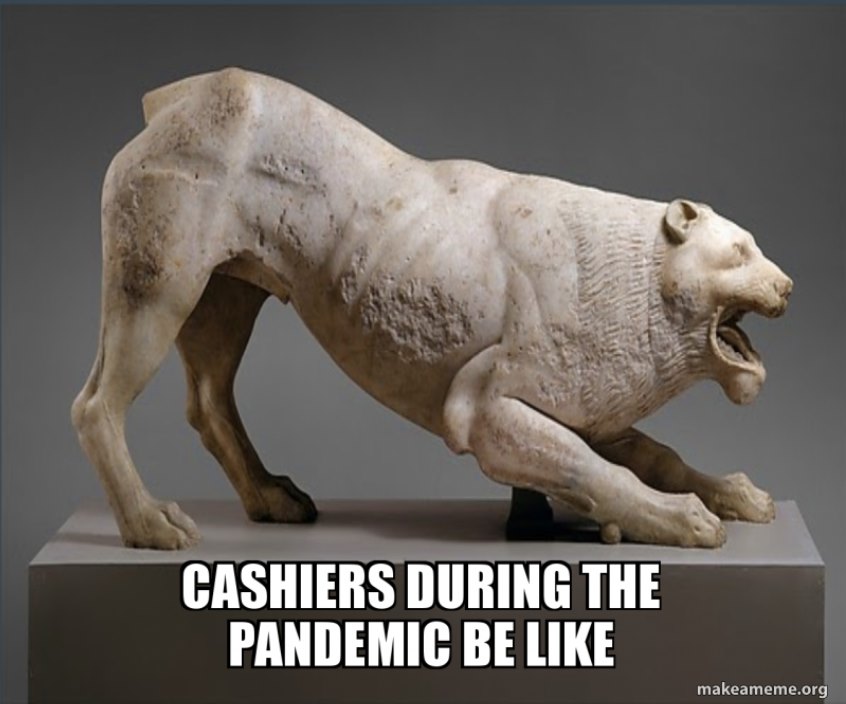
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**Covid-19 Meme Challenge**

Memes have become part of our daily lives. What makes a great meme?

The best memes…

1. are funny!
2. reflect something that is timely in the news or pop culture.

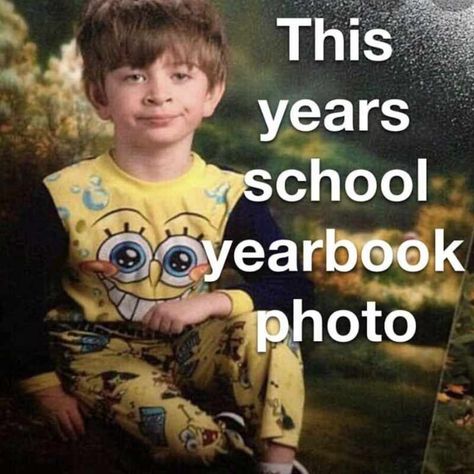
Humor can help get us through difficult times. Look at all the funny memes that have been circulating the internet since the beginning of the Corona Pandemic!



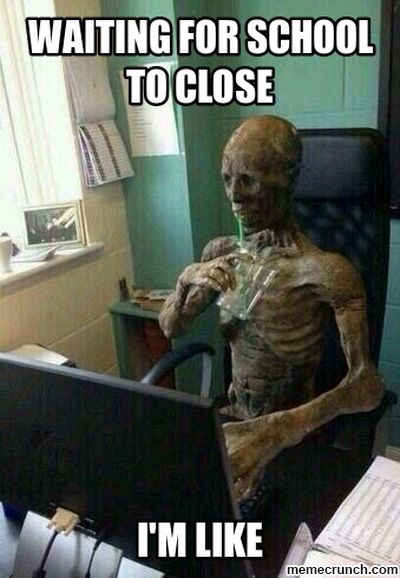


Keep going…☺











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Overview of the assignment:

1. Choose a piece of art from an online museum website and save it to your device.
2. Upload the image into an online meme generator to add your text.
3. Save your finished meme to your device and post it into our class bulletin board!

