

Today

at the Phoenix Art Museum I will...

- 1** Pick up an “I’m Here...with Kids” guide. Not knowing where to start is okay. Use this guide to begin your trip with an overview of museum etiquette. And remember, you’re here to have fun!
- 2** Play a game of Art I Spy. “I spy with my little eye...” What do you see? Take turns describing artworks in the museum. Our Thorne Miniature Rooms are a great place to start!
- 3** Build vocabulary. Describe artworks using nouns, verbs, and adjectives. See who can make the longest list of descriptive words. How many of those are nouns? Verbs? Adjectives?
- 4** Tell a story. Look at artwork by Philip C. Curtis. His dreamlike settings and characters are perfect for storytelling. Take turns acting as different characters to create your own story from his paintings.
- 5** Get creative. Some artworks in the museum have a title. For others the artist has chosen to leave them “untitled”. Before you read the label, make up your own title for an artwork in the museum. Talk about why you chose the new name.

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There's always a place for education.

Amazing things are happening in schools throughout Arizona, but learning doesn't just happen in the classroom. Simple everyday activities can be turned into opportunities to teach a child something new and wonderful and prepare them for success in school. On the other side of this sheet are ways you can support your child's literacy skills while you are here today.

Arizona is the proud home of many amazing arts and cultural venues, providing countless educational opportunities for kids and adults to learn together. Expect More Arizona has partnered with the following organizations across the state to show parents how to experience each venue with their children in rich and meaningful ways.

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