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This is a map of the world. Do you know where we are located on the map?
Light Green is North America. We live in North America.
Let’s look at some ancient art in North America.
Artist: n/a
Title: Colossal head
Medium: Basalt
Size: height 7'5" (2.26 m)
Date: Olmec culture, c. 900–400 BCE
Source/Museum: La Venta, Mexico
Artist: n/a
Title: Pyramid ("el Castillo") with Chacmool in foreground, Chichen Itza
Medium: n/a
Size: n/a
Date: Itza (northern Maya) culture, 9th–13th century CE; Chacmool, 800–1000 CE
Source/Museum: Yucatan, Mexico. / Library, Getty Research Institute, Los Angeles. Wim Swaan Photograph Collection (96, p.21)
Artist: n/a
Title: Feather headdress of Moctezuma
Medium: Quetzal, macaw, and other feathers on a reed frame
Size: n/a
Date: Before 1519
Source/Museum: Museum für Völkerkunde, Vienna
Artist: n/a
Title: Great Serpent Mound
Medium: n/a
Size: Length approx. 1,254' (328.2 m)
Date: c. 1070 CE
Source/Museum: Adams County, Ohio
Pomo Indians from our neighborhoods, Dance is an art and the beautiful regalia is another art form.
Pomo Indian basket:
Pomo Indian Basket: side
Artist: n/a
Title: Feathered wedding basket
Medium: Willow, bulrush, fern, feather, shells, glass beads
Size: height 5 ½" (14 cm), diameter 12" (36.5 cm)
Date: c. 1877
Eskimos from far northern America.
North Western Indians made Totem Poles out of trees. They can mean a variety of things including celebrations and sad moments. They all tell stories.
Empire State Bldg. New York City in New York on the East Coast. (refer to map to show east coast of North America)
This is the famous building King Kong first climbed. It was the tallest building in the world. Now, the tallest building is in the Middle East in Asia.
It is called Dubai Tower and it is 200 stories high.
South America in Dark Green
South America is Dark Green
Rio de Janeiro Brazil. Can you see people at the bottom of the statue?
Artist: n/a  
Title: Machu Picchu  
Medium: n/a  
Size: n/a  
Date: 1450–1530  
Source/Museum: Inca, Peru

This was once home to royalty and held 750 people. It was probably built for Inca, (a tribe of Central America,) aristocracy after the Spanish conquest in 1532.
Artist: n/a
Title: Tunic
Medium: Wool and cotton
Size: 35 ⅞ X 30" (91 X 76.5 cm)
Date: c. 1500

I wish I could show you how tightly these are woven. This Tunic, or we also call poncho’s, are woven so they repel water.
Artist: n/a
Title: Llama
Medium: Cast silver with gold and cinnabar
Size: 9 X 8½ X 1¾" (22.9 X 21.6 X 4.4 cm)
Date: 15th century
Source/Museum: Inca, From Bolivia or Peru, found near Lake Titicaca, Bolivia. / American
This may have been used as a toy for royal or aristocratic children.
Hands at the *Cuevas de las Manos* upon *Río Pinturas*, near the town of Perito Moreno in Santa Cruz Province, Argentina.

*Cueva de las Manos*, over 10,000 years old, is among the oldest evidence of indigenous culture in the Americas. Argentina.
Europe is in Red, Attached to Asia and very close to Africa.
Europe
The Mona Lisa was painted in Italy and France. Leonardo Da Vinci was the artist who painted her in 1503. That’s over 500 years old. He kept this painting with him all his life. He worked for the King off France late in his life and died in France.
You can see the painting when you go to Paris, France, at the Louvre Museum.
London’s House of Parliament and Big Ben
Eiffel Tower in Paris
Manuscript painting
This was when handmade books were being made before the invention of the printing press by a man named Guttenberg in 1440. Up until that time books were all hand painted and hand written.
Hand written books existed in all other Continents too.
Buckingham Palace.
This is where the queen of England lives.
Castle in the sky
Neuschwanstein

King Ludwig had this castle built for him. Walt Disney used it as a model for his magic kingdom at Disneyland.

