

The history of... *Kansas City*



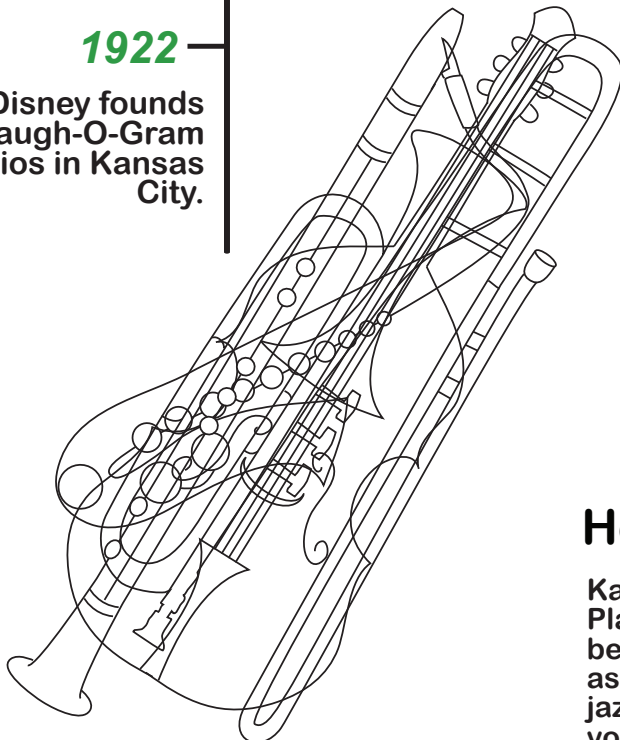
Word Search!

Find the famous landmarks and features listed below.
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Time Line

- 1833** — John Calvin McCoy starts a trading post.
- 1838** — The “Town of Kansas” is established.
- 1854 - 1858** — A fight takes place in the Kansas Territory between pro- and anti-slavery groups, which leads to the Civil War.
- 1908** — Henry Perry begins selling barbecue from a street corner. His recipe becomes the “Kansas City” style of barbecue.
- 1922** — Walt Disney founds Laugh-O-Gram Studios in Kansas City.



- Missouri River
- Irish Museum
- Jazz Festival
- Chiefs
- Royals

Quiz

Kansas City has the second-highest number of _____ of any city in the world.

Answer: Fountains. Only Rome, Italy has more. One of Kansas City's nicknames is the City of Fountains.

How many *instruments*?

Kansas City earned the nickname “Paris of the Plains” during the jazz age, from 1920 - 1940. It became a center of jazz and other music, as well as literature, arts, and performance. How many jazz instruments can you find in this picture? Can you name them all?

Answer: Five instruments. Trumpet, trombone, clarinet, bass, saxophone.