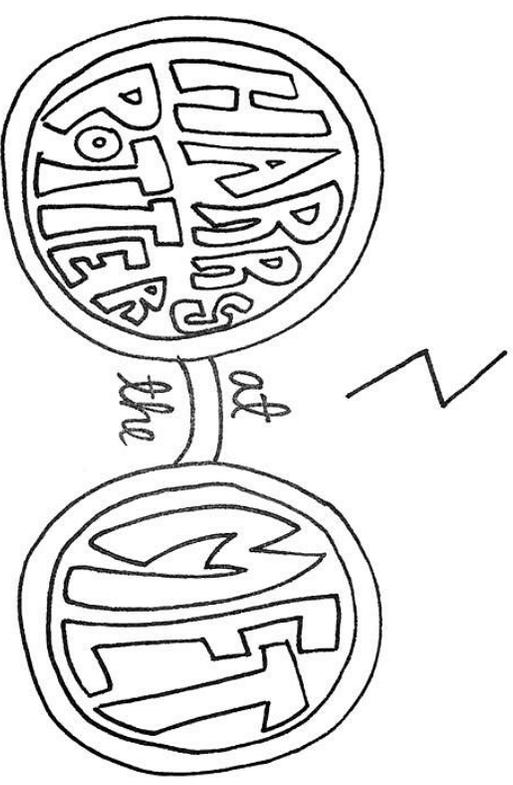


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Your one & only guide to the  
wizarding world at NYC's  
#1 MUSEUM...

## THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART



## HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE:

- At the top of each page is a gallery number.
- It's up to you to choose your course and find the object in the gallery.

\* Always check with the info desk regarding gallery closures.

## WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

- this guide
- a museum map
-  for HP

# Gallery 162

Choose your own object!



Voldemort is French for  
"flight from death" and  
"heft from death!"



The Romans borrowed  
Athena and re-named  
her Minerva!



That's where my name comes  
from! We're both protectors of  
travelers and comfortable  
navigating two worlds... but  
Hermes gets in a lot of trouble  
and loves sports!



Take a pic and

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# Gallery 236

head of a cobra



smile - she's here to protect us!

snake body

The nagaraja is a serpent king, and the nagini is his female companion!

Do you remember all seven horcruxes?



# Gallery 232

Deer are the messenger animals of the Shinto gods. The white stag is also the messenger animal of the Celtic gods!



Can you match the patronus?

Hermione

Luna

Ron



# Gallery 453

Europe :  
Chess

Chess is well over 1,000 years old, changing over time as it moved around the globe...

Persia :  
Shatranj

India :  
Chaturanga

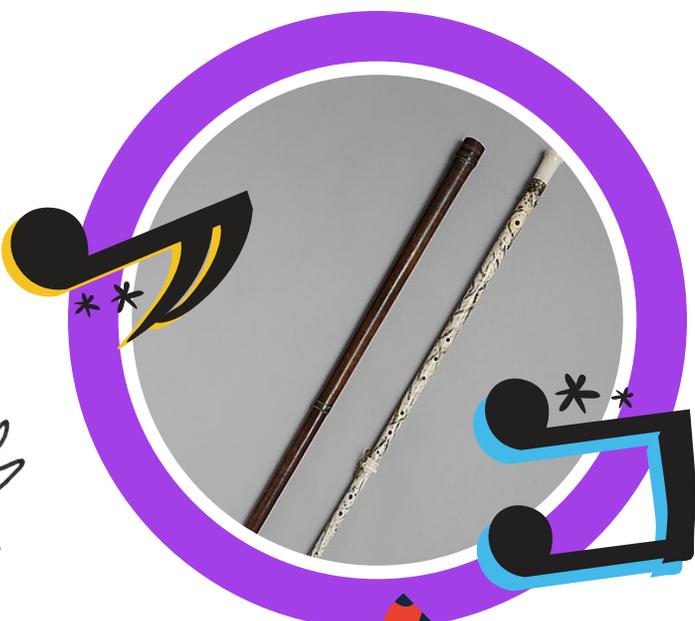


Watch out for the harpy, the mascot of the Hollyhead Harpies, the all-female quidditch team - her song is deadly!



