

Sign Detective (5 minutes)

Choose a sign in our collection to study closely. Fill out the following identification card and try to infer any information that you do not know.
You can check with a museum guide to see if your inferences are correct!

Business Name: _____

Is it a restored sign? ☐ No ☐ Yes

When do you think this sign was originally made? Circle one:
1940 1950 1960 1970 1980 1990 2000

Unique characteristics:

Describe the color combinations: _____

Describe the light fixtures: _____

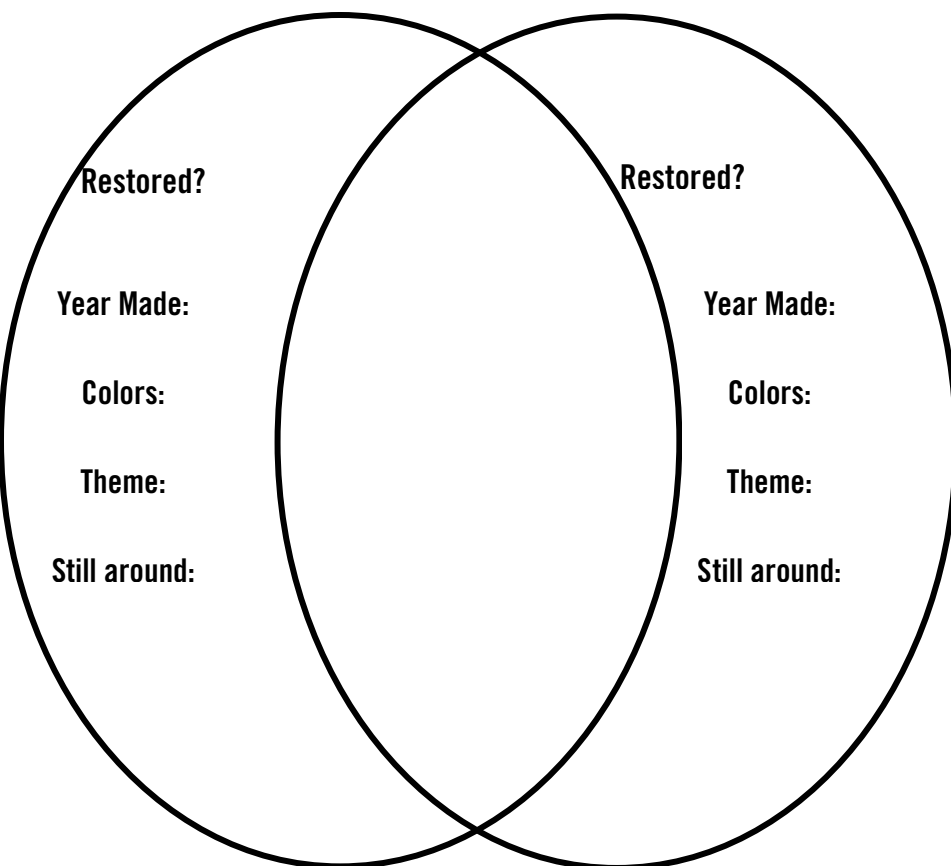
What theme do you think this sign was meant for?: _____

Do you think this business is still around today?: _____

Sign Compare and Contrast

PARTNER TIME! Choose 1 topper to study and take notes on. Then, find a partner who studied a different topper. Share your information with each other and try to note any similarities and differences in the middle.

Topper #1 Title: _____ Topper #2 Title: _____





The Neon Museum Scavenger Hunt

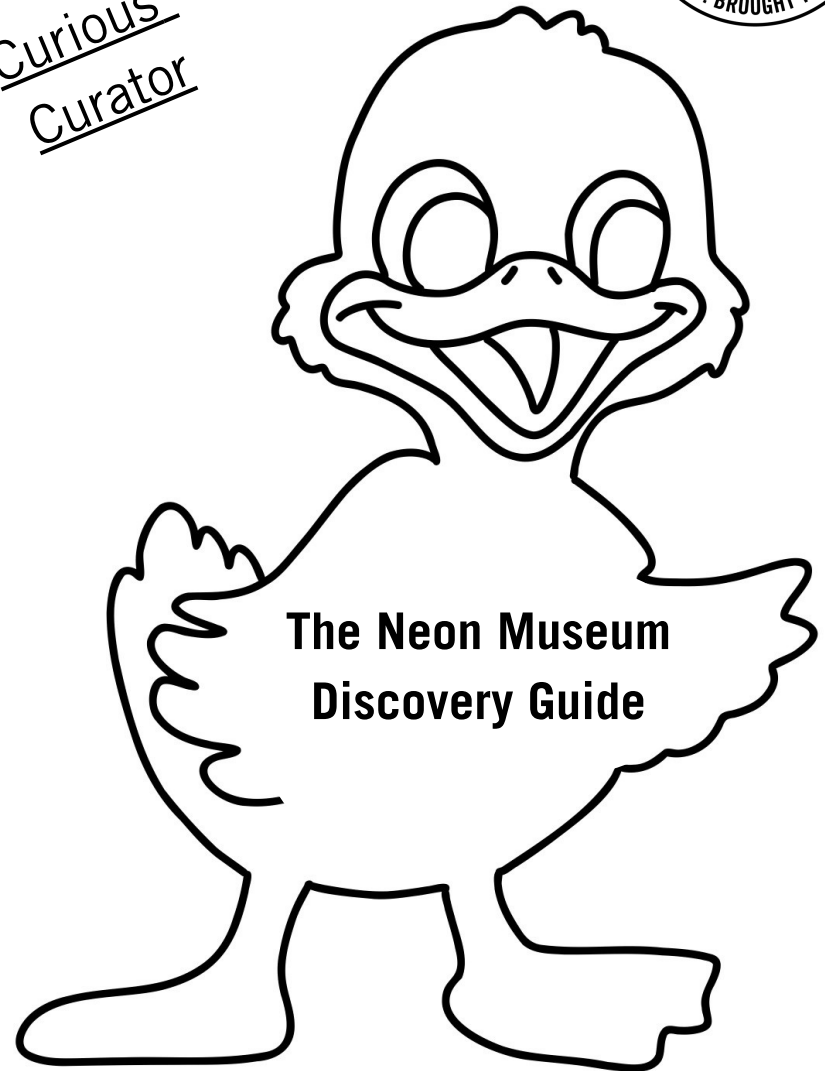
Instructions

- Explore The Neon Boneyard, observe the collection, and complete the scavenger hunt below.
- Extension: If you have a device, take a photo at each sign to document your discoveries.

Hidden Gem A sign that you think is cool, but might be overlooked. _____	Flashers A sign that utilizes flashing lightbulbs. _____	Neon A sign that utilizes neon (Hint: Neon glows red-orange). _____	Argon A sign that utilizes argon (Hint: Argon glows blue-green). _____
Expressions Find a sign that features a person or an emotion. _____	Daytime Neon A sign that is red and/or yellow. _____	Nature's Mark A sign that displays a plant or natural element. _____	Past Echoes A sign with historical significance. _____
Animation A sign that flashes lights in a pattern to mimic motion. _____	Favorite Color A sign that contains your favorite color. _____	Image ID A sign that contains no letters or words. _____	Standout Find an artifact that isn't a neon sign. _____
Restored A sign that is restored and lights up. _____	Unrestored A sign that is in and does not light up. _____	Hungry A sign that displays or advertises a food or drink. _____	Your Pick Your favorite sign from our collection. _____



Curious
Curator



Name: _____

School: _____

Date: _____