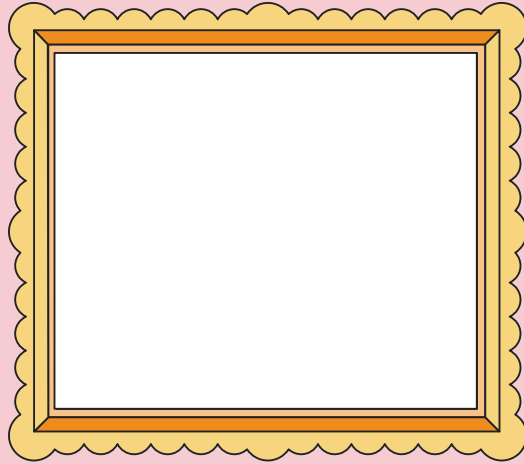
FERENS ART GALLERY

The Ferens Art Gallery is packed full of exciting artworks, stories and objects. We have paintings of royal faces, a sculpture of a cricket player, loads of artworks inspired by the sea, portraits of people young and old, and even a gigantic painting of a family of lions! For over 90 years the Ferens Art Gallery has been Hull's home for art and still continues to collect more amazing artwork for the people of Hull – like you!

Portrait Making

Lots of different artists have made self-portraits. Why not make your own?

Have a look closely at yourself either in mirror or in a photo, focusing on your head and shoulders and the details you see. Then, in the frame below or on a piece of paper, have a go at creating a portrait of yourself.



GALLERY HIGHLIGHTS

'Portrait of a Young Woman'
by Frans Hals, 1655-1660

This picture was painted in Holland in the 17th century over 350 years ago. It isn't known who the young woman in the painting is but it's likely that she was the wife of a merchant.

Landscapes of Imagination

Throughout history, artists have painted landscapes. Sometimes this was to show what it looked like somewhere. Other times, artists would paint landscapes from their imagination.

Close your eyes for a minute and imagine you are somewhere in nature.

Where are you?

What can you see?

What is the weather like?

On a piece of paper, draw the scene you imagined and add colours.

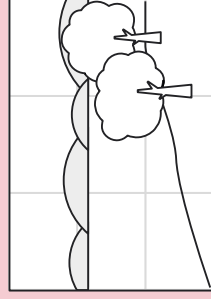
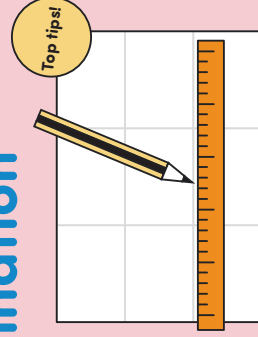
Top tips for creating your landscape

Take a piece of paper, turn it landscape and using a ruler and pencil, divide the page into a 3 x 3 grid.

Decide where you want the sky and the land to meet in your picture and draw a line across your page to mark this. This known as a horizon line.

Add any key features in your landscape in an area of your grid where the lines cross to help make sure they catch people's eyes.

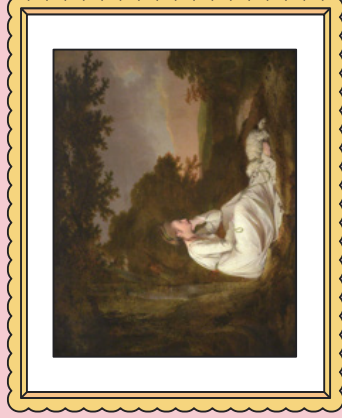
Finish off your picture by adding some colour!



GALLERY HIGHLIGHTS

'Maria, from Sterne'
by Joseph Wright of Derby, 1777

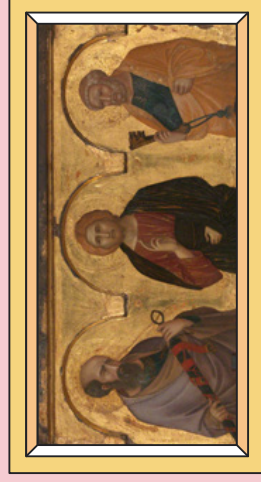
The lady in this painting is called Maria and is a character from a novel called 'A Sentimental Journey through France and Italy.' How do we think she is feeling? What clues are there for this?"



GALLERY HIGHLIGHTS

'Christ Between Saints Paul and Peter',
Pietro Lorenzetti, c.1320

Did you know this golden artwork is over 700 years old? And that 1200 hours were spent repairing it to make it look this good? That would take you 50 days if you didn't sleep a wink!



