

ENGLISH VOCABULARY FOR MUSEUMS

Choose among the following words:

statue, label, artefact, exhibition, relic, torso, gallery, collection, bust, exhibit, plinth, antiquity.

1. A _____ is a room in which exhibits are exhibited.
2. An _____ is an interesting object shown in a public exhibition.
3. An _____ is a collection of historical artefacts shown to the public.
4. A _____ is all of a museum's artefacts.
5. An _____ is a historical object made by man.
6. An _____ is another name for a historical artefact.
7. A _____ is a historical object made interesting because of its age or associations with the past.
8. A _____ is a brief description identifying an artefact in an exhibition.
9. A _____ is a support on which an artefact is displayed to best effect.
10. A _____ is the part of a sculpture that has lost its head and is usually lacking arms and legs, too.
11. A _____ is a stone sculpture representing a human figure or an animal.
12. A _____ is a sculpture of the head, shoulders and upper chest of a person.