Art of the Ancient World

1 Hour Tour / 15 minutes rotations

Goal: Students will see various media (mosaic, sculpture, jade, bronze, clay objects) from the ancient cultures of the Mediterranean and Asia (Indian, China, Japan, Egypt, Greece and Rome) Consider the importance of art in communicating the powers of rulers, stories of the gods, or ideas of the afterlife.

Required works of art

Gallery 1

Mosaic Eqyptian relief Hercules

Gallery 17

Tomb Treasures:
Amphora/jade bi
Bronze mirrors and ding
Tang guardian figures

Gallery 18/19

Haniwa Ghandaran Buddha

Gallery 23

Yakshi Ganesha