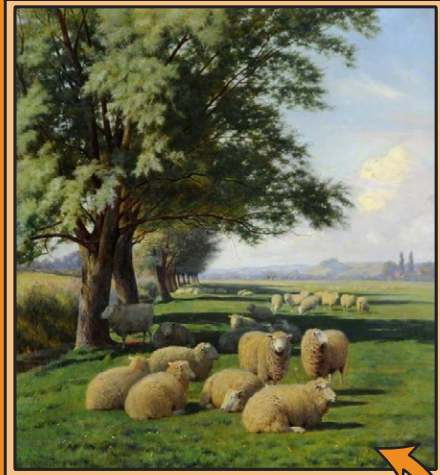
FERENS ART GALLERY

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Relaxing Colouring

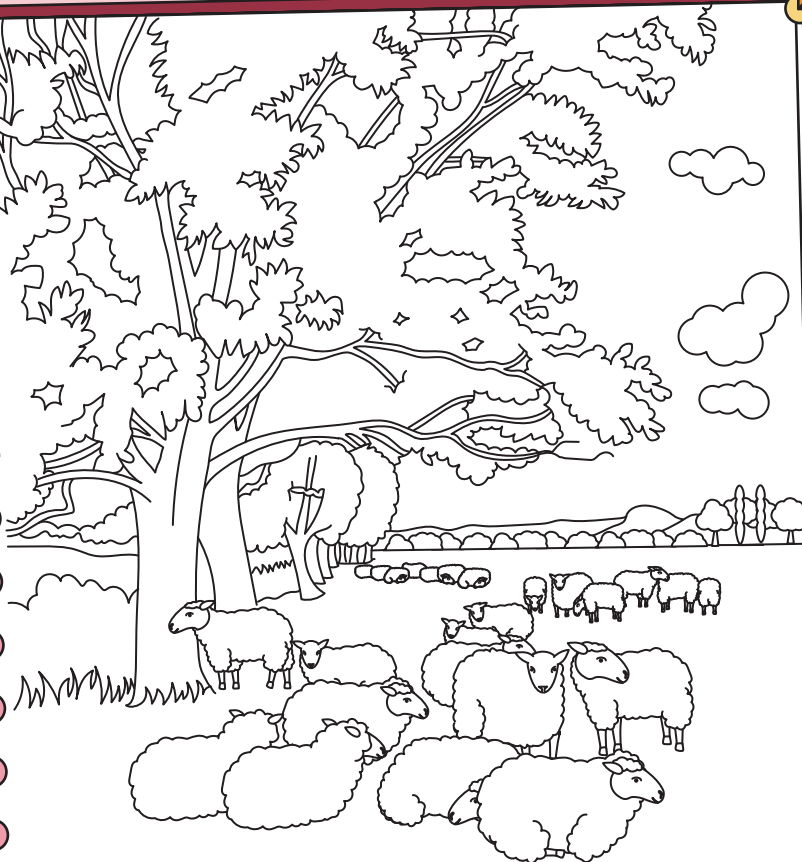
This peaceful painting shows a field of sheep soaking up some sunlight. It makes us think of spring and all the magical changes in nature that happen in this season.

Have a go at colouring your own version of this beautiful painting in the outline below. Don't forget to sign your name under it, so everyone knows it's yours!



GALLERY HIGHLIGHTS

Near Canterbury, Kent, 1904,
William Sidney Cooper



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This painting is called 'A Summer Afternoon at Hampton Court, Surrey'. It was painted by an artist called Alice Maud Fanner and shows people relaxing in the sunshine. What is your favourite thing to do on a sunny summer afternoon? Draw a picture of it in the box below.

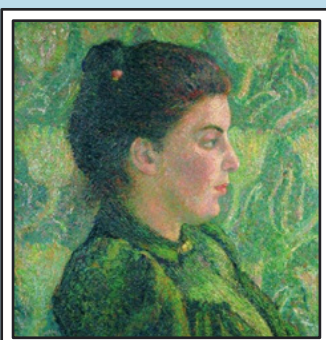


GALLERY HIGHLIGHT

A Summer Afternoon at Hampton Court, Surrey, Alice Maud Fanner (1865-1930).

Colour Scavenger Hunt

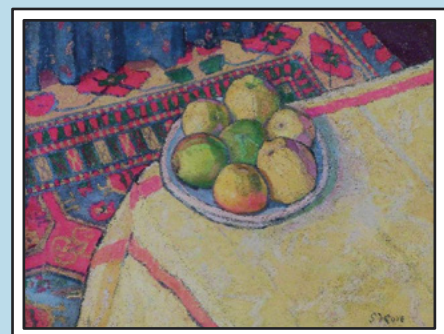
As a family, have a look and see what different colours you can see in the artworks below. Can you find something around your home in each of these different colours? Next, see what different shapes you can see in these artworks. Can you find objects in these different shapes around your home?



Esther Bensusan (1870-1951) (the artist's wife), Lucien Pissaro, 1893.



