

Bank of England Museum

Activity Sheet no 1 – I-Spy in the Bank

Age: <5 yrs



Put a tick in the box against each item that you find.

The Stock Office



Climb aboard the boat.
Find the jigsaws and complete them as quickly as you can.



There are two telescopes on the boat.
Can you find one of them?



The Bank used to keep a cat to help catch mice.
Can you see the cat in this room?

The Early Year (1694-1800)



We have an iron chest that is more than 300 years old. It was used to keep money safe. Can you find the iron chest?



There is a musical instrument – a violin - in the room with wooden panels.
Can you see it?

The Rotunda (1800-1946)



Ratty and Mole are two of the animals in the story 'The Wind in the Willows'.
Can you find them in a rowing boat?

Can you find a showcase with a real gold bar?
Put your hand in and try to pick it up. It weighs 13kg!

The Banknote Gallery

Can you find a lion on a banknote?
He is carrying something used to keep things safe.

The Modern Economy (1946-Today)

The Bank looks after the United Kingdom's gold.
Can you see a photograph of stacked gold bars?

Can you find a magnifying glass?

Think about everything you have seen during your visit today.
Draw a picture of your favourite thing in the Museum.

