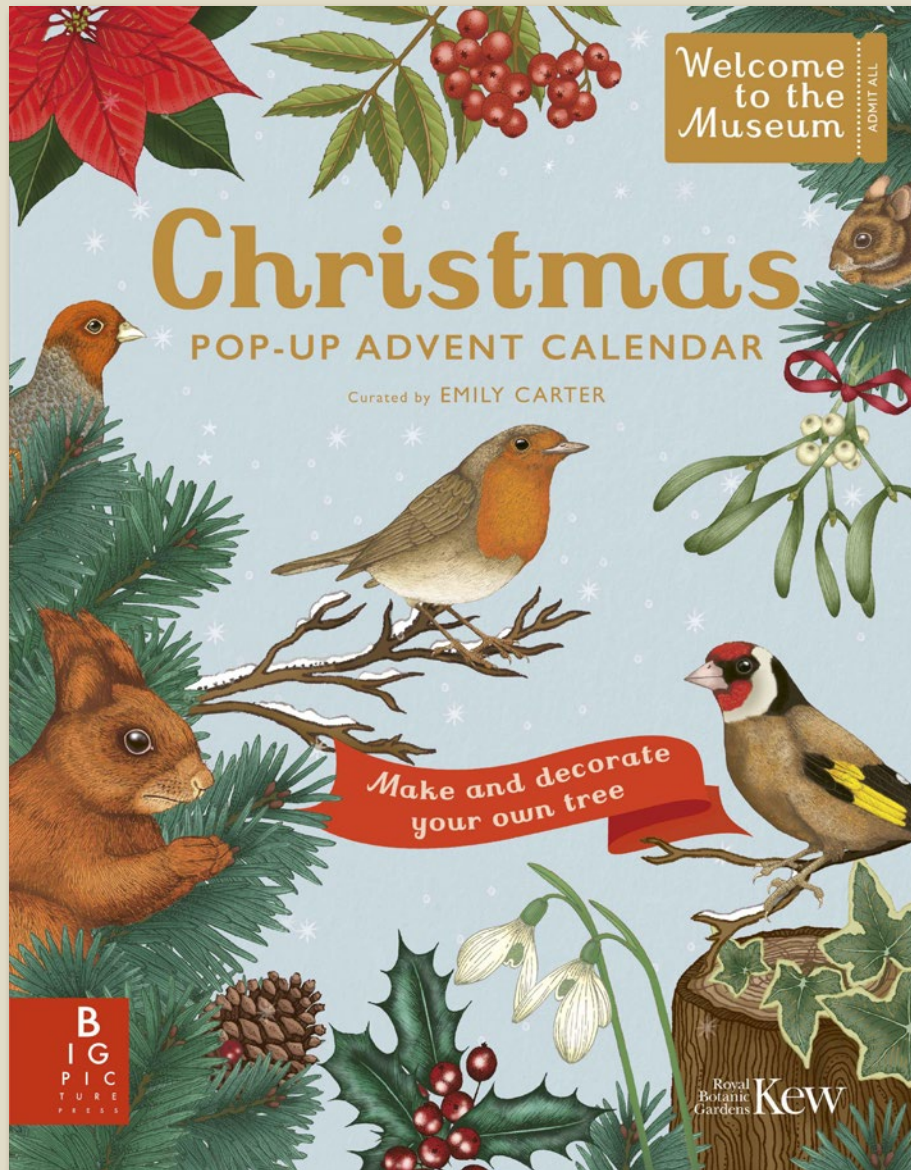




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Welcome to the Museum: A Christmas Pop-Up Advent Calendar



The perfect gift, spread joy this Christmas with this decadent pop-up advent calendar, part of the bestselling Welcome to the Museum family.

- Published in conjunction with the Royal Botanic Gardens Kew
- High quality and made from sturdy material, the re-usable decorations and beautiful tree will take pride of place on any Christmas table, year after year.
- Beautiful artwork by textile designer, Emily Carter
- Luxury finishes including 100% foil cover, and interior box.

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MAMMALS

Reindeer

It is no coincidence that Father Christmas chose reindeer to pull his sleigh, as they are strong, hardy and capable of travelling more than 1,000km a year. As one of the earliest domesticated animals, reindeer share an ancient alliance with humans. These antlered deer thrive in colder climates of Europe, North America and Asia, residing in the frozen northern forests and the Arctic tundra. Covered in fur from head to hoof, reindeer use their useful dew claws to grip onto slippery surfaces and burrow through the snow, feasting on the ferns, fungi and lichen hidden below.

