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Christmas in Art



Join Nick Nelson of Arcadia Education for a festive journey through a series of evocative winter landscapes and Christmas subjects from the National Gallery's collection of paintings; mostly from the Sainsbury Wing. Nick will decode the symbolism behind some of the most celebrated seasonal paintings which naturally make for the most appealing of Christmas cards. T.S. Eliot's atmospheric poem 'The Journey of the Magi' will be read aloud to celebrate the most ubiquitous Christmas subject tackled by artists. With an offering of mulled wine and mince pies too, this should make for the most enjoyable run into the festive season!