The Embroidered Cloak, Frances Campbell Boileau Cadell, 1920s.



Still Life with Apples, Spencer Gore, 1912.

Create your own Treasure Hunt

Looking for fun things to do at home and in the garden this summer holiday? Why not make your own treasure hunt! You can find lots of fun, simple ideas for making your own treasure hunt for children of different ages at:

www.henry.org.uk/activities/treasurehunt

Exploring Art

Get creative with these fun art activities inspired by the artworks at the Ferens Art Gallery.

Ferens Favourites

'The Lion at Home' by Rosa Bonheur is one of the most popular paintings at the Ferens Art Gallery. On these pages, some of our team have picked out their favourite artworks from the Ferens Art Gallery collection to share with you!

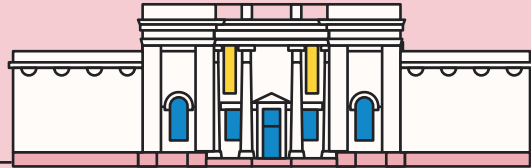
Why not come and visit Ferens Art Gallery with your family this summer and see which artworks are your favourites?



STAFF FAVOURITE

'The Lion at Home', Rosa Bonheur, 1881

Alana, School Bookings: "This huge big cat canvas is a visitor favourite and I love it too, it reminds me of childhood visits to Ferens with my mum"



Creative Colouring

Get creative by colouring in this lion illustration inspired by Rosa Bonheur's beautiful painting.



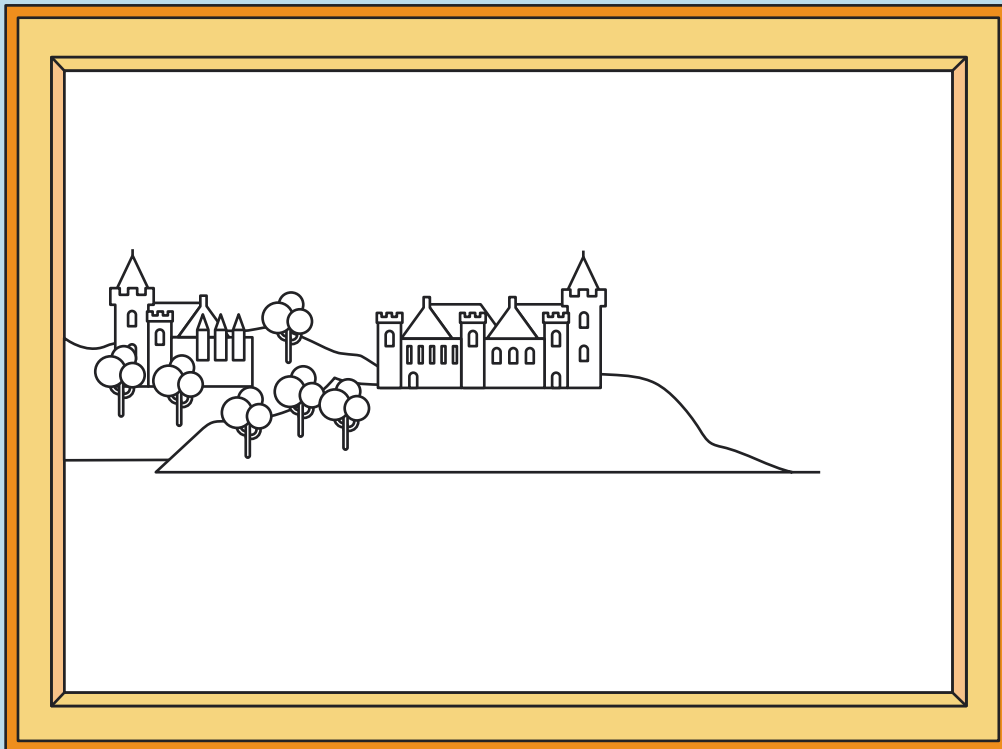
Create your own Landscapes

Here are two uncomplete landscape outlines inspired by paintings in the Ferens Art Gallery collection. Have a go at completing these landscape pictures by drawing on them and colouring them in. You could add people, animals, buildings, plants, flowers, whatever you'd like!



