

CHARLIE RUSSELL

ACTIVITY SHEET

Charles M. Russell (1864–1926) was a renowned artist and storyteller of the Old West who called Central Montana home.

Russell’s artwork portrays the daily life of the range cowboy and the Plains Indian, the monumental landscapes of the Montana wilderness and its sovereign inhabitants - the bison, elk, bear and wolf all reflected through the artist’s personal experience during the closing days of the western frontier. Russell’s whimsical side is revealed in tiny, playful figures of gnomes, elves and caricatures fashioned out of clay, wax, plaster and bark. Step back in time as you view Charlie’s works and imagine what life was like in Montana during his lifetime.

Charlie Russell is known for painting:

Check all that apply.

- Tropical Birds
- Cowboys
- The Ocean
- Western Animals
- Plains Indians
- Space

If you could travel back in time and talk to Charlie, what would you ask him about?

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