# Gallery 684

great for getting past Fluffy!



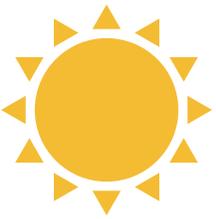
Frederick the Great of Prussia bought this walking stick / flute believing it was made from a unicorn horn!



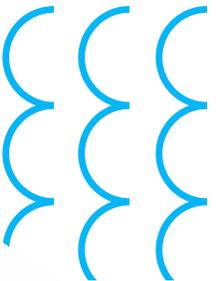
# Gallery 207



Sirius is the Greek name for the "dog star" in the canis major constellation. Sirius is the dog star all around the world and is responsible for...



"the dog days of summer"

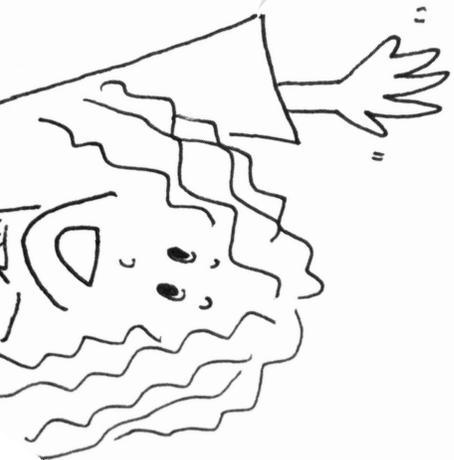


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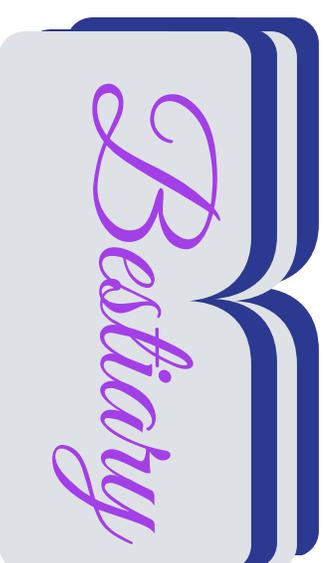
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The entire Black family are named after stars! Draco, Regulus, andromeda, and more!



# Gallery 304

a popular type of book in medieval Europe was a



a collection of all animals real or fictional



lions were considered the king of beasts, and represent strength, bravery, and valor!

depending on the artist and part of the world, dragons can be beautiful, dangerous, or good luck!



## Gallery 463

Muggles used bezoars as antidotes to poison for hundreds of years before making them by hand. They called them goa stones, after the region of India they come from!

what mythical creatures do you see?



Harry saved Ron's life with a bezoar (a stone from a goat's stomach).

ground up emeralds, rubies, gold, coral, and narwhal tusk!



Though not a parselmouth, as the goddess of the hunt Diana has the ability to control and speak with animals, and is accompanied by a stag. This figurine is both a cup and an automaton! Its wind up mechanism allows it to wheel across the table on its own as if charmed.

that would be perfect for astronomy class!



Dumbledore would've loved the objects in this case for his office! Especially this astrolabe, which shows the constellations of the night sky and the animals they represent.

## Gallery 520

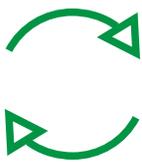
## Gallery 113



there are dozens of wands in the Met's collection!

*wand motions for...*

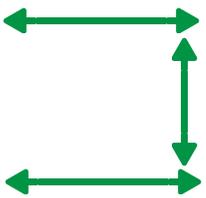
healers



scorpion charmers



protectors of children



carved on the wands are the creatures and spirits fighting things for you!



## Gallery 374



I avoided the basilisk just like the Greek hero Perseus who avoided Medusa's deadly gaze by using his shield as a mirror when moving around corners!

Did you know? Basilisks are traditionally half scorpion - half rooster.

