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Travel

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LONDON

It's raining again... News that comes as no surprise to Londoners. No one leaves home without a *hat*, a *cap* or an *umbrella*. For proof, just look at *Sherlock Holmes*, a *palace guard*, even the *Queen* herself! But if you do get wet, do not despair: you will warm up nicely at the traditional *five o'clock tea*...

Big Ben

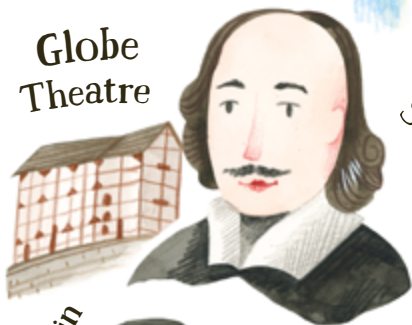


Palace of Westminster



Gherkin

Shard



Globe Theatre

William Shakespeare



Charlie Chaplin



Sherlock Holmes



Queen Elizabeth II



Oliver Twist



corgis

double-decker bus



Queen's Guard



London police



British Museum



Westminster Abbey



Tower Bridge



St Paul's Cathedral



London Underground



London taxi



London Eye



The Times newspaper

grey squirrel



Hyde Park



10 Downing Street



Francis Drake's ship

red telephone box



stables in Wimbledon district



Wimbledon tennis championship



cricket



fish and chips



five o'clock tea



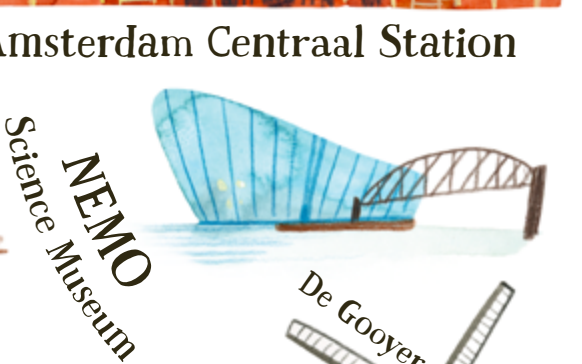
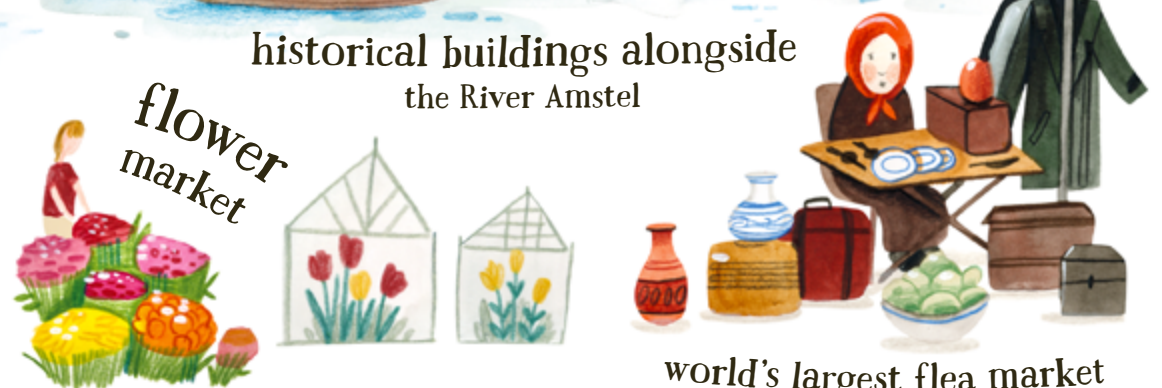
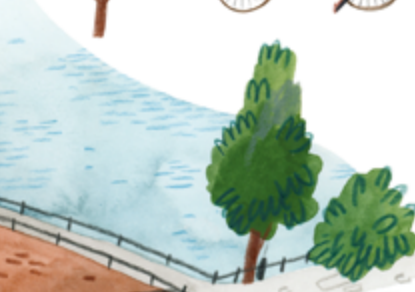
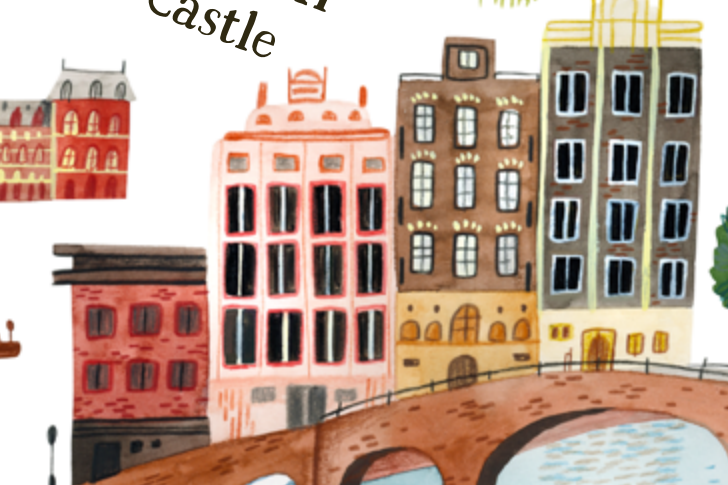
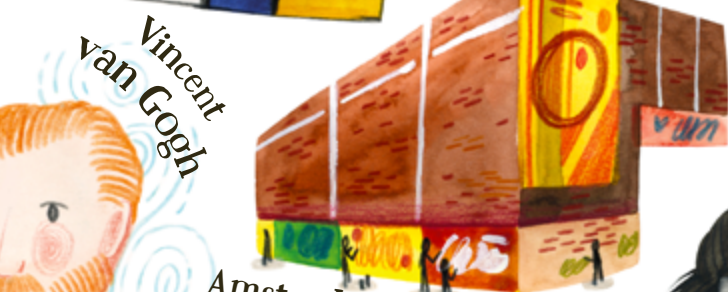
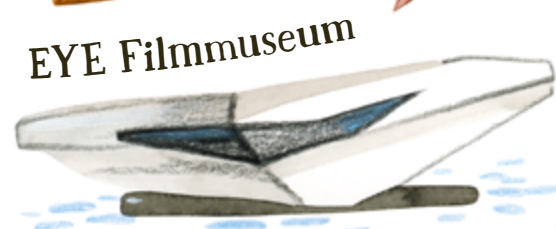
Scotch egg



