



THE BRUNEL DETECTIVE TRAIL

Work together as a family and follow the detective trail. First you will need to find the object and there is a clue to help you. When you find it, tick the box and then answer the question.

You will need to move around the different parts of the museum: the piazza, the gardens and the old engine house. Enjoy!

1. Find this statue of Marc Brunel Hint: You need to look up! Q: Why did Marc Brunel decide to build a tunnel under the River Thames? A:	4. Find this commemorative mug Hint: It's in a big glass case! Q: In what year did the Thames Tunnel open? A:
2. Find the cross-section model of the shaft and tunnel Hint: It is very big! Q: What did Marc Brunel invent to drive the tunnel and keep the mud and water out? A:	5. Find this portrait Hint: It's enormous Q: Who is the man in the picture and how is he related to Marc Brunel? A:
3. Find the dual-layer peepshow Hint: It's made of paper and has spyholes! Q: What can you see when you look through it? A:	Q: What is he famous for? A:



6. Find the monkey puzzle tree in the garden Hint: It's quite spiky! Q: Why do you think it's called a 'monkey puzzle' tree? A:	8. Find these plants in the garden on top of the shaft. They are called 'pineapple sage' and 'blackcurrant sage'. Hint: They smell of fruit! Q: What do you think these are used for? A:
7. Find the Royal Albert Bridge in the piazza	Q: What's the difference between the two plants? A:
Hint: You can sit on it! Q: What was this bridge used for?	Did you manage to find all the objects?
A:	Well done! The Brunels would be proud!
Q: Who built it?	Write your name(s) below and give this sheet to member of staff for your prize.
A:	
Q: What other bridges can you see outside? A:	