

## Museum Materials and Resources On Asia for Educators

The following is a list of fourteen major museums in the United States that offer resources and materials on Asia for educators at all levels. This list was compiled by Melissa Rockefeller, Education Assistant, Japan Society, New York.

The Art Institute of Chicago  
Department of Museum Education  
111 South Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60603-6110  
312-443-7290  
www.artic.edu  
Contact: Jeanne Poole

Slide packets; poster packets; computer programs; resource center; workshops for educators.

Asian Art Museum  
Education Department  
Golden Gate Park  
San Francisco, CA 94118  
415-379-8710  
www.asianart.org  
Contact: Rose Roberto

Slide sets; resource packets; written materials for teachers; maps and chronologies; videos; coloring books; hands-on kits (loan only); school programs and tours; workshops for educators.

Birmingham Museum of Art  
Education Department  
2000 8th Avenue North  
Birmingham, AL 35203  
205-254-2571  
www.artsbma.org

Teacher packet on Japan; lending video library; hands-on culture cases for China, Japan and Korea (loan only); school tours.

Boston Children's Museum  
300 Congress Street  
Boston, MA 02210  
617-426-6500 ex.233 and 235  
Contacts: Leslie Swartz and Shoko Kashiyama

Teaching kits; curriculum materials; videos; teacher resource center; workshops for educators; some materials available through the Museum Shop, annotated bibliography.

Boston Museum of Fine Arts  
Department of Education and Public Programs  
465 Huntington Avenue  
Boston, MA 02115  
617-369-3300  
www.mfa.org

Teacher booklets; workshops for educators; curriculum materials and consultation; school tours; slide library with slides on Asian collection of the museum (available

for purchase through museum store); on-line exhibitions.

The Cleveland Museum of Art  
Education Department-TRC  
11150 East Boulevard  
Cleveland, OH 44106-1797  
216-421-7340 ex. 469  
www.clemusart.com

Contact: Mary Ann Popovich  
Slide packets; videos; Teacher Resource Center; workshops for educators. Resource Center is especially strong on Japan.

Denver Art Museum  
100 West 14th Avenue Parkway  
Denver, CO 80204  
303-640-2953  
www.denverartmuseum.org  
Contact: Rogene Cuerden,  
Education Administrator

Two laminated posters on Japan (lacquer box and wood block print) with a teacher guide, activity suggestions, and information about the object; teacher workshops. Teachers' night in September.

The Field Museum  
Harris Educational Loan Center  
Roosevelt Road and Lake Shore Drive  
Chicago, IL 60605  
312-322-8853  
www.fmnh.org  
Contact: Dan Brinkmeier

Slide sets; videos; cultural experience boxes available for loan to teachers in five counties around Chicago. Some materials for sale.

Freer Gallery of Art  
Arthur M. Sackler Gallery  
Education Department  
School and Family Programs  
Smithsonian Institution MRC 707  
Washington, DC 20560  
202-357-4880 ex. 246  
www.si.edu/asia  
Contact: Frances Yeh

Slide packets; activity guides; videos; workshops for educators; on-line lesson plans; on-line activities for children; on-line exhibitions.

Los Angeles County Museum of Art  
Education Department  
5905 Wilshire Blvd.  
Los Angeles, CA 90036  
213-857-6512  
www.lacma.org

Teacher packets; visual resource center; evening programs for educators; school outreach programs.

Metropolitan Museum of Art  
Uris Library and Teacher Resource Center  
1000 Fifth Avenue  
New York, NY 10028  
212-570-3788  
www.metmuseum.org

The Uris Library has videos and teacher packets available for a two-week loan. Must be picked up. The bookstore sells videos and museum bulletins on Asian art. Workshops for educators. On-line exhibitions.

Pacific Asia Museum  
46 North Los Robles Avenue  
Pasadena, CA 91101  
626-449-2742 ex. 31  
Contact: Lucia Yang  
Education Coordinator

Teacher packets on previous and current exhibitions; teacher workshops; school outreach programs.

Seattle Art Museum  
Seattle Asian Art Museum  
P.O. Box 22000  
Seattle, WA 98112-9700  
206-654-3124  
www.sam.tripl.org  
Contact: Louisa Schrier

Curriculum units on Japan and China; teacher workshops; Teacher Resource Center.

Spencer Museum of Art  
University of Kansas  
Lawrence, KS 66045  
785-864-4710  
www.ukans.edu  
Contact: Pat Villeneuve  
Curator of Education

Teacher packets on Asia; Japan and integrated cross-cultural teacher packets that include Asian art; teacher workshops; slide reproductions of museum collection.

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