This month's scavenger hunt is all about Kemper Museum's outdoor sculptures! This artist created sculptures of spiders because they reminded her of her mother who was also clever, patient, neat, and useful. Create a drawing of an animal that shares personality traits of a family member or friend.

This sculpture references a Greek mythical story in which a hero named Bellerophon captures and tames the winged horse Pegasus. This sculpture shows Bellerophon wrestling with Pegasus. According to this artist, this story represents (symbolizes) human's power over nature. Draw a design of an outdoor public sculpture with a mythical creature or that references a mythical story.

This husband and wife team were well-known for their monumental large-scale sculptures. They also created the giant shuttlecock sculptures at the neighboring art museum, The Nelson-Atkins! This sculpture on Kemper Museum's lawn is of one of the stylish handkerchiefs often worn by the famous architect, Mies Van Der Rohe. If you were to create a large-scale sculpture of a piece of clothing or fashion accessory, what would it be?

This artist from Whichita, Kansas is well-known for his whimsical, cartoon-like public sculptures that are narratives (stories) related to culture and history. Write a story or a poem with this crying figure as the main subject.
How It Works

Step 1. Visit Kemper Museum’s outdoor sculpture garden, or use the mobile app.

Step 2. In the app, tap the tour called “Sculpture Tour.” Find the artworks you see in this scavenger hunt.

Step 3. Read, think, and talk about the information, questions, and prompts beneath each image.

Step 4. Once you have found all four artworks... you win! There is a key at the bottom of this page if you need it.

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   149 x 144½ x 69 inches, edition 3 of 3, 2006.17.01.
   Polyester gel coat and polyurethane clerestory on steel and fiber-reinforced polymers.

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Mini Sculpture Park

Thank you for participating in Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art’s Scavenger Saturday!

You’ve explored outdoor sculptures located on Kemper Museum’s lawn, and now it’s time for you to design and create a sculpture park! Take out all the materials in this art activity package. You will find a variety of materials such as air-dry clay, wire, and even a piece of artificial grass!

On the white board, use some of the supplies to create the basic design of your sculpture park thinking about what, besides sculptures, there will be such as pathways, grass, seating, and trees. Your sculpture park could even be part of a museum if you’d like! Then, use the materials to create some miniature sculptures to go in your park. Where in your city or town do you envision your sculpture park to be?

Need some inspiration? After exploring Kemper Museum’s outdoor sculptures, walk around the sculpture park at Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art. You can also type in “sculpture park” into a search engine on the internet to see different examples from around the country and world!

We’d love to see what you make! Help us create an Instagram art gallery at #kemperscavengersaturday featuring all your mini sculpture park creations!