

NASSAU COUNTY MUSEUM OF ART

OUTDOOR ADVENTURES: SCULPTURE SEARCH

Welcome! We are so glad you are here.

Discover the magnificent world of art that surrounds you as you make your way to the museum, which was once the home of Childs and Frances Frick and their four children.

Step into the beautiful formal gardens just to the left of the parking lot.

The garden was designed in the 1920s for the Frick Family.

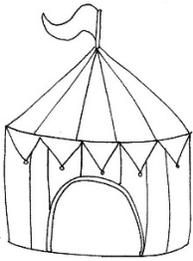
Close your eyes: What do you *hear*? Take a deep breath: What do you *smell*? Look around you: What do you *see*?

Use the clues below to find the SCULPTURES! You may begin on the red brick path.

Her body goes one way but her head's turned around
Is she running away? Did she hear a strange sound?
She's traveling on something which has two round wheels.
When you look at her face can you tell how she feels?

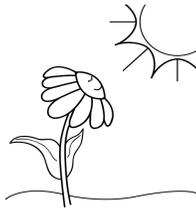


Does this work of art seem active or still? What do you see to make you say so? Work together to come up with a story about the figure.



A balancing act that looks pretty neat.
A child is sitting on her strong mother's feet!
If you keep looking up you may feel some alarm,
As the little ones sit on their big sister's arms!

If you were in a circus with your family what would your act be?



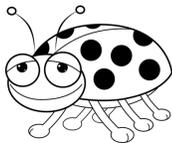
When the sun is shining brightly, my face will stay cool.
Shaded not by the trees, oh no, don't be fooled.
You might say when you find me, "Well, what on earth is THAT?"
Because on top of my head is a very large _____!

Take turns coming up with adjectives to describe the figure's hat.

With arms stretched out like branches of a tree,
Someone is sitting way up high— can you see?
In the arms of whom? A mother? A friend?
What kind of message does this sculpture send?



Who do you think these figures are?? Why do you think the sculptor named this work Caring?



They are both very round, from their head to their toes,
They have eyes and a mouth but they don't have a nose!
One says to the other, "Take my hand, join me honey,
As we dance and we smile on our big bag of _____!"

How can you tell this couple is happy? What makes you want to dance?

I'm as tall as a tree and I stand very still.
You can't see my face, and you never ever will.
When you get very close it will become known
That I am made of not metal, or of wood, but of _____!

How do you feel when you stand just like me?



Now stand in front of Mr. and Mrs. Frick's house and look at the façade, or face, of the building.

The house was built in 1900!

How many *shapes* can you name? Do you notice any *patterns*? How many *windows* do you see?

Now go in and enjoy the exhibitions! Don't forget to ask for a Family Guide once you're in!