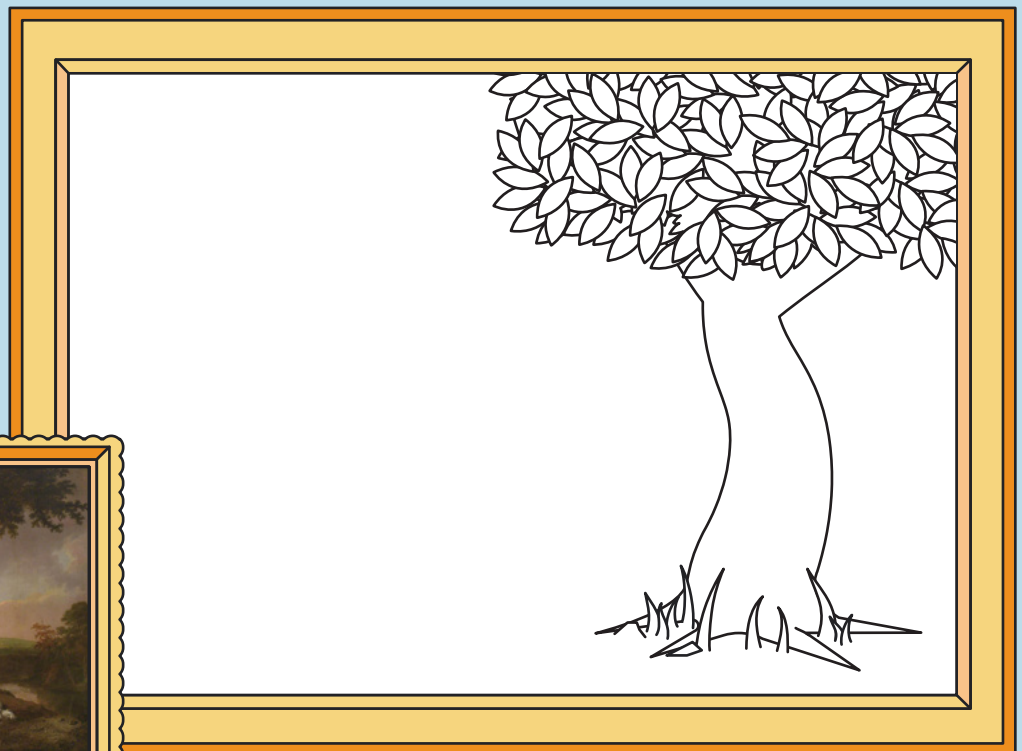
COLLECTION HIGHLIGHT

View of Het Valkhof, Nijmegen, The Netherlands, G.W. Berckhout, c.1650-1660.



COLLECTION HIGHLIGHT

Maria, from Sterne, Joseph Wright of Derby, 1777.



Relaxing Art

Calm Colouring

Take time out to relax by colouring in this peaceful woodland scene inspired by the beautiful painting A 'Summer Shade' by Benjamin Haughton which is part of the Ferens Art Gallery collection.



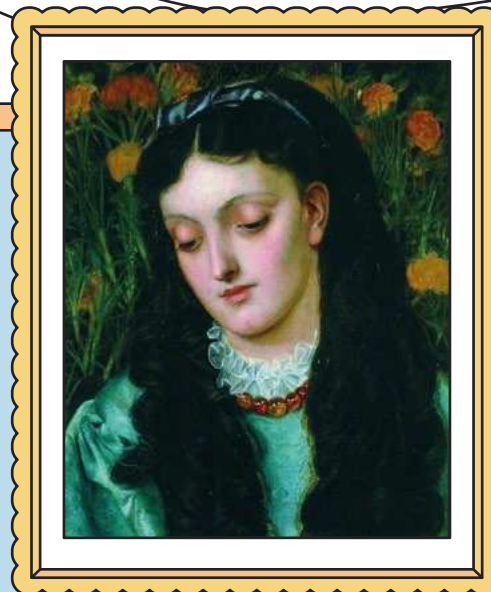
'A Summer Shade', Benjamin Haughton, 1900



STAFF FAVOURITE

The Fen, William Kiddier, c.1933

Zoe, Schools Programme Manager: "I grew up in Lincolnshire not too far from the Fens so this picture reminds me of summer days exploring the countryside. The sky always seemed so big, like in this painting, and the whole area was vast, open and green."



La Belle Jaune Giroflée, Emma Sandys, 1870

Sally, Learning Programme Assistant: "I love the colours in this painting, especially the warm yellows and oranges of the flowers in the background and the blue/ green of the girl's dress."

Mindful Mark Making

Mark Making is the creation of different lines, marks, shapes, patterns, dots and textures in a piece of art.

Let's experiment by making different kinds of marks!

Getting started

1. Using a pencil, have a go at drawing different lines, shapes and patterns on your piece of paper. You could draw dots, scribbles, zig zag lines, spirals- anything you like! See our illustration for some ideas!
2. Repeat this with a pen and see how the marks you create are different to the ones you made with a pencil.

Extra Ideas

- Experiment by closing your eyes as you make marks on your paper, or by drawing with your non-dominant hand.
- Put some music on while you create different marks on your paper. Does listening to music change the kinds of marks you make?
- If you have different kinds of coloured pens and pencils, have a go with them to see what different textures you can create.
- If you have some paints, have a go at dipping paintbrushes, natural materials like twigs and leaves, and household materials like sponges and cotton wool in paint and using them to create different marks on your paper.

