

My Favourite Object

Tick ✓ the words that best describe your favourite object

Beautiful Cold Soft Strange Old

Small Ugly Sharp Pretty Complex

Smooth Scary Crooked Hard Straight

Shiny Funny Rough Dark OMG!

Write some more words about your favourite object here...

Name one other object in the Museum that you like...

Congratulations! You have finished 'My Favourite Object'!

Did you know?
The Fisheries Tower was built in 1853 as a fishing station but was also used to spot illegal fishing. It is the only tower of its kind in Ireland.



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Museum Opening Times...

Open from Tuesday to Saturday, 10am to 5pm
Closed on Christmas Day, St Stephen's Day & Good Friday
Galleries close at 4.45pm
ADMISSION IS FREE
No booking required. Suggested donation: €5



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This activity sheet is designed for younger visitors, but visitors of all ages are welcome to try it!

My name is

My age is

Choose your favourite object in the whole museum. Do not forget... there are three floors!

Write the name of your favourite object here...

On which floor is your favourite object?
Tick ✓ the correct box...

The Ground Floor

The First Floor

The Second Floor

Did you know?
The famous 'Galway Shawl' was actually made in Paisley, Scotland.



What kind of person do you think used this object?

Write your answer here...

Why is this your favourite object?

Write your answer here...

Take a close look at your object, and tick ✓ one of the boxes. Is your favourite object...

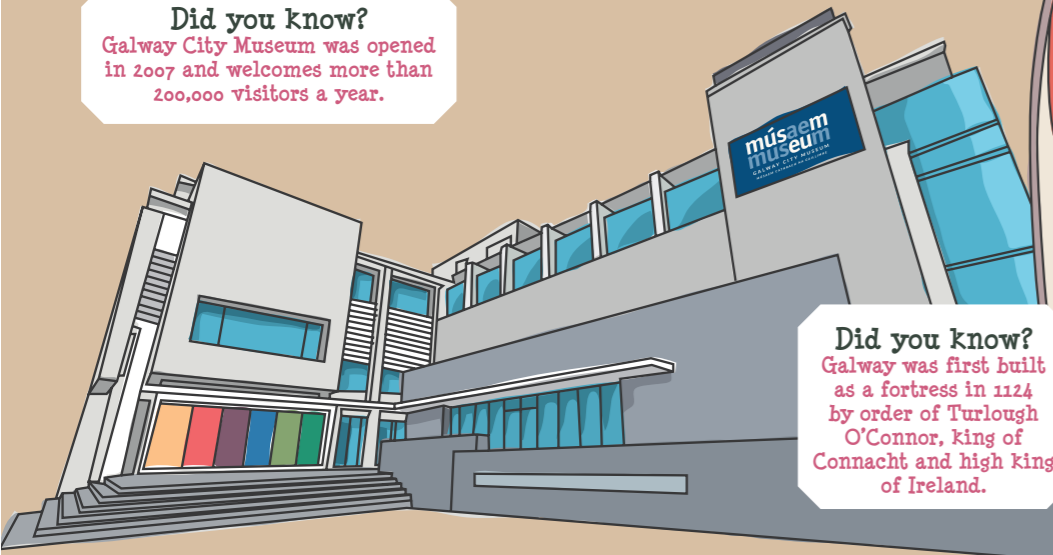
Bigger than you? Same size as you? Smaller than you?

Is your favourite object...

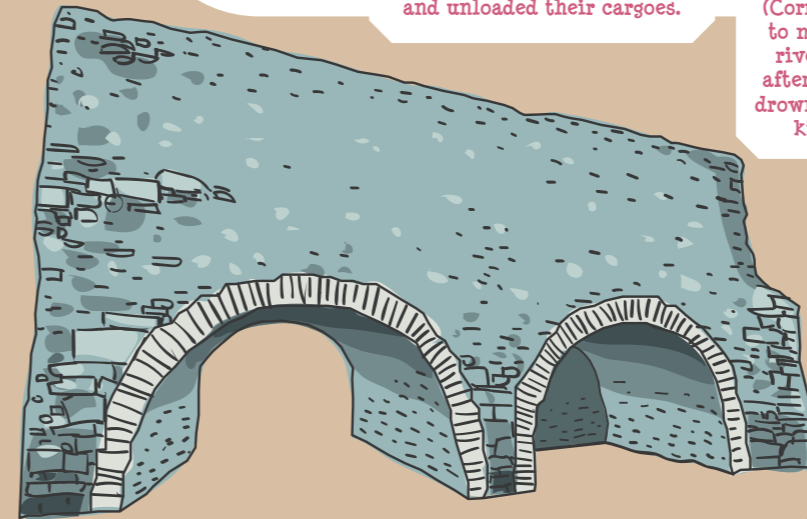
Made of metal? Made of wood? Made of clay?
Made of stone? Made of bone?

