

Civic Center Cultural Complex Scavenger Hunt

What I Know:

1. One violent conflict between Native Americans and white settlers in Colorado in the 1800s was the _____.
2. Native Americans were forced off their land and into small areas called _____ in the late 1800s and early _____.
3. At Denver's Civic Center Cultural Complex, you can visit _____, _____ and _____ (see sign for answers!).
4. I think a library is an important part of a city because _____.

I Spy: Can You Find these around the Civic Center Cultural Complex?



1. Read the sign by the Byer-Evans House Museum. Why do you think this house is important to Denver's history? _____

2. Read some of the words on the *Hock E Aye Vi Edgar Heap of Birds* Wheel.

What events in Colorado history do they refer to?

_____ and



3. What is the name of this building? _____

What is inside? _____

ANSWER KEY Civic Center Cultural Complex:

What I Know:

1. Sand Creek Massacre
2. Reservations, 1900s
3. Byer-Evans House Museum, DAM (Denver Art Museum), Denver Public Library, Colorado History Center
4. ...it is a place where anybody can go and check out books, learn new things and meet new people without paying anything (or any answer)

I Spy:

1. The Byer-Evans House Museum is important to Denver's history because William Byers printed Denver's first newspaper, *Rocky Mountain News*. The son of John Evans (second territorial governor of Colorado: Founders of the Denver Art Museum), William owned it. Margaret and Anne Evans were founders of the Denver Artist's Club, which then became the Denver Art Museum in 1924.
2. Forcing the Native Americans onto reservations and Sand Creek Massacre
3. Denver Public Library, books, cds, coffee shop, offices, archives (Answers will vary)