Activity Guide



BEFORE YOUR VISIT

- **1.** Print out student guide and go through the questions and the map with the students. Make sure that they have a pencil and a writing surface like a clipboard.
- **2.** Look at some of the resource materials and give your students a basic background on Cambodia and the Khmer Empire. You may want to watch a film about Angkor. https://youtu.be/KsDGDzwuQ-I
- **3.** Please remind students to pay attention to signs letting them know if an object can be touched. Students have a unique opportunity to get very close to many items in this exhibit so please remind them to be respectful to the collection, even those pieces made of stone.

DURING YOUR VISIT

- **1.** Remind students that everyone is responsible for caretaking the artifacts in the exhibit. They should remember, and remind others, that touching them can cause damage.
- **2.** Have students enter the exhibit in small groups. Allow time for a previous group to move on before allowing the next group in.
- **3.** If students have guides to write on, they should be careful to use their clipboards and not exhibit spaces for writing surfaces.

AFTER YOUR VISIT

- **1.** What will you remember from this visit? Does the visit inspire you to know more about Cambodia, the Khmer people, or the Angkorian period?
- **2.** Do the students have any questions that either came up during their visit or that weren't answered by the visit? Where can they find the answers? (For example, research on their own or send the question to Museum educators to ask for help finding the answer)
- **3.** Look through the interdisciplinary activities for more ideas to extend student learning.