

SO MUCH TO SEE.

Mask



Look

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Congolese, Early-to mid-20th century

Wood with pigment

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Discover

The Suku people from the Democratic Republic of Congo made this mask. They used wood to create common items like combs and special items like this mask. The Suku people's religious ceremonies mostly revolved around their elders and their ancestors. **How do you honor your ancestors? How do you honor people older than you?**

Imagine

Imagine you have to make something special to honor an older person you know like a grandparent, aunt, uncle, or neighbor.

What would you make them?

Create

Create a mask! Use a paper plate or piece of cardboard.

Cut out holes for the eyes and decorate it to create a character.

Who will you become when your mask is on?



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