

Time Traveler's Scavenger Hunt

Mission: You have transported back 2,000 years to the Ancient Middle East. Your job is to document life in the desert, the village, and the city. Can you find all 12 items?



Explore the Archaeological Gardens and the Gallery. Check the box when you find the item!

Bedouin Tent:

Find the black tent made of goat hair.



Why do you think they used goat hair instead of cotton? (Hint: Think about rain!)

Manger:

Find the feeding trough for animals.



It's not made of wood! It's made of stone.

Olive Crusher:

Find the giant round stone used to smash olives.



The first press makes oil for holy anointing; the second for food; the third for lamps.

Torah Scroll:

Find the long scroll with Hebrew writing.



Can you find a letter that looks like a "W" (Shin)?

Triclinium (Roman Table):

Find the U-shaped table with cushions on the floor.

Imagine lying down on your left side to eat dinner. Comfy or crazy?

Rolling Tomb:

Find the cave with a large stone wheel in front of it.

Oil Lamp:

Find a small clay lamp that fits in the palm of your hand.

Threshing Floor:

Find the flat, hard circle where farmers separated wheat from chaff.

Wine Press:

Find the square pit where people would stomp on grapes with their feet.

A Roman Coin:

Look closely in the gallery cases. Whose face is on the coin?



Student Journal Entry

If you lived in the Ancient World, which chore would you like the least?

- Grinding grain for hours
- Stomping grapes
- Herding sheep in the heat

A Shepherd's Staff:

Find the tool used to guide sheep.

Millstone:

Find the two heavy stones used to grind grain into flour for bread.



Nice work, Time Traveler! You've officially conquered the Archaeological Gardens and Gallery at Biblical History Center.