

Make your own Exhibition

Museums hold lots of different types of exhibitions. Some are permanently at the museum and others might only be there for a few weeks or months. Exhibitions can include special objects or paintings not normally on display, new objects to the museum or ones loaned from other museums too.

Have a go at making your own special exhibition using these steps!

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Decide on your topic or theme! Do you have a favourite thing or something you'd like to learn more about? Perhaps you want to highlight your collection of something or share all your knowledge on a certain topic?



Do some research & make a plan!

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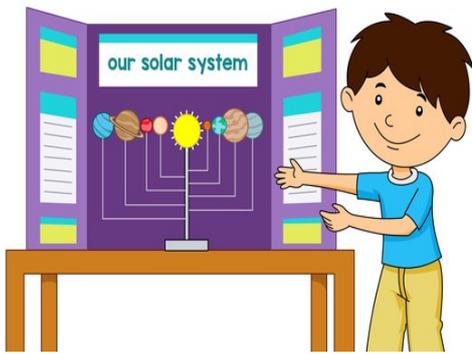
Will you use books or the internet to help you research your topic? Make a plan of all the information you want to share & work out how you want to share the information. You'll need an introduction to the topic and some detailed information too.

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Will your exhibition include an activity to try? What might it look like? Think about your exhibition and what activity might help people to understand? Will there be a replica of an object that people can touch, themed dressing up clothes or another special hands-on activity?

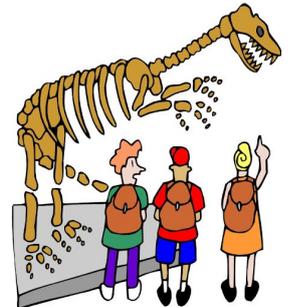


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Make your exhibition boards! **4**
Make a poster on the computer or using paper & pens - these will be your exhibition boards! You could put everything on one poster or make several smaller ones on different themes. For example, if your exhibition is on Lego, you could make ones for different types of Lego & display some of your favourite Lego models. If your exhibition is on football, you could make your exhibition posters on the rules of the game & different teams.

5 Select your object or objects!
Which objects will you choose & how will you display them? Remember to use our activity on making a museum label to make your own too.



Invite people to see your exhibition! **6**

Watch our craft video to make yourself a tour guide sash, make some exhibition tickets and invite your friends and family to see your exhibition!