What you'll need:

- 1 x piece of paper.
- Pen and pencil (If possible get a few different kinds and colours of pens and pencils of different thickness eg. wax crayons, coloured pencils, felt tip pens.)

Circles and dots

Spirals

zig-zag lines

Wavy lines

Diagonal lines

Mindfulness for Children at Home: Resources for Parents and Guardians

Children of all ages can benefit from mindfulness and relaxation to promote happiness. Mindfulness is about paying attention to the present moment, taking in what's around us and recognising our thoughts and feelings.

You can find mindfulness exercises for Early Years children at:

www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLeW6e4_x2O7c2JyxCctYtLITOO1zK7ugF

Bangor University's Centre for Mindfulness has a variety of different meditations, breathing, walking and sitting exercises which you can find at:

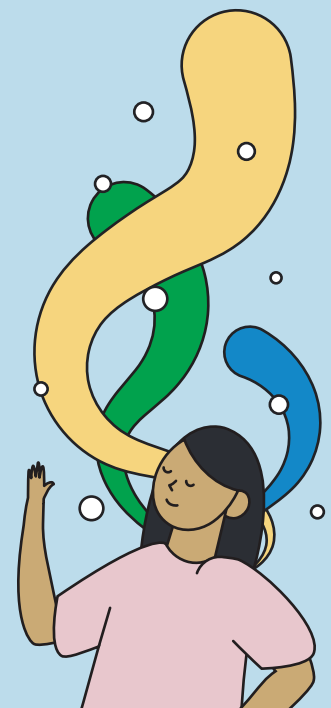
www.bangor.ac.uk/mindfulness/audio/index.php.en

Action for Happiness has lots of great tips on simple steps we can take to help improve our own happiness and wellbeing and that of other people around us:

www.actionforhappiness.org/about-us

Find mindfulness art activities and meditations inspired by some of the artworks at Ferens At Gallery at:

www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL6I5IP4YK8jQGPZjU_72NUOXFfKQHjs27



FERENS ART GALLERY

The Ferens Art Gallery is packed full of exciting artworks, stories and objects. From now until Monday 2nd May 2022 you can see the amazing Junior Open Exhibition. This special exhibition which is held each year is a display of amazing artworks created by children aged 15 and under in the city and nearby. Why not pop along and see their amazing creations and get inspired!

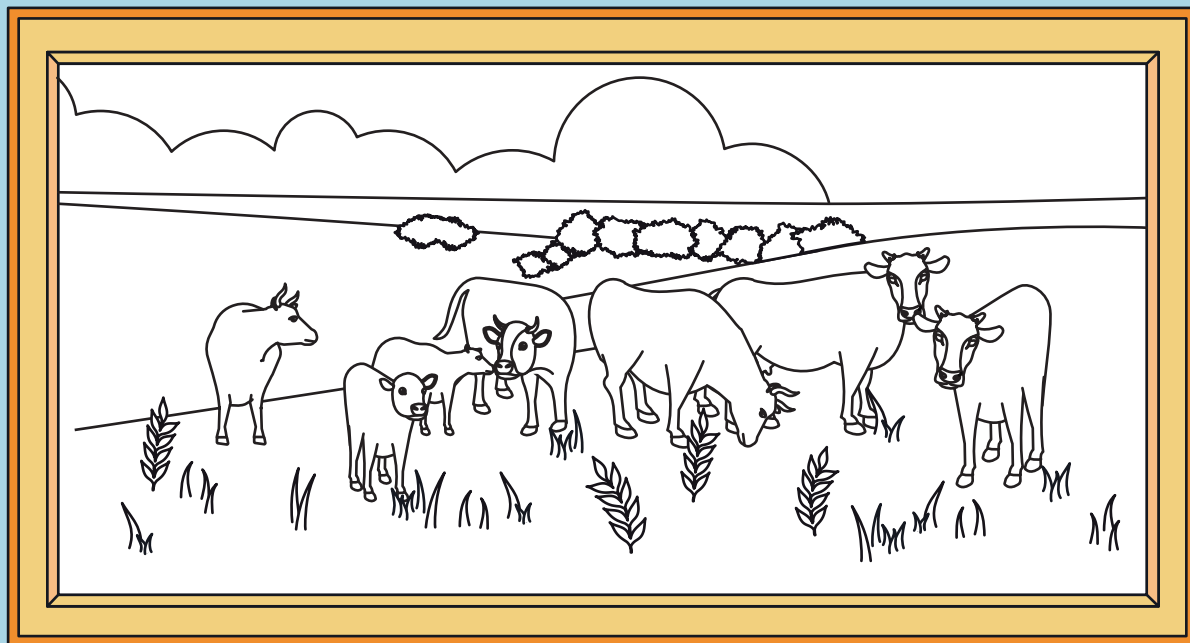


Relaxing Spring Colouring

Take some time out to relax by colouring in this picture inspired by a beautiful artwork from our collection.