Unlike their magical counterparts, these animals do not need a glowing red nose to illuminate the way. As one of the few large mammals that can see ultraviolet light, reindeer are able to find food, locate predators and stay safe even in the dark, bleak winter when sunlight is scarce.

Key to plate

1: White spruce
This large evergreen conifer is the most common species of North America. However, recent studies suggest the tree is actually far further north, towards the North Pole. It is possible that working temperatures caused by climate change have allowed them to grow here, in an area where the soil would normally be too shallow.

2: Reindeer
Bright reindeer



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BIRDS

Wild Turkey

For many households, Christmas dinner would not be complete without one large, oven-roasted bird taking prime place. Hailing from Mexico, the domestic turkey was first introduced to Europe in the 16th century as an exclusive aristocratic delicacy. The turkey's Christmas connection emerged shortly after when Henry VIII famously feasted on the exotic fowl during his festive banquet. Since then, turkey as a food has risen in popularity and grown in affordability helped in part by advances in food production and Charles Dickens's iconic charitable fondness for the bird.

Today, turkeys have a reputation as odd-looking, ungainly birds, but throughout history they have been venerated as powerful, majestic creatures. Wild turkeys come in a variety of dazzling colours, with beautiful iridescent blue bronze and green plumage. The Mayans revered these noble fowl and valued their spectacular feathers highly, using them to make ornamental cloaks, garments and headdresses.

Key to plate

1: Wild turkey
Meleagris gallopavo

2: American holly
Cotoneaster americana
Because of wild turkeys, primarily, quail and ground partridge are often said to feast on holly during the high winter months.



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FRUITS AND SPICES

Festive Flavours

As Christmas draws near, festive flavours waft through kitchens across the globe, filling the air with traditional aromas of nutmeg, ginger and clove. In Europe, roasted sweet chestnuts make a tasty Christmas treat, harvested from the Castanea sativa tree with its prickly husks and grooved bark. The gingy orange is another popular festive food, gifted to well-loved children or peppered with cloves to make a pomander ball. This practice dates back to medieval times, when such spice-studded pomander balls perfumed the frosty air to ward off bad spirits and winter illnesses.

The iconic Christmas pudding also has humble origins, dating back to a porridge-like prune dish served in the 14th century. Although it originally formed part of a British tradition, the Christmas pudding is a global festive phenomenon, enjoyed by families far and wide in countries like South Africa, Australia and Canada. This dessert is often seasoned with cinnamon, a warm, fragrant spice derived from the inner bark of the Ceylon tree of Sri Lanka.

Key to plate

1: Christmas pudding
Filled with the quintessential flavours of the festive season, Christmas puddings are packed with dried fruits, currants, cloves and spices, made of which are harvested from tropical trees.

2: Orange
Citrus aurantium
Gifting oranges at Christmas may be a tradition that began with the holiday itself. According to legend, the first gift of gold that Joseph's helpers, with the assistance of King Herod, were to bring to the newborn Jesus.

3: Star anise
Illicium verum
Star anise is the same genus as the spice that a hot wheel from the Ball of Fire! occurs right here at the Royal Botanic Gardens Kew. It is used in a variety of food and drink, from mulled wine to make the clear and sunny.



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BIRDS

European Robin

With its rust-coloured plumage and curious expression, the European robin is a plump, small-billed bird that breeds throughout Europe, Western Asia and parts of North Africa. A much-loved sight, the robin can be spotted all year round, the welcome sound of its melodic warbling filling the frosty air even during winter. As natural ground feeders, robins can be found hopping around gardens, woodlands and parks, foraging for insects and worms.

Despite being only 14cm long, these tiny birds are fiercely territorial, puffing up their scarlet chests and fighting off any feathered intruders that invade their patch. Robins are considered modern Yuletide mascots. They first appeared on Victorian Christmas cards as an ode to the vermilion-coloured uniform of the postmen who delivered them. These postal workers were aptly nicknamed 'redbreasts'.

Key to plate

1: European robin
Erithacus rubecula

2: Common holly
Ilex aquifolium
The evergreen holly bush is the UK's most festive plant and for hundreds of years it has been used, along with ivy, to decorate homes at Christmastime. Today, this prickly plant, with its water-resistant waxy leaves and bright red berries, makes the ideal festive wreath.



