

# A is for Art:

## Boise's Public Art Alphabet Book

Arranged by the  
City of Boise's  
Department of Arts & History



**A**rt tells stories about a place's history, values, and environment.

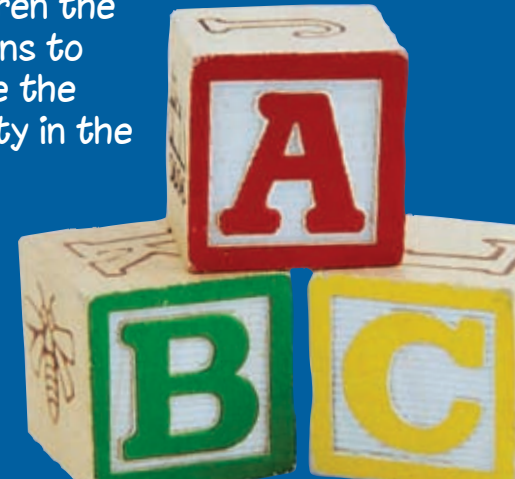
**B**oise is home to over eighty works of public art.

**C**an you find art at the airport, in parks, at the wastewater treatment plant, on downtown buildings or street corners?

Boise's Public Art Alphabet Book introduces children and adults to the visual imagery found in the City's painted murals, bronze or cast-cement sculptures, glass windows, and ceramic tiles.

This book is a tool to teach children the alphabet and encourage all citizens to be observant of and to celebrate the City of Boise—the most livable city in the country.

For more information about Boise's public art collection, call 433-5670 x 4 or visit [www.BoiseArtsAndHistory.org](http://www.BoiseArtsAndHistory.org).





is for **A**pple

Julia Davis Memorial  
by Jerry Snodgrass

Julia Davis Park,  
700 S. Capitol Blvd.



Spring Run  
by Marilyn Lysohir

121 N. 9th Street



is for **B**ear

Photo by Otto Kitsinger





Stearns Motor Car  
by The Letterheads

Idaho Street between  
6th Street & Capitol Blvd.

is for Car



Photo by Otto Kitsinger



is for Door

Abundance  
by Jefferson Mack

Banner Bank Building,  
10th and Bannock  
Streets



Photo by Otto Kitsinger

Written On My Face  
by Cody Spanbauer

Digital Art Collection, Boise City Hall



is for Eye



is for Fish

Kilgore Trout  
by Marcus and  
Skyler Pierce

6th Street between  
Main and Grove Streets



Photo by Otto Kitsinger



Grove St Illuminated  
by Amy Westover

9th and Grove  
Streets



is for Green



is for Hat



Photo by Otto Kitsinger

World War II  
Aviator Memorial  
by Ben Victor

Boise Airport



Great Blues  
by Dave Berry

Grove Plaza, 8th Street

is for Inside



Structure and Play  
by Marcus Pierce

Sycamore Park,  
12275 E. Braddock Drive



is for Jump





Photo by Otto Kirsinger



is for **K**ing

Alley History  
by Kerry Moosman

9th Street  
between Idaho and  
Bannock Streets



is for **L**eaf

River of Trees  
By Judith & Daniel Caldwell

Northwest corner of  
9th and Idaho Streets  
in sidewalk







Terra Firma by  
Elizabeth Wolf

Boise Airport



is for **Map**

Gone Native  
By Reham Aarti-Jacobson

Warm Springs Golf Course restroom



is for **Nature**





Aero Agoseris  
by Mark Baltes

Foothills Learning Center  
3188 Sunset Peak Road



is for Ox

Capitol Bridge Tiles,  
circa 1930's  
artist unknown

700 S. Capitol Blvd., on bridge



is for Plant





is for **Q**uail

Stained Glass Windows  
By Michael Pilla

9th and Idaho Streets

Photo by Otto Kitsinger



is for **R**at

Sidney's Niche  
By Rick Thompson

8th Street escalator  
between Main and Idaho Streets





Neighborhood Swim  
By Elizabeth Wolf

Borah Park,  
801 S. Aurora Drive



is for Swim

Cycles of Commerce  
By Classic Design Studio

5th and Broad Streets



is for Train

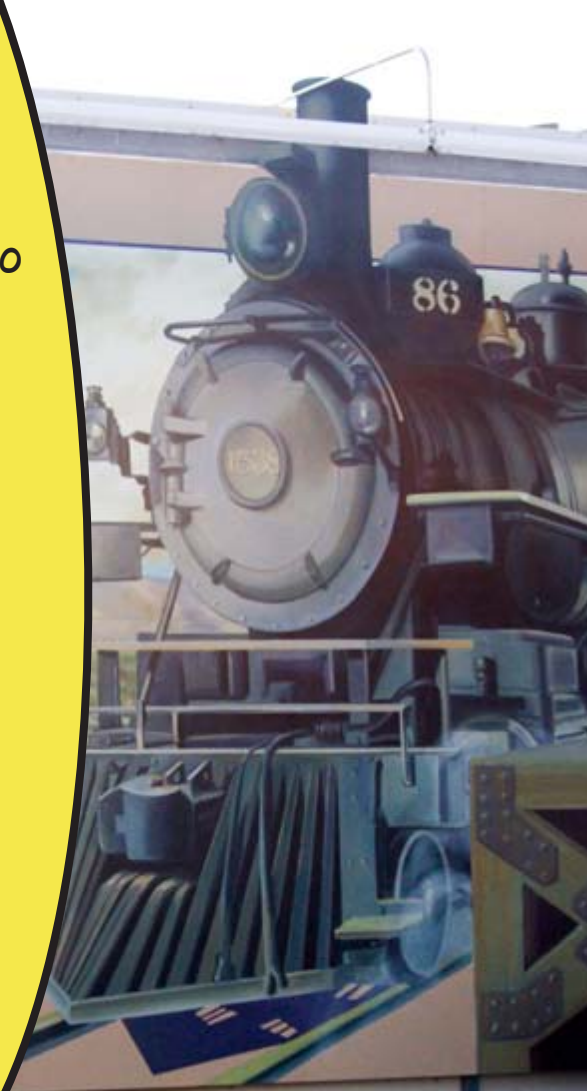


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is for **Under**

*Ustick Skylight Mobile*  
By Judy and Dale Collins

Library! @  
Cole and Ustick

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is for **Vegetable**

*Ustick Dreaming*  
By Judy and Dale Collins

Library! @ Cole and Ustick





Meander  
by Amy Westover

Boise WaterShed  
Environmental  
Education Center,  
11818 W. Joplin Road



is for **Water**



is found in  
the word **AX**

Foothills Mural  
by Ward Hooper

Foothills Learning Center,  
3188 Sunset Peak Road



is for Youth

Youth Sport Icons  
by Ward Hooper

Optimist Youth  
Sports Complex,  
9889 W. Hill Road



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African Plains Exhibit  
by Michael Baltzell

Zoo Boise,  
700 S. Capitol Blvd.



is for Zoo





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