

Exploring the Orsay Museum



👤 Ages 8-9

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🌐 English

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Learning Goals

Welcome to the Orsay Museum in Paris, a place where art and history meet! This museum was once a bustling train station, and you can still see the giant clock that watched over travelers. Now, it holds famous artworks like Van Gogh's 'Starry Night Over the Rhône' and Monet's colorful experiments with light. As you explore, notice how the building itself tells a story of transformation from a station to a museum. Let's dive into the world of art and see what stories these paintings and sculptures have to share!

💡 Key Vocabulary

Impressionism

A style of painting that captures light and color to show a moment in time.

Bronze

A metal used for making sculptures, known for its strength and color.

Clock

A device that shows time, like the big one in the Orsay Museum.

Reflection

An image seen in a mirror or water, like stars in a river.

📖 Curriculum Link

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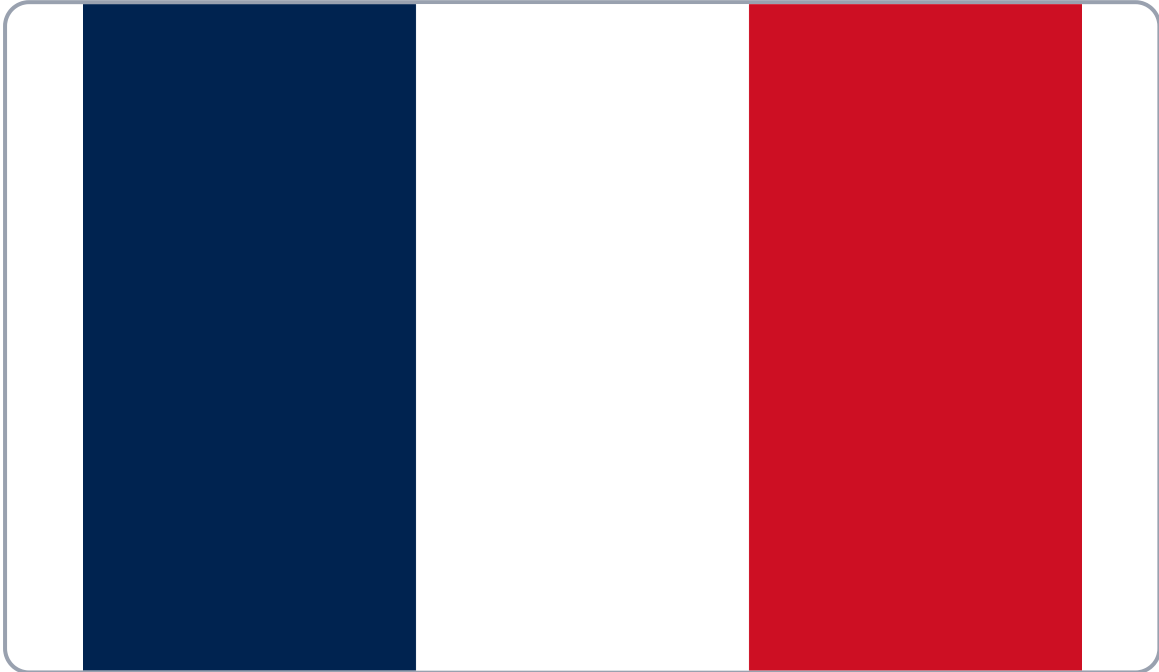


