

## MOSH SCAVENGER HUNT

Answers may be found in exhibits labels or from your own observations.  
Allow students at least 60 min to complete this activity.

### NATURAL HISTORY – 1<sup>ST</sup> FLOOR

Skeletons:

1. How many ribs does a frog have? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What purpose does a Narwhal's tusk serve? \_\_\_\_\_

Small Worlds:

3. Who is considered the Father of Microbiology? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Name one difference and one similarity

between an animal and plant cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Oxbow Lake:

5. In which habitat are you likely to find a box turtle? \_\_\_\_\_

Insects:

6. Which has feathery antennae, a moth or butterfly? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Name a phase of metamorphosis: \_\_\_\_\_

Mid-South Mammals:

8. Write down one fact about a shrew: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Name 3 species of bat found in the Mid-South: \_\_\_\_\_

Geology:

10. According to the display, how old are meteorites? \_\_\_\_\_

11. The Mid-South is in which earthquake zone? \_\_\_\_\_

12. What is the scientific name for fool's gold? \_\_\_\_\_

Dinosaurs and Mosasaurs:

13. Is a Mosasaur a dinosaur? \_\_\_\_\_

14. What bones were found at Nonconnah Creek? \_\_\_\_\_

Bonus: The *tsantsa* (“shrunk head”) is from what continent?

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## CULTURAL HISTORY- 2<sup>ND</sup> FLOOR

Native Americans:

15. Name one way Native American’s used their pottery: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name one indigenous nation from our region: \_\_\_\_\_

17. Name one type of early photography: \_\_\_\_\_

Slavery:

18. What crop were slaves forced to harvest? \_\_\_\_\_

Historic Log Cabin:

19. What is the first step in building a log cabin? \_\_\_\_\_

20. What was kept near the chimney in case of fire? \_\_\_\_\_

Civil War:

21. What color uniforms did confederate soldiers wear? \_\_\_\_\_

22. What’s the difference between shots & shells?

Shot: \_\_\_\_\_

Shell: \_\_\_\_\_

From Saddlebags to Science:

**23. List three treatments early physicians used**

**to treat their patients:**

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**24. What insect spreads Yellow Fever?**

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**25. What was the last name of the four African-American**

**siblings who graduated from Meharry Medical College**

**and practiced in Memphis in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century?**

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**Bonus: What is the name of the man who had the Pink Palace Mansion built?**

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Each question is worth 4 points. Bonus is worth 5 points.