Can you find these animals in the galleries? Some of them are tiny details in much bigger works. Can you guess whether the animals you find are pets or wild animals?

See reverse for more information about these works of art.
Did you know?
Below you will find some more information about the animals you just discovered.

**Animal: Elk**  
Made in: America, 1875  
Elk are one of the largest kinds of deer in the world. Though now less common, elk used to live widely in the Yosemite National Park, which is the subject of this painting.

**Animal: Jaguar**  
Made in: Peru, 300-600 CE  
This black, shiny cat-shaped vessel may represent a Jaguar, which are native to the Amazon rainforest. Notice the sharp teeth visible in the open mouth! Does he look friendly - or ready to pounce?

**Animal: Donkey**  
Made in: Holland, ca. 1645-50  
This painting depicts travelers in an Italian landscape. Donkeys were domesticated thousands of years ago and are important pack animals, which means people use them to carry heavy loads. What do you think the donkeys in this painting are carrying?

**Animal: Sphinx**  
Made in: France, 1780  
You must have looked very hard to have seen the sphinx on top of the man’s helmet in the middle of this painting! Sphinxes are fierce mythical creatures that have human heads but the bodies of winged lions.

**Animal: Cat**  
Made in: Italy, ca. 1577  
For a long time in Europe cats were very unpopular; when this was painted people had just begun to keep cats as pets. What do you think this cat is looking at?

**Animal: Dog**  
Made in: Netherlands, ca. 1700  
Dogs have been kept as pets for thousands of years. This one has wandered into a church. There’s one more dog in this painting - can you find it?

**Animal: Cat**  
Made in: Egypt, 664-332 BCE  
Cats were revered animals in Ancient Egypt, and many Egyptians kept cats as pets. Cats were also an important part of Egyptian religion and were sometimes even mummified after death. There is a tiny blue monkey in the same case - can you find it?

**Animal: Dog**  
Made in: Rome, ca. 1st century CE  
Dogs were valued pets in Ancient Rome. They were prized for their skill at both guarding and hunting, and thought of as faithful and loyal animals.

**Animal: Turtle**  
Made in: Japan, 19th century  
In Japan, turtles and tortoises were symbols of longevity (long life), and are often featured in Japanese art. This turtle lives at the museum - where do turtles normally live?

**Animal: Camel**  
Made in: China, 7th-10th century  
Camels, especially the two-humped (Bactrian) kind, were important transportation animals for international trade along the Silk Routes of Asia. They could travel long distances across the desert and go for days without water.