

Museum Discovery Camp Week Three:

What are the ingredients of a museum?

We've thought about the theme and the stories that are coming together to make your museum, but exactly how will they come together? What sorts of things do museums have to help their visitors enjoy the experience?

What can you find in a museum?

This week, visit a museum either in-person, or even online! You're taking a research trip, like a scientist would. Can you find and document the following things?



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| <input type="checkbox"/> A map of the galleries | <input type="checkbox"/> Tour guides |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Labels for objects | <input type="checkbox"/> Signs explaining galleries |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Places to sit | <input type="checkbox"/> Activities to do |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Something else? Make a note of your findings! | |

Some ways you can document the things you find include making a drawing, taking a photo, or describing them in words.

How will visitors understand your museum?

Thinking about the **focus for this week** - the ingredients of a museum visit - how can you make them for your museum? What does a map of your museum look like?

What information is on the labels for objects in your museum? Are there places to sit in your museum? Do you give tours of your museum? What sort of activities can people participate in while they're visiting your museum? Record your ideas!



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