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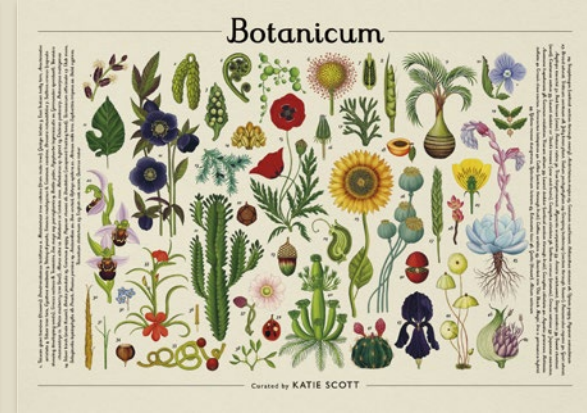
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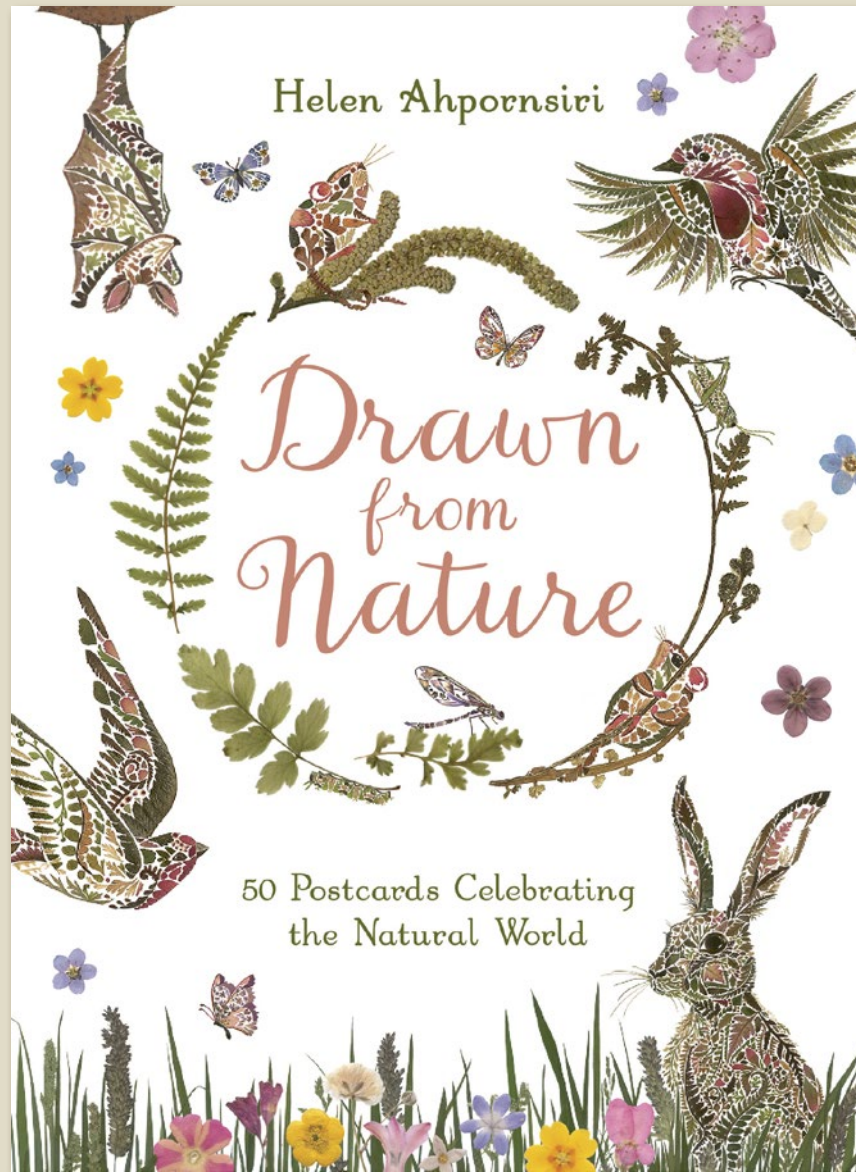
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12 Christmas cards from the bestselling Welcome to the Museum series, illustrated by award-winning artist Emily Carter

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- With 12 cards in the set, this collection offers plenty of opportunities to share festive greetings with family, friends, and colleagues
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