

The Jewish Museum

Find:

Portrait of Vera List, c. 1965



Larry Rivers, *Portrait of Vera List*, c. 1965, paint, charcoal, wood, tape, Plexiglas, and aluminum frame. The Jewish Museum: Gift of Vera G. List.

Turn this card over to find a hint about where I am!

COOL fact:

A portrait is a picture of a person. Before cameras were invented, if you wanted a picture of yourself, you had to hire an artist to paint your portrait.

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Hint:

Look in the 3rd Floor galleries. From the elevator, turn left, and then left again!

**COOL!
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Now, Explore!

DURING YOUR VISIT:

- What materials did the artist use to make this picture? Can you find paint, tape, wood and a window frame?
- Tell a story about this woman. What is she thinking or feeling?
- Look at some of the other portraits in the museum. How are they the same as this one? How are they different?

Before and After Your Visit:

- Look in a mirror and draw the details that make you special: what your hair looks like, your eyes, your favorite shirt, or things you like to do.
- Look at family photos. Tell stories about the people in the photos. When were they taken? Why?



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