Intro Activity 1

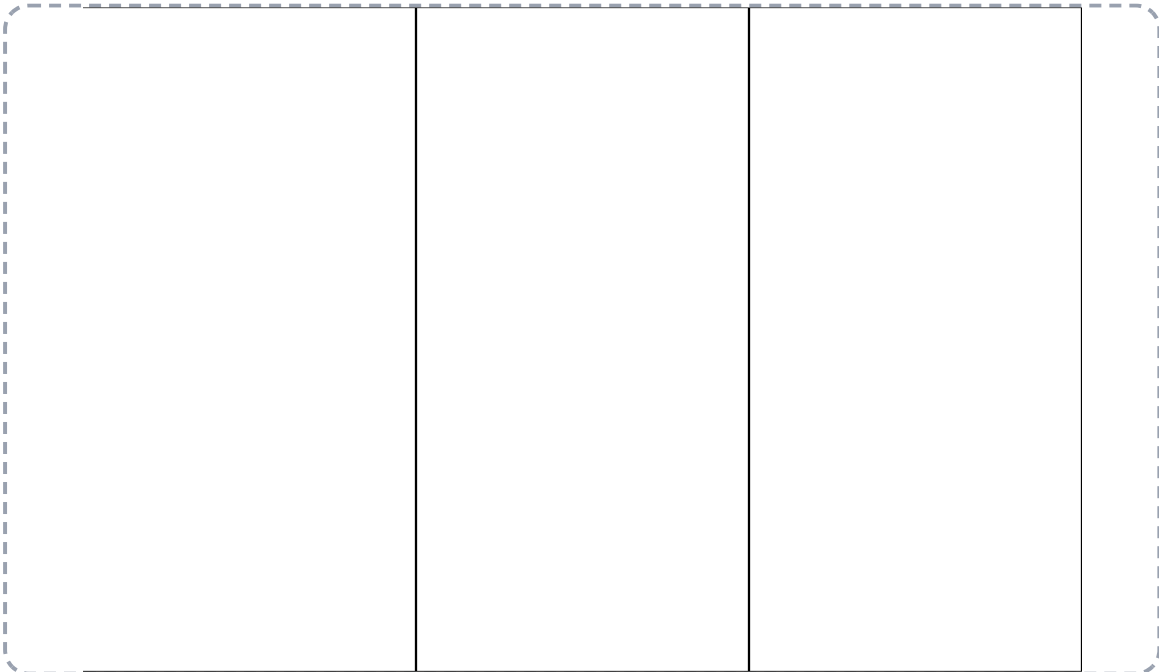
Color the French Flag

Color the French flag using the reference image. Notice the three colors: blue, white, and red.

Example (Completed Flag)



Coloring Area (Color the flag below)





Intro Activity 2

Exchange Rate Exploration

Look at the French banknote. If a toy costs 10 euros, how many won would that be? (1유로 \approx 1,450원)



Intro Activity 3

Flight Ticket Calculation

Your flight leaves at 10 AM from Seoul and takes about 12 hours. What time will you arrive in Paris?

BOARDING PASS

TIME DIFFERENCE MISSION

FLIGHT BT 101

FROM **SEOUL** TO **PARIS**

ICN CDG

DEPARTURE **10:00** DURATION **14h** TIME DIFF **-8h**

ARRIVAL LOCAL TIME

DATE **TODAY**

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Activities



Activity 1


The Giant Clock of Orsay

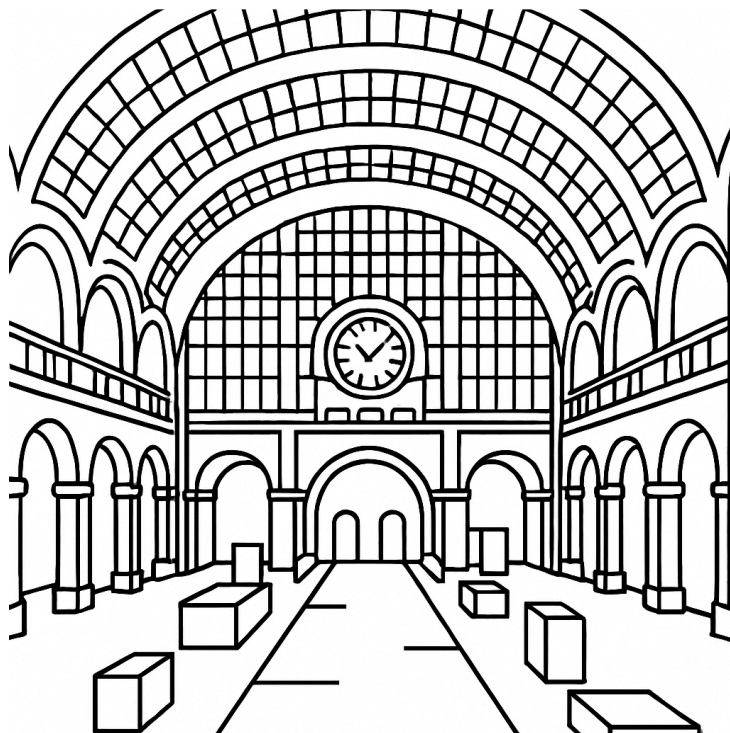
Spot Mission

The Orsay Museum's giant clock is a reminder of its past as a train station. This clock once helped travelers catch their trains on time.

Now, it stands as a symbol of how the building has changed over time. Look closely at the clock's face and hands.

How do you think it feels to stand in front of something that has seen so much history?

 Find three details on the giant clock that show it was once part of a train station.



What numbers are on the clock face?

What material is the clock made of?



Activity 2

Van Gogh's Starry Night Over the Rhône

Multiple Choice

Van Gogh's 'Starry Night Over the Rhône' captures the beauty of a starry sky reflected in the river. The painting uses bright colors to show the calm and wonder of the night.

Notice how the stars and their reflections create a magical scene. Why do you think Van Gogh chose these colors to show the night?



What feeling do the colors in Van Gogh's painting give you?

