Nicely done! Next, find a painting with a little boy dressed in an animal skin.
The little boy is called Saint John the Baptist. He was Jesus’ cousin. In art, he is often shown wearing an animal skin. What is he doing in this painting?

He is ............................................

Look closely around the museum to find a very dark painting.
Do you know who this man is? Write his name here:

If you don’t know who he is, ask one of the museum guards.

Keep in mind to complete this mission you will have to look very closely at the art and observe even the smallest details.

Remember... Good art agents don’t leave fingerprints because the natural oils on your fingers can stain and damage the surfaces. Please help us preserve the works of art by not touching them!

Congratulations!
You are a true art detective.

Thank you! Commission for Arts and Culture
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Have Fun!
1. Walk around the museum to see if you can find a painting of a ship shooting a cannon.

Wow, what an explosion! This picture was painted by an artist from France who liked to paint harbors and ships. The artist liked to include people in his paintings, too. Here, he shows us men, women and children and even their pets. Can you count how many dogs there are? Circle the right answer.


In art, we call a painting of a person a portrait. This is a portrait of Cooper Penrose. He was a businessman who lived in Europe. Notice how the artist does not use many colors in this painting and look at all of the space above his head. Let's draw a hat on him!

3. Look for another portrait. This one is of a woman. Here's a clue: she is wearing a yellow dress and is holding a pink flower in her hand.

Can you believe that she is only 14 years old and that she was married when she was 12. Wow! That's the age people would marry 400 years ago. Her name is Maria and she lived in a palace with the king.

Write here what you would like to ask her?

4. The next painting is going to be hard to find. It is very small and it shows a woman reading a book.

Good job, you found it! What is the man giving her? Check the right answer.

- A piece of gum
- A cell phone
- A letter

5. Next, you will have to find a painting that shows a calm ocean with many small boats in it.

Count how many boats you can find and write your answer here:

Take a few steps back to see the entire painting. Circle the words you think best describe the scene:

calm, stormy, still, wild, quiet

loud, happy, noisy, warm, rowdy