cookies



London pie



AMSTERDAM

Over a bridge, across a canal or further still? In Amsterdam, you can ride your bicycle as fast as the pedals will power you, admire fields of tulips in bloom, and enjoy the wind in your hair and the squawking of seagulls. And don't forget to go to the museum for the famous painter Van Gogh, who tended to ignore tulips in favour of sunflowers!



Berlin
Television Tower

Albert
Einstein

David Bowie

beer

hops
Königsberger
Klopse

Little
Traffic-light Man

Berliner Tuba

Berlin Wall

Spandau

Copy of Ishtar
Gates

Berlin
Botanical Garden

Berlin
Philharmonic

pretzel

Currywurst

East Side
Gallery

Rixdorf

Brandenburg Gate

Oberbaum Bridge

S-Bahn urban
rail system

BERLIN

Bite on a crispy *pretzel* as you walk along the *Berlin Wall*: white concrete that once divided Berlin into two halves. Fortunately, Berlin is a single city again, and it is big enough for all, including the world's largest *orchestra* (128 musicians), famous physicist *Albert Einstein* and *Knut the polar bear*.

Classic Remise

Jewish Museum

Holocaust
Memorial

Berlin Zoo

Tiergarten
park

Kreuzberg

Victory Column

wild boar

Knut the polar bear

bear emblem

Military
History
Museum

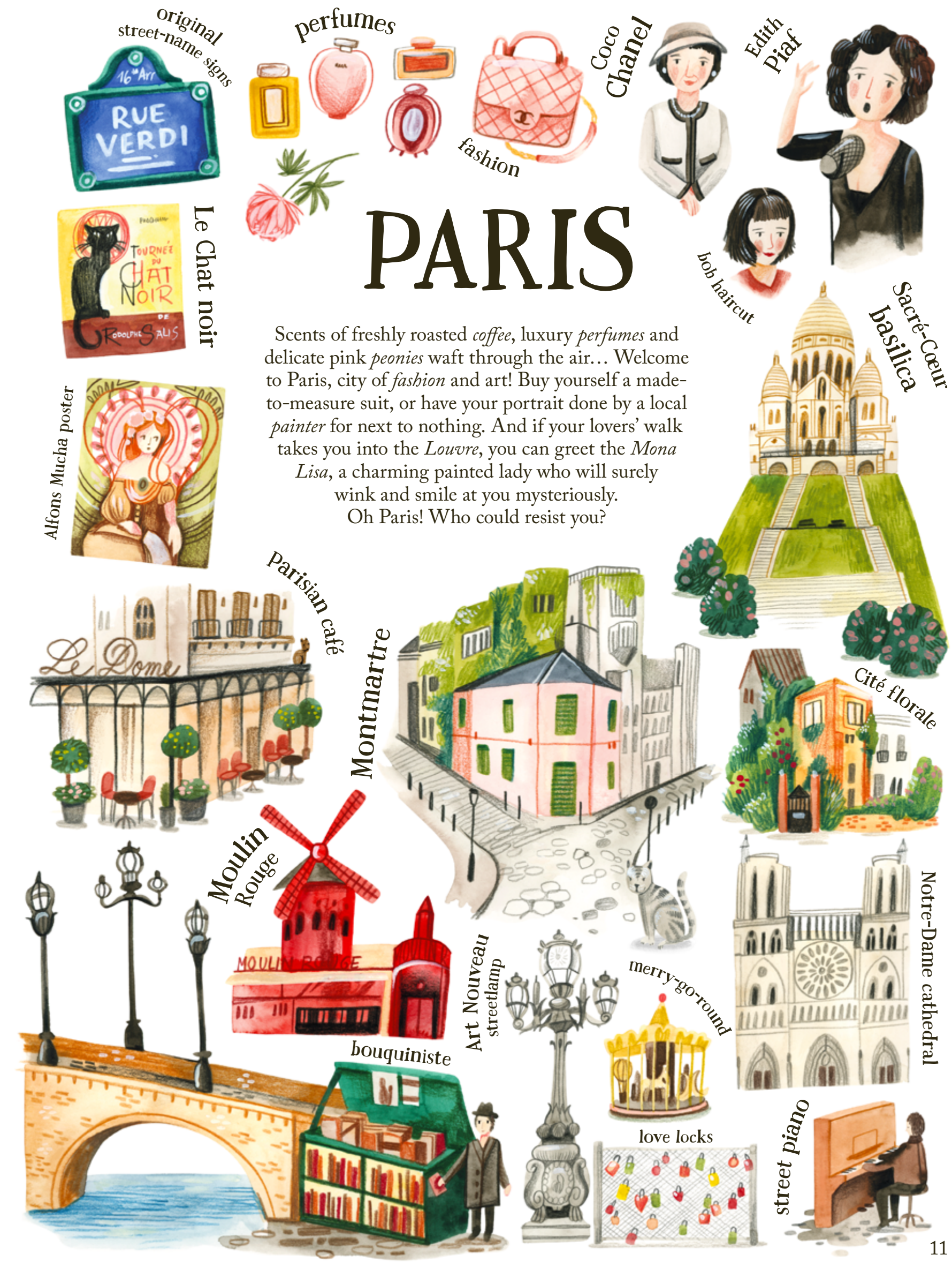
Gendarmenmarkt

Tempelhof
Airport

beer garden

Berlin
Cathedral

River
Spree



PARIS

Scents of freshly roasted *coffee*, luxury *perfumes* and delicate pink *peonies* waft through the air... Welcome to Paris, city of *fashion* and art! Buy yourself a made-to-measure suit, or have your portrait done by a local *painter* for next to nothing. And if your lovers' walk takes you into the *Louvre*, you can greet the *Mona Lisa*, a charming painted lady who will surely wink and smile at you mysteriously. Oh Paris! Who could resist you?



