



You Be the Curator

Name:

Topic:

Task: Curate a museum exhibit using the objects in the collection shared by your teacher.

Part 1

Instructions: Fill out the chart below to explore your own understanding of the topic and something you want to learn.

Guiding Task	Response
Set a timer for 3 minutes and write down as many words as you can think of that relate to this topic. Aim for a minimum of 15 words.	
Identify at least five things that you have learned about this topic in this class, previous classes, from social media, the news, etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
Provide a date range (years) for this topic/time period.	
Write at least one question that you have about this topic.	

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Part 2

Instructions: Begin by taking a few minutes to explore the artifacts in the collection. Then, choose a focus for your exhibit and identify five objects that best connect to that focus. Use the table below to guide you in curating a museum exhibit. Everything written in the table is a placeholder and should be erased, including the brackets.

<p>[Title of Museum Exhibit]</p> <p><i>What is the focus of your exhibit & how can you communicate that clearly in the title?</i></p>				
<p>[Exhibition Overview]</p> <p><i>3-5 sentences that describe the exhibit’s focus and state the exhibit’s central claim. What can people expect to see in your exhibit & what do these artifacts tell you about the topic you’ve chosen?</i></p>				
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<p>[Object Label for Object #1]</p> <p><i>Describe the object and explain how it connects to and helps prove the argument you made in the exhibition overview.</i></p>	<p>[Object Label for Object #2]</p> <p><i>Describe the object and explain how it connects to and helps prove the argument you made in the exhibition overview.</i></p>	<p>[Object Label for Object #3]</p> <p><i>Describe the object and explain how it connects to and helps prove the argument you made in the exhibition overview.</i></p>	<p>[Object Label for Object #4]</p> <p><i>Describe the object and explain how it connects to and helps prove the argument you made in the exhibition overview.</i></p>	<p>[Object Label for Object #5]</p> <p><i>Describe the object and explain how it connects to and helps prove the argument you made in the exhibition overview.</i></p>

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