COLLECTIONS HIGHLIGHT

Evening Light,
Henry William Banks Davis, c.1878.



Emotional Health and Wellbeing

For support about how you feel visit the howareyoufeeling.org.uk website.



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Get Active this summer

This artwork is called 'A Summer Shower' and it is by Charles Edward Perugini. In the artwork you can see 3 young women taking shelter under a tree whilst it rains. If you look closely you can see one of them is holding what looks like a badminton racket, and there is shuttlecock on the floor.

Exercising and keeping active is very important to keep our bodies and our minds healthy. There are lots of fun simple ways you can keep active as a family over the summer.

Here's just a few ideas:

Hurdle Jumps - Jump side to side or forwards and backwards over an imaginary hurdle.

Skipping - skip up and down a room or garden, or use a skipping rope to skip on the spot.

Obstacle course - set up a fun obstacle course with your family that you have to find your way around.

Walking - go for a nice long walk with your family. See what different things you can spot when on your walk. Can you see any animals? Can you see any plants and trees?

Yoga - yoga is a fun and simple way to exercise and it can be really relaxing. Cosmic Kids Yoga is a YouTube channel with lots of fun free yoga videos for kids:

www.youtube.com/channel/UC5ulZ2KOZZeQDQo_Gsi_qbQ

Sports and activities - visit www.healthyholidayshull.org

to find out what fun, free activities are happening near you this summer.

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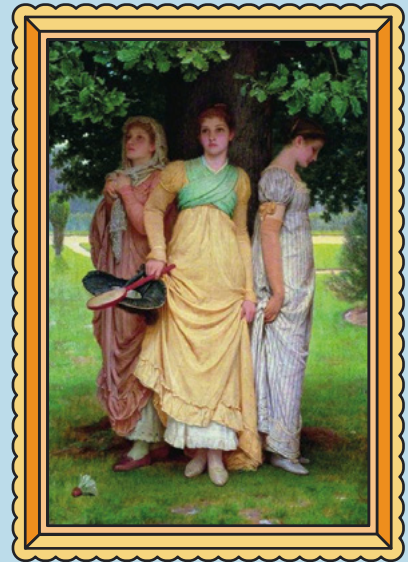
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GALLERY HIGHLIGHT

A Summer Shower, Charles Edward Perugini, 1888.



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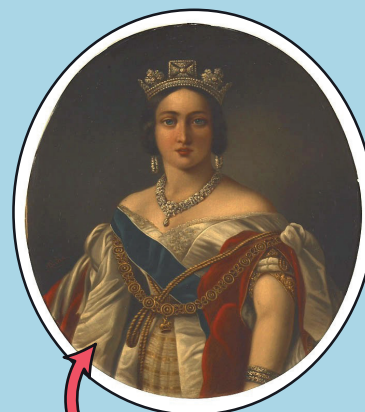
From 21st October 2022- Sunday 19th February 2023 there is a new exhibition at Ferens called *Queen Victoria and Hull*, which explores Queen Victoria and her links to Hull. In this section of the booklet, you can see some highlights of the exhibition that are from the Hull Museums Collections.

Victorian Christmas

Queen Victoria was the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland between 1837 and 1901. The time in history that she was the Queen is called the Victorian Era. Queen Victoria used to celebrate Christmas with her husband Prince Albert and their family. Lots of Christmas traditions that are around today like decorating a tree, having a family meal, and giving gifts, became popular in Victorian times.