Vienna Zoo



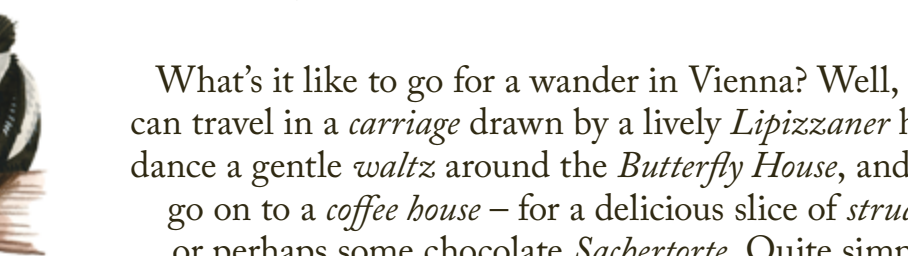
coffee houses



Schönbrunn Palace



carriage rides



Viennese waltz



Gustav Klimt



Ringstrasse tram

VIENNA

What's it like to go for a wander in Vienna? Well, you can travel in a *carriage* drawn by a lively *Lipizzaner* horse, dance a gentle *waltz* around the *Butterfly House*, and then go on to a *coffee house* – for a delicious slice of *strudel*, or perhaps some chocolate *Sachertorte*. Quite simply, if you have a sweet tooth, Vienna is sure to hit the spot!



Viennese waltz



Empress Sissi



Ludwig van Beethoven



Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart



Gustav Klimt



Johann Strauss



Lipizzaner



snow globe



Christmas market



strudel



Viennese coffee



Sachertorte



Prater amusement park



Butterfly House



Vienna City Hall



Viennese Christmas punch



toffee apple



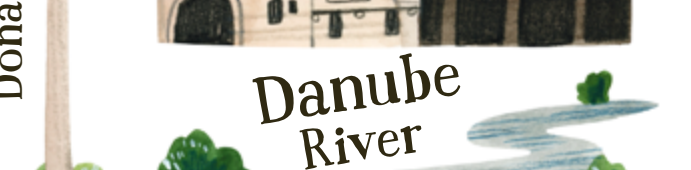
Wiener schnitzel



Imperial Carriage Museum



Hundertwasserhaus



Danube River



Belvedere



Viennese candies



first vegan ice cream



Wiener schnitzel



PRAGUE

In the *Golden Lane* of this city of a hundred *spires* you will encounter various figures from history: *kings*, *composers*, even *alchemists*. The most remarkable of all is a creature known as the *Golem*, a man-made figure of clay who allegedly passes across *Charles Bridge* every night. Echoes of his footsteps are heard as far away as the *Petřín hill*!

ROME

Ancient Rome has a sacred atmosphere of days long past. As well it should – it was home to celebrated *sculptors* and *orators* as well as eminent politicians, such as *Julius Caesar*. Today, it is the seat of the *Pope*. Phew! Thank goodness they no longer have brutal *gladiator* fights here!



