

Cedric's Sniff-and-Seek TREASURE HUNT



*I'm a big dog with a very smart nose.
I like seeking treasures, wherever I go!
This game will be fun, and when we're all done,
You'll be surprised by how much you know!*

*This is America's largest home,
with so very much to see,
So let's take our time
and have fun with some rhymes.*



Cedric

Ready? Then just follow me!

Biltmore House First Floor

Front Door

My friends are guarding the big front door.
Do they meow or do they roar?

Banquet Hall

Now I see a great big table!
Count the chairs, if you are able!
Did you count ALL the chairs, including
the two "throne" chairs against the wall?

Library

So many books will make us wise—
but first, look up, and see blue skies!

Grand Staircase

How many stairs will we be climbing?
I don't know, but let's keep rhyming!

*Did You Know?
George Vanderbilt loved to read!
He read more than 3,000
books during his lifetime.
What is your favorite book?*

Let's keep going...





Biltmore House Second Floor



Oak Sitting Room

I spy a painting of three kids.
I wonder who the youngest one is?
Find the little boy in the pink bow tie.
That's George Vanderbilt!

Second Floor Living Hall

I see a family in a frame. Look close
and try to guess their names.
Find a black dog in the painting.

Mr. Vanderbilt's Bedroom

Mirror, mirror, by the door—
see the tub and something more!
Mr. Vanderbilt's bathtub has feet—
what kind are they?

Mrs. Vanderbilt's Bedroom

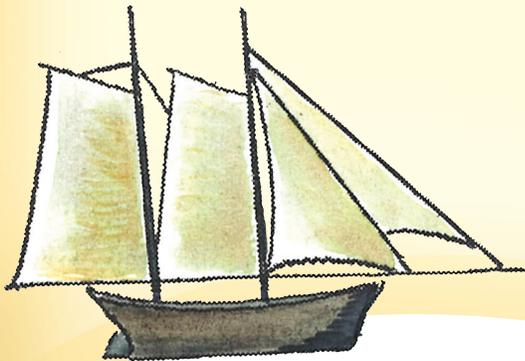
Look at the rug and the pretty bed,
then find a shape above your head!
What is the shape?
Is it a circle or an oval?

Biltmore House Third Floor



Third Floor Living Hall

Do you see a ship upon the ocean?
Is it still or is it in motion?



Did You Know?
When Biltmore House was
built, not all houses had indoor
bathrooms. There's no sink
because it was considered good
manners to put a pitcher of fresh,
warm water in each bedroom for
guests to wash their hands.

Let's keep going...



Biltmore House Basement



Halloween Room

Here's a room you haven't seen,
with walls that look like Halloween!

Can you find a pair of bats?
And near the exit, see the cat!

Bowling Alley

On chilly days and rainy weather,
you could stay inside and bowl together!

Swimming Pool

Don't jump in—the water's gone!
Plus you don't have a bathing suit on!

Gymnasium

Exercising in the gym
will help you keep your figure trim!
Do you see the "Indian clubs" hanging
on the wall? They look like bowling
pins, but they are very heavy. People
used them for exercise.

*Did You Know?
This pool held 70,000 gallons of
water when it was full. It seems
big, but it's less than half the
size of a modern Olympic pool.*

Kitchens

The food at Biltmore was delicious,
and serving it took lots of dishes!

How many kitchens does
Biltmore House have?

Stairs back to First Floor

We've seen the laundries where clothes were washed.

Now follow me, and don't get lost!

I spy a moose head above the door. Do you see it, too?

Exit

Here we are at the big back door,
but before we leave there's one thing more:

See the painting of a lady to the left
of the door and a gentleman to the right?

Guess who these two people are.

*Now we're outside, near the Stable,
to your left, past all the tables.
You'll find shops and things to eat,
and you can sit and rest your feet.
Need a restroom? It's here, too—
straight ahead in front of you.
When you're ready, we'll get going.
I can't wait to see what
the gardeners are growing!*

Let's keep going...

Gardens



Shrub Garden

Find a tunnel built of bricks
and let's run through it—
quick, quick, quick!

Italian Garden

This garden's ponds have golden fish.
Look how fast their tail swish!

Walled Garden

I spy a "house" of brick and glass—
let's peek inside as we go past.

*Did You Know?
The Walled Garden is 4 acres—
that's larger than a city block!*

*You shouldn't miss our garden shop,
so take your time and make a stop.
There are also restrooms here,
and a place for food and drinks is near.
Then we'll go to Antler Hill,
and have more fun—you know we will!*



Antler Hill Barn

Farmers used to work in here
with tools and tractors and other gear.

Antler Hill Farmyard

See the animals in fields and pens—
what a place to make new friends!

Antler Hill Village

Oh, what fun we've had so far!
Can you tell me where we are?
Find the statue of a girl and a dog.
Do you know who they are?

Statue of Cornelia and Cedric

To win this game of hunting treasure,
you must weigh what can't be measured.
It isn't gold or jewels or "stuff" —
it's spending time with those you love!

*I'm so glad you came to play—
I wish you could just stay and stay!
Please make plans to come again,
now that you and I are friends!*



Antler Hill Village

Farmyard to Village

Coming up, a place to play.
Follow me—I'll show the way!
Welcome to Pisgah Playground—
It's perfect for kids of all ages!



\$1.00 Doggy Dollar

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