Make a Cornucopia

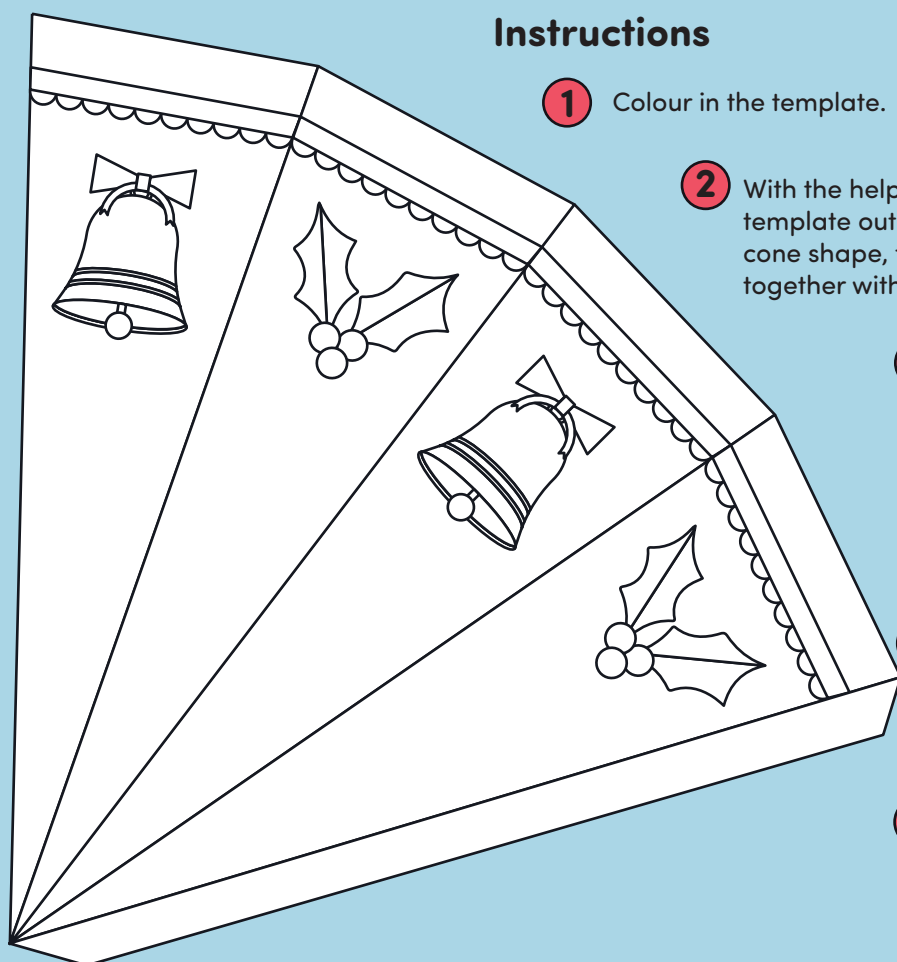
Cornucopias are a kind of Christmas decoration that were popular with people in Victorian times. They are decorated paper cones that were often filled with sweets or other treats and hung on a Christmas tree. Have a go at making your own cornucopia using the template below.



EXHIBITION HIGHLIGHT

Portrait of a young Queen Victoria by Riehe.

Instructions



1 Colour in the template.

2 With the help of an adult, cut the template out and fold it into a cone shape, then secure it together with tape or glue.

3 Glue on any extra decorations you like. You could cut up old bits of Christmas cards to glue on, add stickers, sequins, ribbon, or any other craft materials you might have.

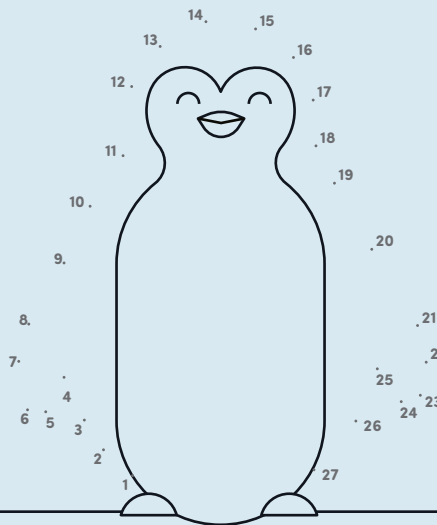
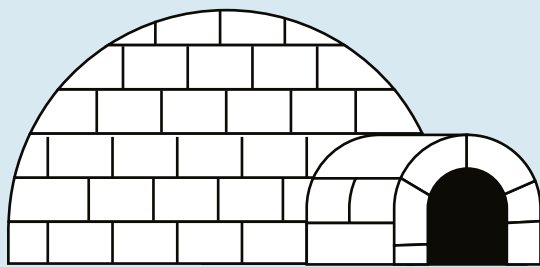
4 Ask an adult to help you make a hole at the top of the cone and thread a piece of ribbon or string through and tie it- this is for hanging up your cornucopia.

5 Fill your cornucopia with treats and hang up or give to someone as a gift!



Penguin Dot to Dot

Can you join up the dots in number order to create an image of a penguin?

