

website for game play

STUDENTS WILL ACCESS THE GAME IN
THEIR BROWSER - NO PREP FOR YOU,
JUST SHARE THE URL!



You've been digging around at the castle of Chambord in France. You found a box hidden away, under the amazing spiral staircase. Nobody knows what's inside it, but it must be important - it's got several locks on it. You know that Leonardo DaVinci lived the final years of his life in this area - maybe this was his box! Can you solve the clues to open the locks and find out what's inside?

The Renaissance

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* Required

12-letter lock (ALL CAPS) *



teacher guide and instructions

DETAILED GUIDE ON HOW TO PLAY AND
WHAT KEY UNLOCKS EACH LOCK. GIVE
YOUR STUDENTS SUPPORT AS NECESSARY
BASED ON TIME AND ABILITY.

On the science page, students
Clicking on this will take them to
HELIOCENTRIC, which will

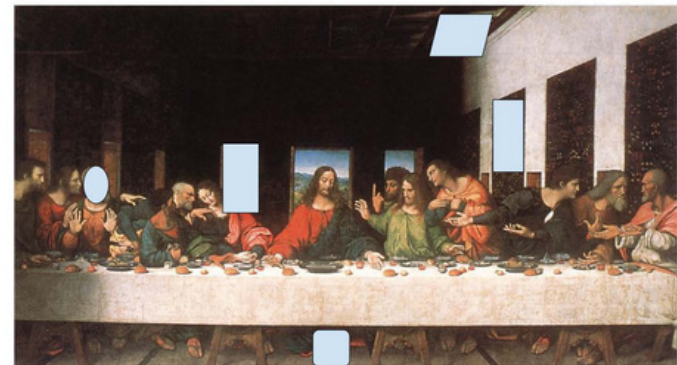
Science

Home page

When students open the home page, you will see a header image, a DaVinci painting of The Last Supper and a form where students will enter the combinations to open the lock.

To get to the other clues, they will need to look closely at the photo while scrolling their mouse over it. There are five links hidden in the letter. When they scroll over a hidden link, the hand icon will show up and it will be clickable.

The links are hidden over the spaces that are blue in the image below. Students will NOT see the blue bubbles, this is just here for you to use as a reference in case you need to give hints to any students who are struggling to get started. Don't tell them where all five are located - just help them find one and they should be able to find the rest on their own!



topics included:

Exploration

On this page, students will see an image of Marco Polo. Clicking on the book he is holding will take them to a page with biographical information. They can read about the travels of Marco Polo and are looking for the word XANADU, which will open the 6-letter word lock.

The Printing Press

This page will show an image of Gutenberg's printing press. Clicking on the paper on the press will open a google sheet. Once they open it, they will be prompted to log in to a google account in order to use the sheet.

The first question on the sheet is the name of the first Bible printed. Once the word 'Gutenberg' is typed into the cell, it should click on the link, as it will tell them the answer.

They will need to find:

When was the first Bible published (1455)
How many years did it take to complete printing
How many pounds did each Bible weigh (14)
How many copies are still in existence (21)
How many copies were in the original print run? (180)

The spreadsheet will do the calculation of $1455 \times 3 + 14 \times 21 - 180$ to give the lock combination 91779. If students put answers in the wrong column, get the wrong answer, or erase the formula in any of the cells in column C, it won't calculate properly. If this happens, have them close the sheet and open a new copy.

Leonardo daVinci

On the image of daVinci, students will click on his hat. This will take them to a biography about him. They are looking for the date on which daVinci first met Francois I - 12/19/1515. This will open the date lock.

Science

On the science page, students will see a photo of Copernicus holding a model of the sun and earth. Clicking on this will take them to a page about Copernicus' theory. They are looking for the word HELIOCENTRIC, which will open the 12-letter lock.

Art

On this page the students will see a painting by Perugino. Clicking on the left arch will take them to a video about the art of the Renaissance. They are looking for the word PERSPECTIVE, which will open the 11-letter word lock.



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