**First, choose an image and record information about it**

**You might have a caption in mind and know the type of image that would fit the text, or you might be inspired by an image you find at random!**

**Choose from one of the links below to browse the collections of famous art museums. When you find an image you want to use for your meme, hover over the image and…**

**Right-click 🡪 save as🡪 (title the image and designate location on your device to save it)**

**(If you are using a Chromebook without a mouse, a two-finger click = “right click”)**

**You must also write down**

* **The title of the art**
* **The artist’s name, (if known)**
* **The date created (if known)**
* **The museum that houses this work of art.**

**Massachusetts Museums Other Famous Museums**

The Decordova Museum and Sculpture park in Lincoln The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York

<https://decordova.org/> <https://www.metmuseum.org/toah/works/#!?time=all&geo=all&theme=all&dept=all>

The Museum of Fine Arts in Boston The Louvre, Paris

<https://www.mfa.org/> <https://www.louvre.fr/en/selections>

The Harvard Art Museums, Cambridge The Musee d’Orsay. Paris

<https://www.harvardartmuseums.org/collections?> <https://m.musee-orsay.fr/en/works.html>

The Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum in Boston

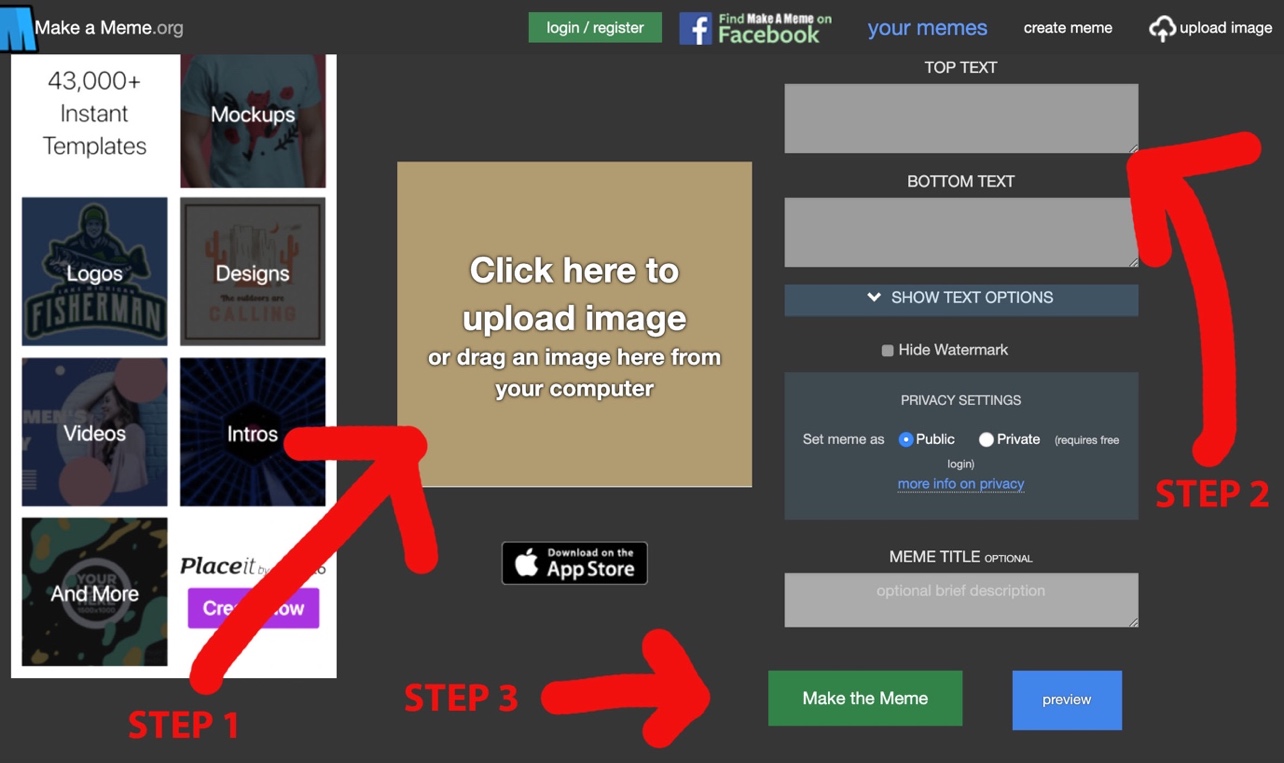
<http://www.gardnermuseum.org/>

The Peabody Essex Museum in Salem **Note: Some art has nudity! Nudity in art is not uncommon**, <https://www.pem.org/> **but please choose an image that is “school appropriate”. ☺**