Is your favourite object made from something else?
Write your answer here...

Did you know?
Galway City Museum was opened in 2007 and welcomes more than 200,000 visitors a year.

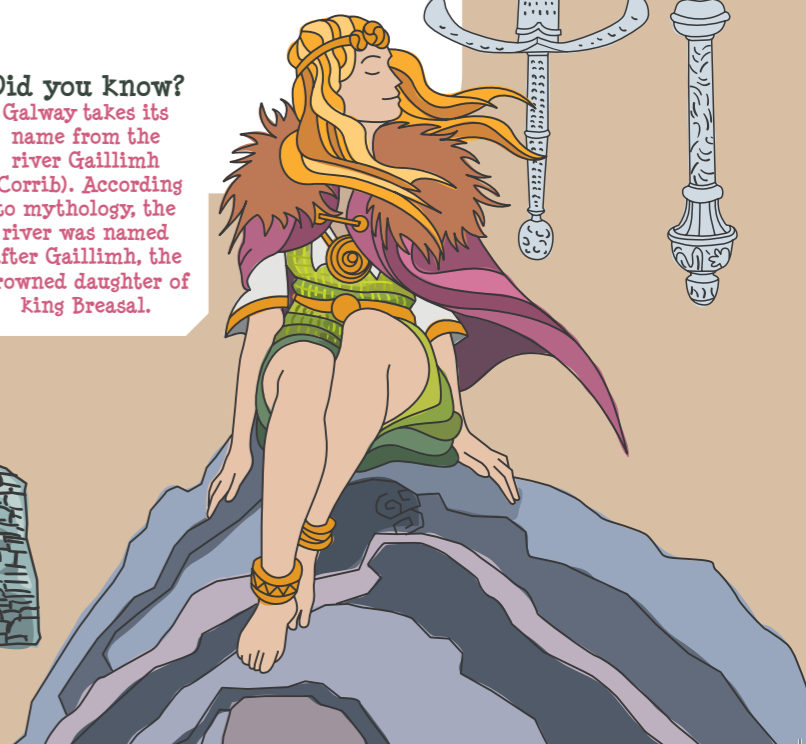


Did you know?
Galway was first built as a fortress in 1124 by order of Turlough O'Connor, king of Connacht and high king of Ireland.



Did you know?
The Spanish Arch was built in 1584 to protect the quays, where medieval ships loaded and unloaded their cargoes.

Did you know?
Galway takes its name from the river Gaillimh (Corrib). According to mythology, the river was named after Gaillimh, the drowned daughter of king Bresal.

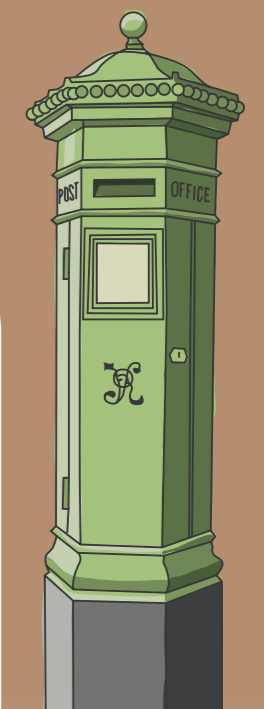


Did you know?
The Galway Sword and Mace are the ancient symbols of the Mayor of Galway. They are more than 300 years old.

Draw your favourite object...



Did you know?
Galway City Museum is home to the world's oldest known Claddagh Ring. It was made by Richard Joyce around 1700.



Did you know?
Irish post boxes were once painted 'royal red' like British post boxes. After independence in 1922, they were repainted green.