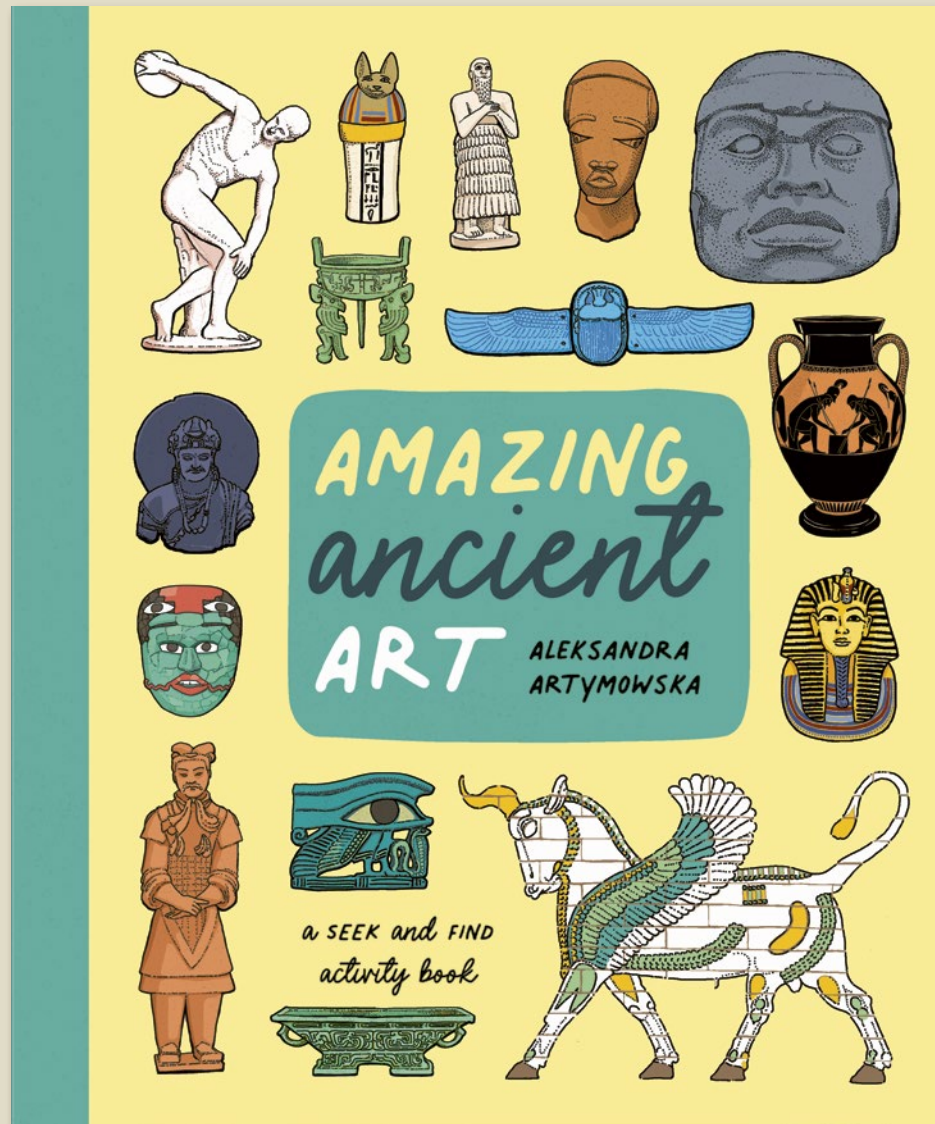


Amazing Ancient Art: A Seek-and-Find Activity Book



This busy activity book on ancient art is packed with search-and-finds and puzzles.

- Sample contents: MIDDLE EAST: Sumerian Votive Figures, Standard of Ur; ANCIENT AFRICA: Egyptian Pharaohs, Amulets; ANCIENT GREECE: Mycenaean figurines, Geometric Pottery; ANCIENT ROME: Portrait Busts, Roman Mosaics; ANCIENT ASIA: Greco-Buddhist Art, Terracotta Army; ANCIENT AMERICA: Olmec Colossal Heads, Jade Masks
- Engaging educational activities provide hours of fun
- Accessible text provides interesting insights into ancient cultures, consulted by Dr Paul Grigsby at Warwick university
- Beautifully illustrated in intricate detail, this book can be revisited time and time again

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SUMERIAN Votive FIGURES

Small clay figurines were made in Sumeria for religious purposes. They were often found in large numbers in the ruins of ancient cities. Some were made of a soft clay called 'terracotta' and some were made of a harder clay called 'stone'.

Most figures are of a female figure, but some are of a male figure.

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STANDARD of UR

This is the most famous representation of commerce in the history of art. It is a wooden box with a beautiful mosaic of gold, red, and black on the top. It is a standard for the city of Ur. The top panel shows a man on a chariot, a man on a horse, and a man on a bull. The middle panel shows a man on a horse, a man on a bull, and a man on a dog. The bottom panel shows a man on a dog, a man on a bull, and a man on a horse.

Can you find the man on a horse in the top panel? Can you find the man on a bull in the middle panel? Can you find the man on a dog in the bottom panel?

ASSYRIAN RELIEFS

These are the most famous representations of commerce in the history of art. They are made of stone and are found in the ruins of ancient cities. Some are made of a soft stone called 'limestone' and some are made of a harder stone called 'marble'.

Some reliefs are of a female figure, but some are of a male figure.

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PERSIAN frieze

The Ancient Persian Empire was ruled by the Achaemenid dynasty from 6th to 4th century BCE. At its height, the empire stretched as far as modern-day Egypt and the Balkans to the west, and the Indian Valley in the east. Persian art was strongly influenced by the Mesopotamian culture, as can be seen in the illustration below. The Persian King Darius I built an enormous palace in Susa, his favourite city. He decorated it with sophisticated mosaics made of glazed bricks in beautiful blues, greens and golds.

SPOT 5 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN BOTH WINGED LION FRIEZES BELOW.

CAN YOU FIND 2 INCOMPLETE FLOWERS IN THE PATTERNS ON THIS PAGE?

LOOK CAREFULLY AT THE LARGEST FRIEZE. ONLY 2 MEN ARE IDENTICAL. CAN YOU SPOT THEM?

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