

Amazing Archaeology

Caselli J 939.18 Caselli

In Search of Knossos

Describes the discovery and excavation of Knossos by the archaeologist Sir Arthur Evans and what the site revealed about the Minoan civilization that flourished on the island of Crete from about 3000 to 1150 B.C.

Deem J 937.7 Deem

Bodies From The Ash

Discover the last moments before the devastating volcanic eruption

Deem J 569.9 Deem

Bodies From The Bog

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Greene J 930.1 Greene

Buttons, Bones, and the Organ-Grinder's Monkey

An interesting introduction to historical archaeology

O'Connor J 931 Oconnor

The Emperor's Silent Army

Describes the archaeological discovery of thousands of life-sized terracotta warrior statues in northern China in 1974, and discusses the emperor who had them created and placed near his tomb.

Pauketat J 977.389 Pauketat

Cahokia Mounds

Describes what is known of the ancient city of Cahokia, a site in present-day Illinois which was inhabited by Native Americans from about 700 A.D. to 1400 A.D., the Mississippian culture of which it was a part, and the archaeological investigations undertaken there.

Ventura J 939.21 Ventura

In Search of Troy

Traces Heinrich Schliemann's search for and discovery of the site of ancient Troy and discusses the mythology and possible historical facts connected with the siege of that city.

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Cool Art

Knox J 701.1 Knox

The Great Art Adventure

Two children visit the wacky Museum of World Art, where paintings come to life, and they see such works as Egyptian paintings, Roman mosaics, Tibetan scrolls, and American Indian buffalo skin paintings.

Raczka J 759 Raczka

more Than Meets The Eye

Provides images of paintings and new, sensory ways to experience them, such as tasting the milk in Vermeer's "The Milkmaid," hearing the music in Tanner's "The Banjo Lesson," or feeling the fur in da Vinci's "Lady with an Ermine."

Rainmondo J 709.04071 Rainmondo

Make It Pop!

An introduction to Pop art includes guidance for related activities as well as brief biographies of six artists: Andy Warhol, Roy Lichtenstein, Jasper Johns, Robert Rauschenberg, Claes Oldenburg, and George Segal.

Sturgis J 751.7 Sturgis

Optical Illusions In Art

Look for illusions and hidden aspects of art. View art with a new eye!

Wolfe J 750 Wolfe

Look! Zoom In On Art!

Children can look up, look through and look more for an interesting approach to viewing art.

Awesome Arrifacts

Anderson J 975.8733 Anderson

From Map To Museum

Describes an archaeological dig off the coast of Georgia, the methods used to uncover artifacts there, and what was learned about a mission run there by the Spanish for the Guale Indians.

Giblin J 932 Giblin

Secrets of the Sphinx

Discusses some of Egypt's most famous artifacts and monuments, including the pyramids, the Rosetta Stone, and, especially, the Great Sphinx, presenting research and speculation about their origins and their future.

Lourie J 972.01 Lourie

Hidden World of the Aztec

Study the archaeology and artifacts of this ancient culture

Martell J 942.84301 Martell

The Vikings and Jorvik

Describes how relics and artifacts found in York, England, provide clues to the everyday life of Vikings who established a settlement there in the ninth century called Jorvik.

Vivian J 978.9 Vivian

Chaco Canyon

Relates the nineteenth-century discovery of cliff dwellings in the Chaco Canyon of northwest New Mexico, the excavations of the ancient ruins, and what the artifacts reveal about the civilization of the ancient Pueblo Indians.

Undersea Mysteries

Armstrong J 919.9804 Armstrong

Shipwreck At The Bottom of the World

Describes the events of the 1914 Shackleton Antarctic expedition when, after being trapped in a frozen sea for nine months, their ship, Endurance, was finally crushed, forcing Shackleton and his men to make a very long and perilous journey across ice and stormy seas to reach inhabited land.

Ballard J 930.102804 Ballard

The Lost Wreck of the Isis

Dr. Ballard visits the Mediterranean to explore a Roman shipwreck site and investigate an active underwater volcano.

Sullivan J 975.941 Sullivan

Slave Ship

The Henrietta Marie was a slave ship that sunk in the Gulf of Mexico in the 1770s. Through underwater archaeology, artifact have been uncovered that show us of that life long ago.

Walker J 973.757 Walker

Secrets of a Civil War Submarine

Presents the history of the Civil War submarine the H.L. Hunley, including the construction, mysterious sinking, recovery, and restoration.