ANCIENT ROME

Find artifacts from all around the Roman Empire! Flip to the back to learn more and get hints about where to find them.



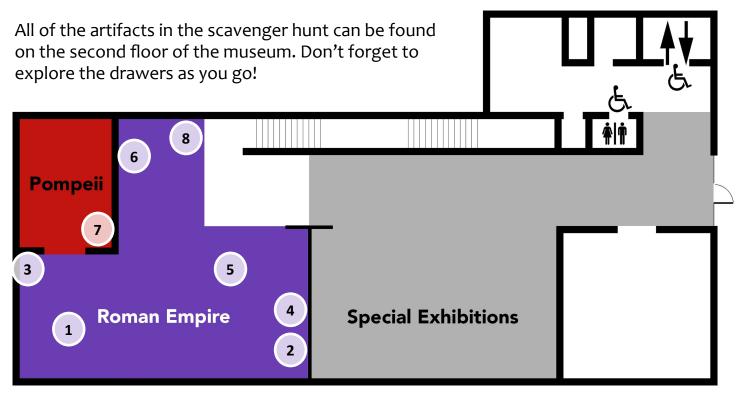




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Second Floor



- 1. Centaurs draw the chariot of the god Dionysus– much fancier than regular horses.
- 2. This fancy glass container can hold four kinds of perfume or makeup!
- 3. This fresco is piece of wall painting from a Roman house. How many different colors can you see?
- 4. This is a portrait sculpture of Polydeukion. His teacher, Herodus Atticus, was so sad when Polydeukion died that he had many portraits carved of him.
- 5. This mosaic comes from North Africa. The small square tiles that make the design are called tesserae. Can you guess how many pieces there are?
- 6. We all need light to see, right? This oil lamps was decorated to show to gladiators fighting.
- 7. This is Eros (also known as Cupid). He is a god of love!
- 8. These jars are called amphoras. The Romans used them to ship wine and olive oil. These amphoras were found at the bottom of the sea. Maybe the ship they were on sank!