**Second, create your meme!**

**OPTION 1: (Quick and Easy, but not much choice.)**

**CLICK THIS LINK:** <https://makeameme.org/memegenerator>

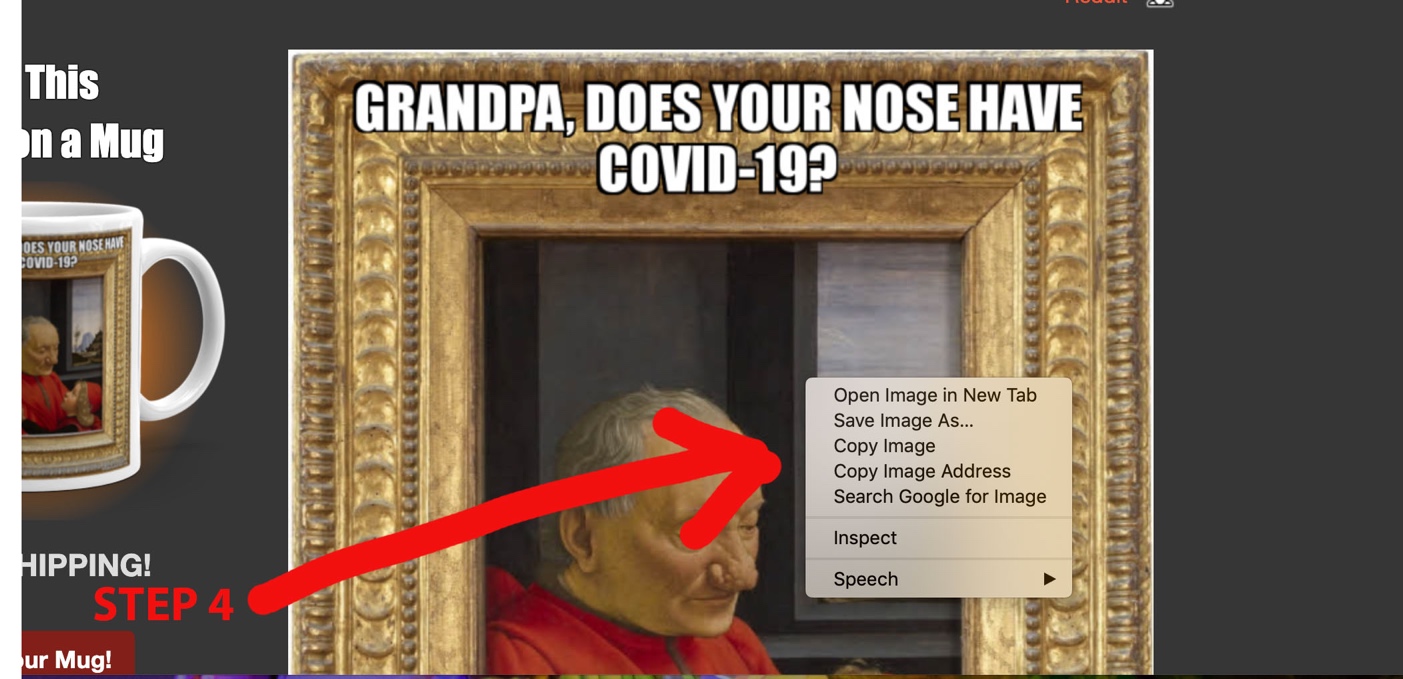


STEP 1: Upload the artwork you chose

STEP 2: Add text caption for the top and/or the bottom

STEP 3: Click “Make the Meme” to see your meme!

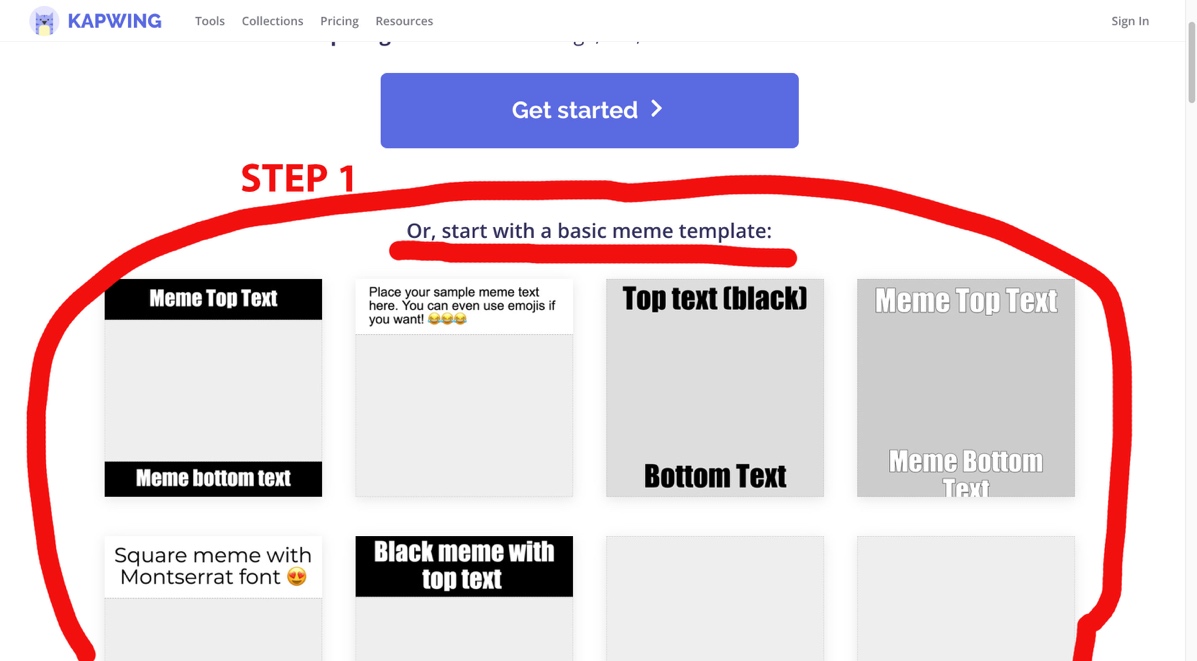
Instructions for <https://makeameme.org/memegenerator> continue on the next page…