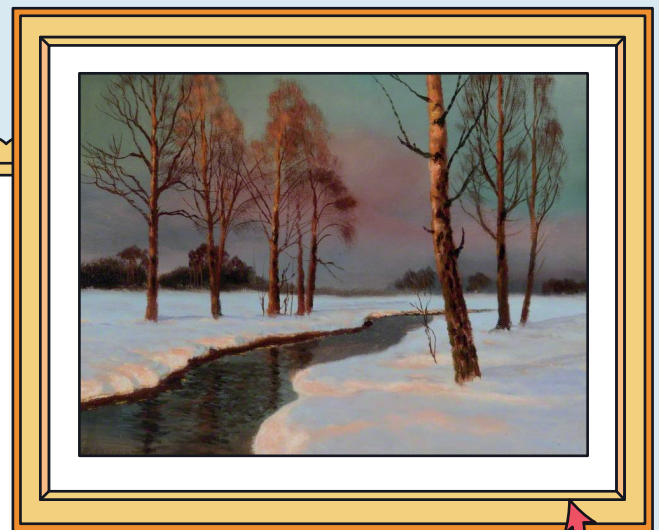
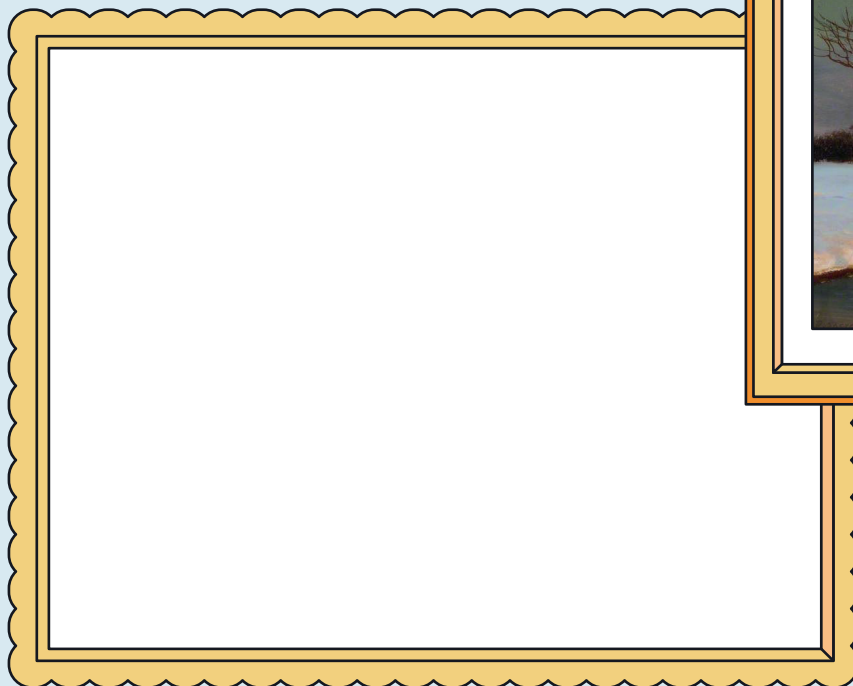


COLLECTIONS HIGHLIGHT

Mini penguin figurine from the Wilberforce House Museum collections.

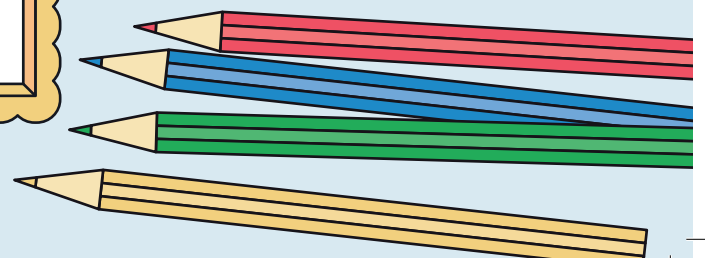
Relaxing Winter Drawing

This beautiful calm winter painting is called *Nature at Rest*, and was painted by the artist Daniel Sherrin (1869-1940). Spending time outdoors in nature can be very relaxing. Have a go at drawing a quiet, calm winter picture of your own in the box below.



GALLERY HIGHLIGHT

Nature at Rest, Daniel Sherrin (1869-1940), Ferens Art Gallery.



Summer Colouring Fun

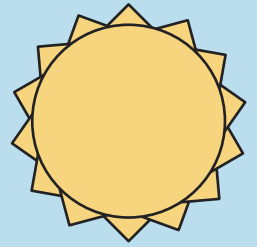
Have a go at colouring in this Hull Museums summertime drawing



Summer Word Search

Can you find all of the words in the grid below?

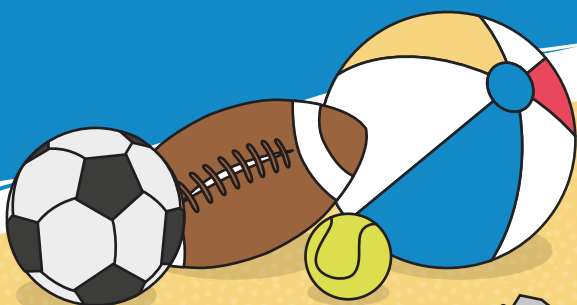
They are hidden forwards, backwards, up, down and diagonally.



Summer
Beach
Play
Celebrate
Sunshine

Water
Beach Ball
Watering Can
Strawberry
Sandwiches

Sports
Swimming
Sunhat
Butterflies
Sand



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