

Museums

Tour collections and learn about the history of art and artefacts with these online museum experiences.

[American Museum of Natural History](#): Brian Selznick, author of *Wonderstruck*, leads a virtual tour of the museum, meeting field experts along the way.

[British Museum](#): This cool, interactive site lets kids browse the museum collection by time period, not by room, so kids can focus in on the era they're most interested in.

[Colonial Williamsburg](#): Eight different webcams let viewers peek in on what's happening at places like Merchants' Square or Raleigh Tavern.

[Frida Kahlo Museum](#): You might not be able to get to Mexico City, Mexico, but you can still explore the work of artist Frida Kahlo and imagine her life in the "Casa Azul" (Blue House).

[Historic Hudson Valley](#): This site offers many history-themed online experiences for kids, from "[Traders and Raiders](#)," which looks at the history of pirates in the greater New York Area, to "[People Not Property](#)," which teaches kids about slavery. There are also lots of ideas for at-home historical activities, like [cooking with cornmeal](#) or "[tinsmithing](#)" at home with aluminium foil.

[Metropolitan Museum of Art](#): The #MetKids site is geared for little ones, and lets them explore a cute, illustrated map to find treasures in the museum's collection.

[Musée du Louvre](#): The world-famous museum offers virtual tours by subject, from the body in art to Egyptian antiquities.

[Museum of Science](#): The #MOSatHome page offers virtual looks at the Boston museum's exhibits and hosts daily livestreams and webinars.

[National Baseball Hall of Fame](#): Browse through the collection of photographs, memorabilia and more to learn more about America's national pastime. The museum also offers virtual programming on its [YouTube page](#).

[National Gallery of Art](#): The National Gallery has 50 video tours specifically geared towards kids, focusing on a work and the people, places, and scenes surrounding its creation.

[National Museum of Computing](#): Located in Bletchley Park in the U.K., home of the famous WWII codebreakers like Alan Turing, this museum offers a virtual tour that takes visitors through the history of computers.

[Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History](#): You can bookmark this one to visit over and over, since it offers virtual version of every exhibition in the museum.

[The Vatican Museum](#): You can get 360 looks at nine rooms in the Vatican — including the magnificent Sistine Chapel.