giant foot



gladiators



Colosseum



Julius Caesar



spaghetti carbonara



Cicero the orator



maritozzi



Roman pizza



oranges



artichokes

black and white mosaics



gelato



Roman numerals



cypresses



Via Appia



Pantheon

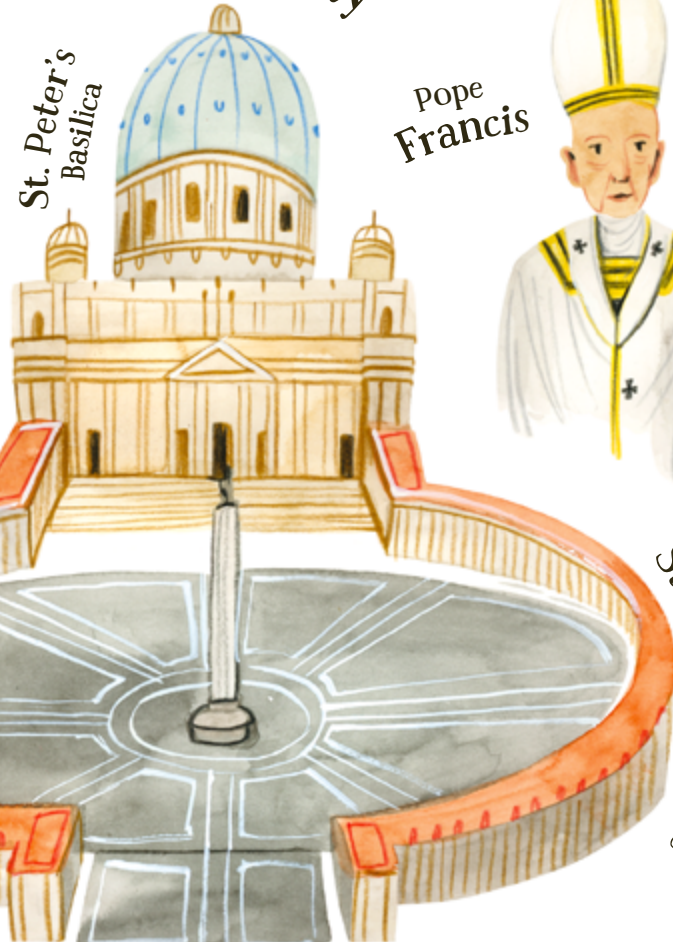


Vespa



Rome Rose Garden

Vatican City



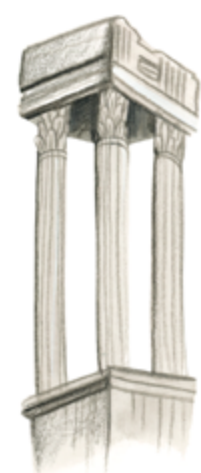
St. Peter's Basilica

Pope Francis



St. Peter's Square

Roman columns



Villa Borghese park



Roman aqueduct



Orange Trees Garden



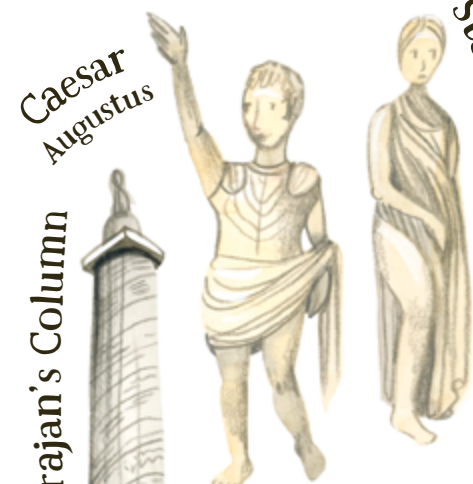
Trevi fountain



Forum Romanum

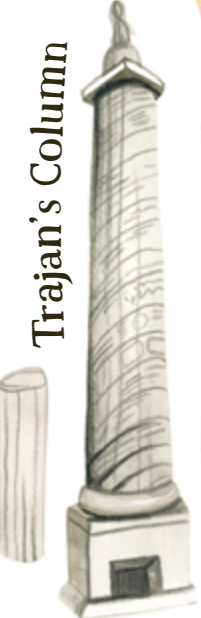


Caesar Augustus



Roman statues

Trajan's Column

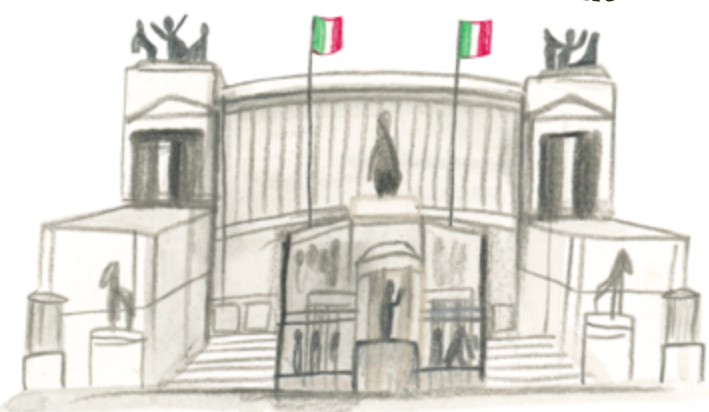


Capitoline Wolf



Romulus and Remus

Victor Emanuel II Monument



Trastevere neighbourhood





ATHENS

We race through the streets of Athens in the footsteps of the ancient Greeks. Like *Pheidippides*, the famous *marathon* runner, we run nimbly up and down the steps in the *Odeon* three times. We must be careful not to stumble – there remains a slalom around the *columns of the Parthenon* to complete! For treatment of a complicated ankle fracture, Ancient Greek physician *Hippocrates* would surely recommend modern medicine.



coloured tiles

BARCELONA

