

Children's competition #DiverThyssen

- The Museo Nacional Thyssen-Bornemisza is launching a competition for under-15's based on recreating works from its permanent collection
- Entries can be sent until 22 June



The Museo Nacional Thyssen-Bornemisza is encouraging children and teenagers to “bring its paintings to life”. This is a competition for the under-15's that will allow them to let their imaginations loose and produce their own particular versions of works in the permanent collection, either by dressing up or staging their composition with objects found at home.

The competition is open until 22 June. Participants simply need to share their entry on Instagram (under-14's on their parents' accounts) with the hashtag #DiverThyssen. Three winning entries will be selected which will receive prizes of an analogue camera and a t-shirt from the Museum's shop.

Image: Recreation of *The Virgin of the Dry Tree* (ca. 1465)
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As a starting point the museum recommends these seven paintings, but any from the permanent collection will be admitted.

Nicolaes Maes. *The Naughty Drummer* (ca. 1655); Michiel Sweerts. *Boy in a Turban holding a Nosegay* (ca. 1658 - 1661); Franz Marc. *The Dream* (1912); Edgar Degas. *Swaying Dancer (Dancer in Green)* (1877 - 1879); Piero della Francesca. *Portrait of a Boy (Guidobaldo Da Montefeltro?)* (ca. 1483); Lucas Cranach el Viejo. *Portrait of the Emperor Charles V* (1533) and Jean Baptiste Siméon Chardin. *Still Life With Cat and Fish* (1728).



Complete information on the competition can be consulted on the museum's website:

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