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Celebrate Día de los Muertos at the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History *Fall Exhibition Now Open*

Fort Worth, TX - *Día de los Muertos: A Mexican Day of the Dead Celebration* is open at the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History. Discover the art, history and inspiration behind this centuries-old Mexican tradition. The exhibition features a unique selection of art and figures from the Museum's collection and includes pieces gifted recently by the Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth.

Día de los Muertos, or Day of the Dead, is an annual holiday with its roots in Mexico, which is celebrated throughout Latin America and around the world. It is traditionally a time set aside to remember and honor relatives who have died, and is seen as a joyful tribute to life and family.

The exhibit includes *Dream of a Sunday Afternoon in Alameda Park*, which consists of several striking oversized papier-mâché figurines between six and seven feet tall created by noted Mexican folk artist Don Miguel Linares, and also features the work of renowned Mexican clay artist Josefina Aguilar of Oaxaca.

Further your journey of discovery of *Día de los Muertos* with a music-filled journey to the land of the dead in the Omni Theater. Academy Award-winning [Coco](#) shows select dates this November with *Coco* in Spanish on Sunday, November 4.

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About the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History

The Museum was established in 1941 and is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums. Anchored by its rich collections, the Museum is dedicated to lifelong learning. It engages guests through creative, vibrant programs and exhibits interpreting science and the history of Texas and the Southwest. The Museum is open daily, except Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. Visit www.fortworthmuseum.org for more.