

# SATURDAY ACTIVITIES

## Egyptian carvings

This ancient Egyptian column, from around 3,000 years ago, is covered with picture writing known as hieroglyphs. Fill in the column by doodling more picture writing.

## Stone symmetry

This ancient Persian column once stood in the Hall of Hundred Columns in Iran. Each column had either two bulls, dragons, men or eagles at the top. Can you draw the other half of this column?

## Spot it

These ancient Greek columns, carved into the shape of a woman, are known as caryatids. Can you spot five differences between them?

## Telling a story

This column tells the story of an ancient Roman war. Can you match the right label to each picture, writing the letters in the circles? You read the column from bottom to top.

Some things to add:



ibis, a bird associated with writing and wisdom



ankh, which symbolizes life



sun god Ra, often shown as a scarab beetle



reeds, which grow by the River Nile



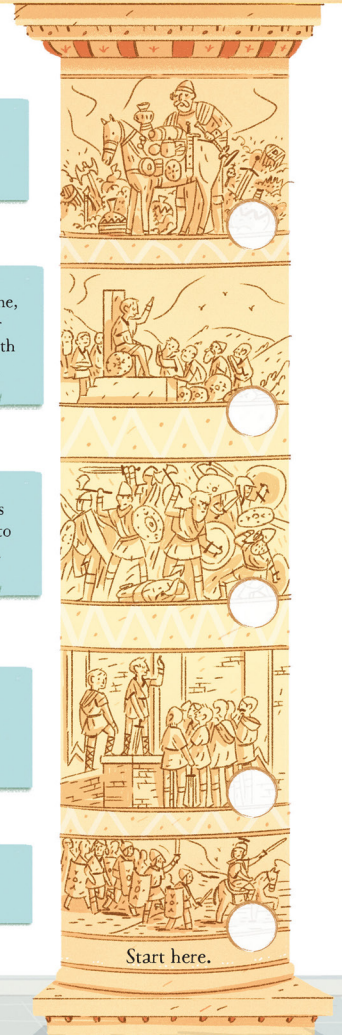
A. The two sides fight.

B. On his way home, a Roman soldier loads a donkey with enemy treasure.

C. Roman troops cross the river into enemy territory.

D. The Roman Emperor gives a speech.

E. The enemy surrenders.



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