

# THE BRITISH MUSEUM

## 1 hour at the British Museum

If you are short of time, visit these objects for an insight into the variety of our collections. To help you find them, pick up a free map from the Information Desk or a souvenir guidebook from one of the Museum shops. All objects on the list are also on the Museum Highlights audio tour, available in the Great Court.

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