How lovely! The streets of Barcelona surround you with painted *tiles*, colourful *mosaics*, and walls that appear to be dancing. Meanwhile, there's a lot happening on the *football* pitches, where players run their socks off in pursuit of the ball while the fans cry, 'Hurray! Hurray! Barcel-o-o-na!' All this cheering makes them hungry, so after the game they head off for *tapas* or a dish of *paella*.



gardens filled with cactuses

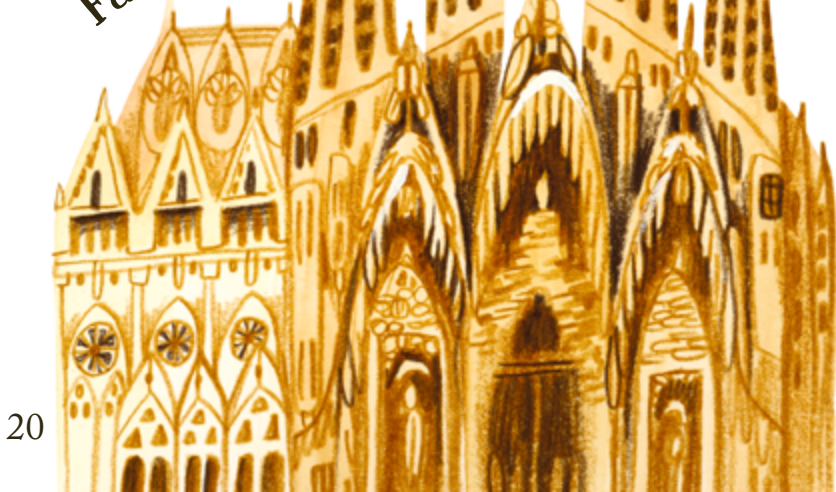


mosaics



Gothic Quarter

Sagrada Família



flamenco

La Barceloneta beach



Sopa de Galets

singing Magic Fountain



bull



Park Güell



Palace of Catalan Music



crema Catalana



tapas



paella



La Boqueria market

La Rambla



Casa Batlló



cubism



Sagrada Cor



skateboarders

football



street in El Born quarter



Casa Milà







Take a fascinating painted journey through the world's most picturesque cities! Experience London in the rain, Kyoto in bloom and sun-scorched Cairo as if they were in the palm of your hand. Board a red double-decker, and zigzag through crowds in a tuk-tuk. In the snowy north, head off on a dog sled, having first scratched the ears of each cute member of its team. Stroll along streets steeped in history, admire ancient monuments and wonders of modern architecture, taste local delicacies one after another... Do you know where the famous croissant comes from? Any idea where the first jeans were made? Where did chewing gum first see the light of day? Or the Nobel Prize? Get to know the answers in our richly illustrated guide.