STEP 4: Right click on your completed meme 🡪 “save image as” 🡪 title it and select location on your device.

**OPTION 2: (A bit harder, but more design options!)**

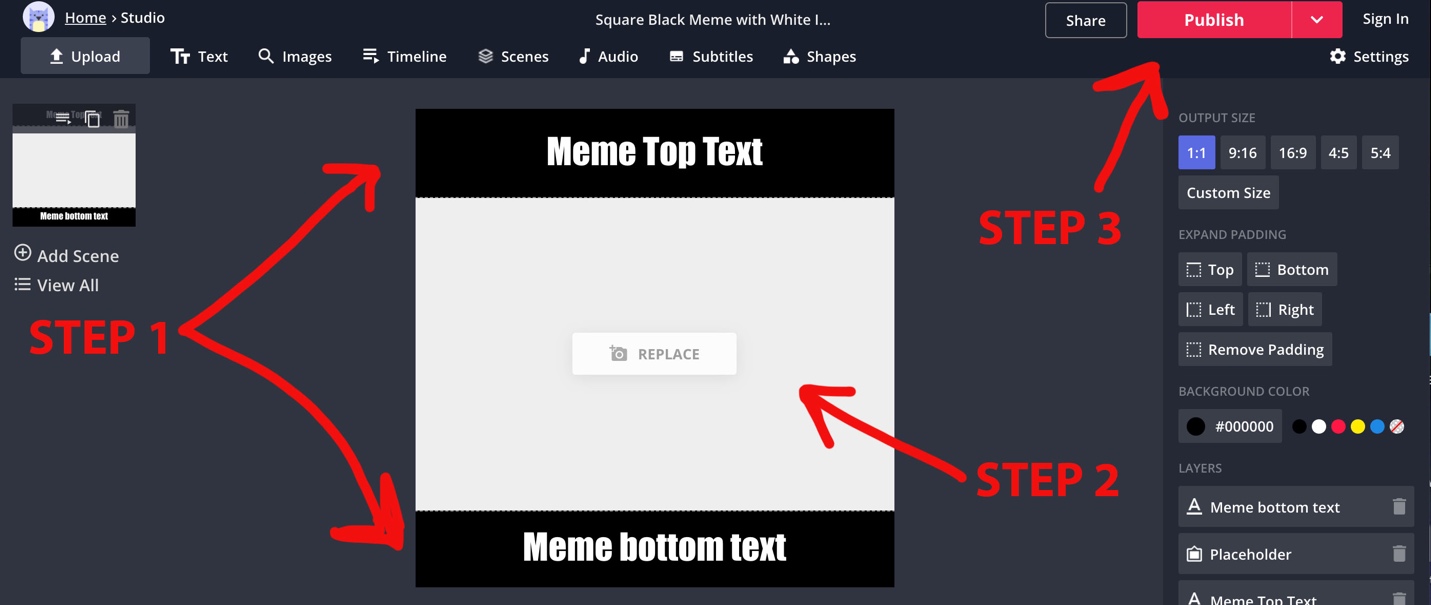
**CLICK THIS LINK:** <https://www.kapwing.com/meme-maker>



FIRST: Select one of the 8 basic meme templates by clicking on it.

A description of the template will pop up. Click “MAKE IT” to begin editing.

Instructions for <https://www.kapwing.com/meme-maker> continue on the next page…



STEP 1: Edit text by clicking in the sample text boxes and replacing it with your caption.

STEP 2: Click on the center box to upload the artwork you chose.

STEP 3: Save your Meme by clicking the “Publish” button and selecting “Download”.

*The meme will automatically save as the name of the template style you selected*.

**Two Examples…**

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The Artwork: The Artwork:

“Old Man with a Young Boy” “Arrangement in Grey and Black, No. 1”

1490 1871

Domenico Ghirlandaio James Abbot McNeill Whistler

The Louvre Museum Musee d”Orsay

Be sure to submit your finished Meme on Google Classroom with the artwork’s   
***Title, Date, Artist, Museum***