What feeling do the colors in Van Gogh's painting give you?

Calm

Excitement

Sadness





Impressionist painters like Monet and Renoir wanted to capture the changing light and colors of a moment. They used quick brushstrokes and bright colors to show how a scene looked at a specific time.

Imagine standing in front of a Monet painting. What do you see first?



Imagine you are an Impressionist painter. Describe the scene you would paint and why.

Write your idea.

Four horizontal dashed lines for writing.



Activity 4

Rodin's Bronze Sculptures

Short Answer

Rodin's bronze sculptures are famous for showing movement and emotion. Bronze is a strong metal that lets artists create detailed shapes.

Look at the muscles and expressions in Rodin's sculptures. How do you think the material helps show these details?



Why do you think Rodin chose bronze for his sculptures?

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Activity 5

The Transformation of Orsay

Why Chain

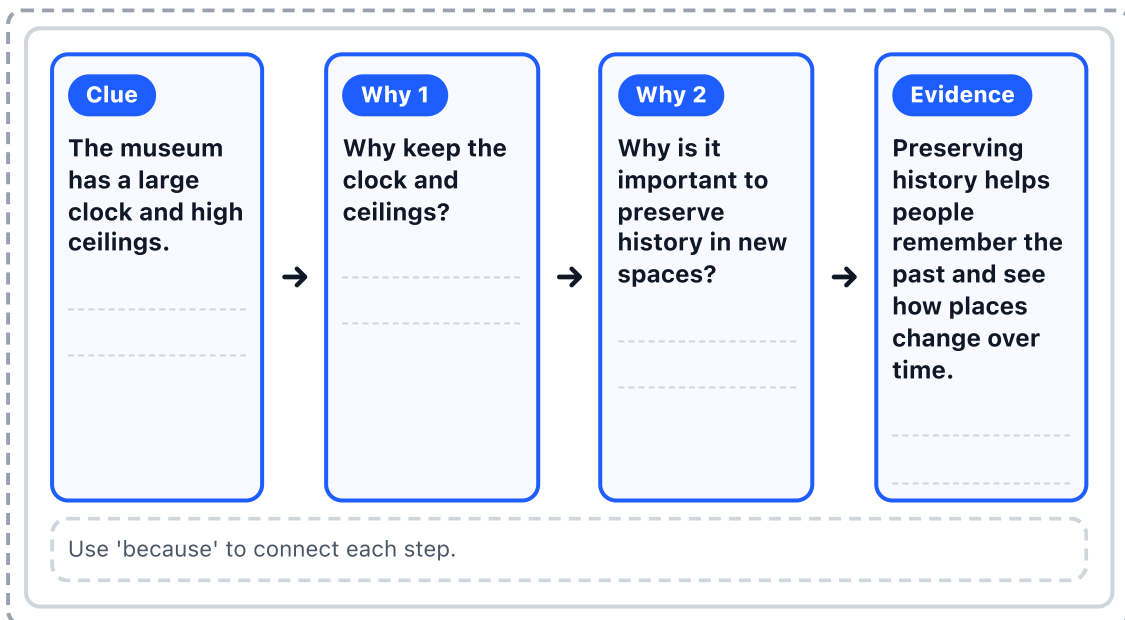
The Orsay Museum was once a train station, filled with travelers and trains. Today, it is a museum filled with art.

This change shows how spaces can be reused for new purposes. Look at the museum's architecture.

What parts still remind you of a train station?



Why do you think the Orsay Museum kept its original train station features?



Reflection

Thank you for exploring the Orsay Museum! We hope you enjoyed discovering the stories behind the art and the building itself.

Remember, every piece of art has a story to tell, and every building has a history to share.

Which artwork's colors surprised you the most?



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If you could transform a building into something new, what would it be and why?



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✓ Answer Key

1 Spot Mission

The Giant Clock of Orsay

1 to 12; Metal and glass; Yes, inside the clock. The clock's numbers and materials show its function as a timekeeper. Ask your child why clocks are important in busy places like train stations.

2 Multiple Choice

Van Gogh's Starry Night Over the Rhône

Calm. Van Gogh's use of blues and yellows creates a peaceful night scene. Ask your child how different colors can change the mood of a painting.

3 Story Complete

Exploring Impressionism

Children might describe a sunny garden or a busy street. Encourage them to think about how light and color change throughout the day.

4 Short Answer

Rodin's Bronze Sculptures

Bronze is strong and can capture fine details, making it ideal for showing movement and emotion. Ask your child how different materials might change the look of a sculpture.

5 Why Chain

The Transformation of Orsay

The clock and high ceilings remind visitors of the building's past. Preserving these features helps connect the present with history. Ask your child why it's important to remember a building's original purpose.

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