Architectural style Neo-Gothic Revival
Location Schwangau, Germany
Owner Bavarian Palace Department
Started 5 September 1869 Completed c.1892 (unfinished)
Architect Eduard Riedel
Civil engineer Eduard Riedel, Georg von Dollmann, Julius Hofmann
thumb|Castillo de Hades de Saint Seiya Other designers Ludwig II, Christian Jank
Asia is Orange. Asia is attached to Europe.
Asia includes the Middle East, India, China, Russia, Japan, and more countries.
Chinese Brush Calligraphy. This master calligrapher is painting while wearing a white shirt and tie.
Friendship
Poems and letters (Chinese _classic_ Huai-nan-tzu_ on reverse side. Known as _Akihagi-jo.

Tang Dynasty. China **Foo Dog, Fu Dog or Lion Dog**

The lions are always presented in pairs, with the male on the left and the female on the right. The male lion has his right paw on an embroidered ball (绣球), which is sometimes carved with a geometric pattern known in the West as the "Flower of life". The female lion is essentially identical, but has a single cub under her left paw, representing the cycle of life. Symbolically, the female fu lion protects those dwelling inside, while the male guards the structure. Sometimes the female has her mouth closed, and the male open. This symbolizes the enunciation of the sacred word "om". However, Japanese adaptations state that the male is inhaling, representing life, while the female exhales, representing death. Other styles have both lions with a single large pearl in each of their partially opened mouths. The pearl is carved so that it can roll about in the lion's mouth but sized just large enough so that it can never be removed.
Foo Dog, Mother
Ukeyo-o Print
View of Mount Fuji from Harajuku, part of the *Fifty-three Stations of the Tōkaidō* series by Hiroshige, published 1850
The Great Wave of Kanga. Note: Mt. Fuji in the background.
Chinese Painting
Detail. Can you find this detail in the previous picture?
Ganeshe is one of India's most popular Gods. Hindu people pray to the God Ganeshe for many things. He is also the God of Scholars.
Gopura, India. These are Hindu temples in India. They are covered in statuary.

**The Meenakshi Temple**

The *Gupta Empire*, which ruled the Indian subcontinent from 320 to 550 AD, ushered in a *golden age* of Indian civilization. It will forever be remembered as the period during which literature, science, and the arts flourished in India as never before. ...
Detail of Indian Temple
Detail of Meenakshi Temple.
Taj Mahal, India.
The Taj Mahal, Crown of the Palace, is an ivory-white marble mausoleum on the south bank of the Yamuna river in the Indian city of Agra. It was commissioned in 1632 by the Mughal emperor Shah Jahan (reigned from 1628 to 1658) to house the tomb of his favorite wife, Mumtaz Mahal; it also houses the tomb of Shah Jahan himself. The tomb is the centerpiece of a 17-hectare (42-acre) complex, which includes a mosque and a guest house, and is set in formal gardens bounded on three sides by a crenellated wall.
At 2,716 feet, the Burj Khalifa in Dubai has reigned as the world's tallest building since 2010.
Africa is Yellow
African art is plentiful with many diverse cultures. Egypt is in Africa.
This is a belt buckle carved from ivory. It is the portrait sculpture of a Benin queen. Benin was an ancient culture of Africa and a very powerful country. The culture and country still exist on Africa’s East Coast. The country is much smaller now.
Fang Mask, Louvre

Representing 2 different people, what are the differences about each side? Who do you think these people represent?
The mosque is located in the city of Djenné, Mali, on the flood plain of the Bani River. The first mosque on the site was built around the 13th century, but the current structure dates from 1907. As well as being the centre of the community of Djenné, it is one of the most famous landmarks in Africa.

**Completed:** 1907

It is made from mud bricks and must be repaired each year after the rains. It is the largest mud brick structure in the world.
These are the great Pyramids of Egypt. The tallest is the equivalent of a 40 story building. They are about 5,000 years old.
This is the way the Egyptians buried their dead. They were wrapped in linens and that was called the mummy. What you are looking at is the sarcophagi’s that the mummy would be placed in. Then, the sarcophagus was laid inside a stone tomb.
Africa has many faces.
Purple is oceana which includes the Philippines, Australia, and New Zealand.
The large continent here is Australia surrounded by many independent islands.
Boats like this were used for moving between islands. They were used for trade, moving people and war.
What do you think these are for? They come from islands off the coast of Australia
This photograph is to look at just for fun.
This is the Sydney Opera House in Australia. Its roofs are made to look like sails in the wind.
Video of artwork in Shanghai China airport.

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video of a light festival in London, England
The End