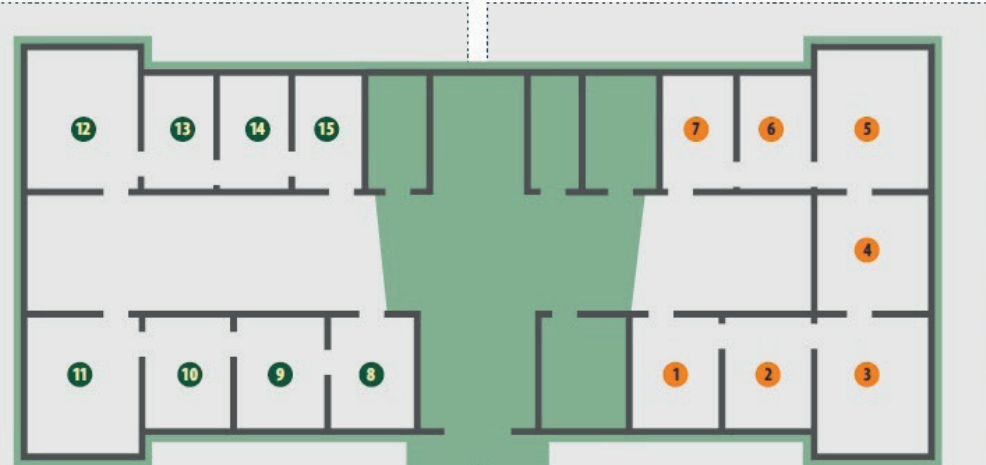


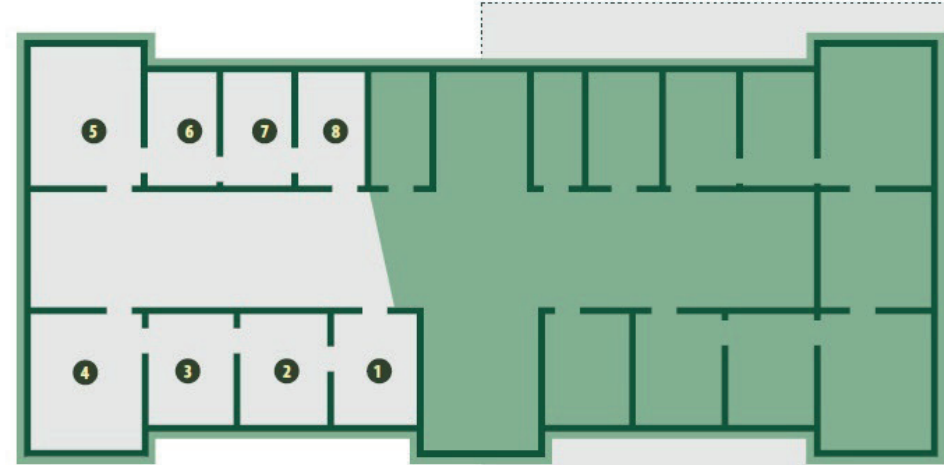
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### Visiting Hours

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Closing Time: 17.00  
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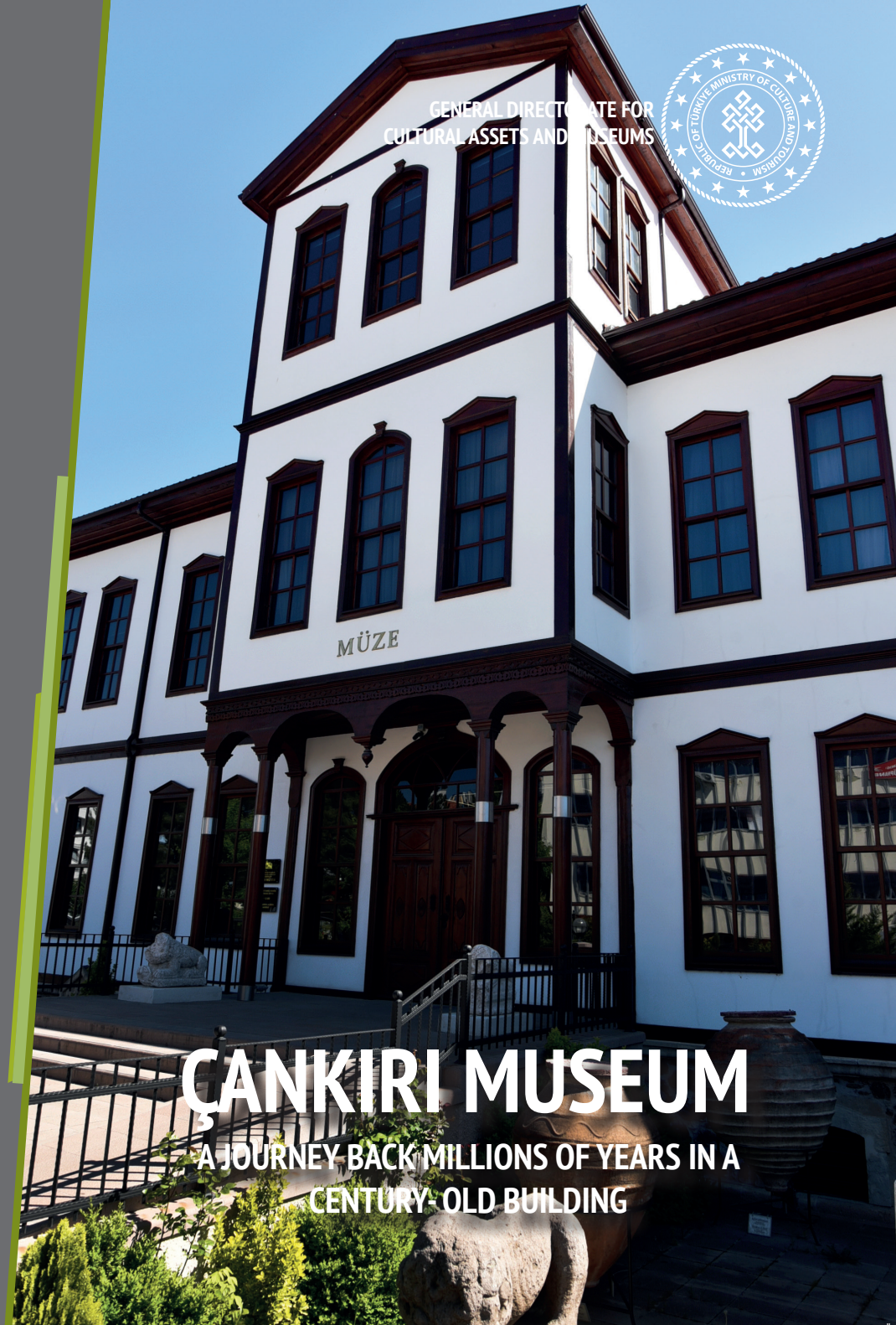
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# ÇANKIRI MUSEUM

A JOURNEY BACK MILLIONS OF YEARS IN A  
CENTURY-OLD BUILDING



Museum activities in a professional sense in Çankırı have started with the exhibition of 116 pieces of works gathered from surroundings on the date of June 9th, 1972 at the downstairs (Public Training Center) of Community Center. The museum serviced in 100.Yıl Culture Center between the years 1981-2017.

After the restoration process, the former Old Government Office started to be used as the new museum building in 2017. The building, which was built during the reign of Abdülhamid, bears a special importance due to its historical characteristic

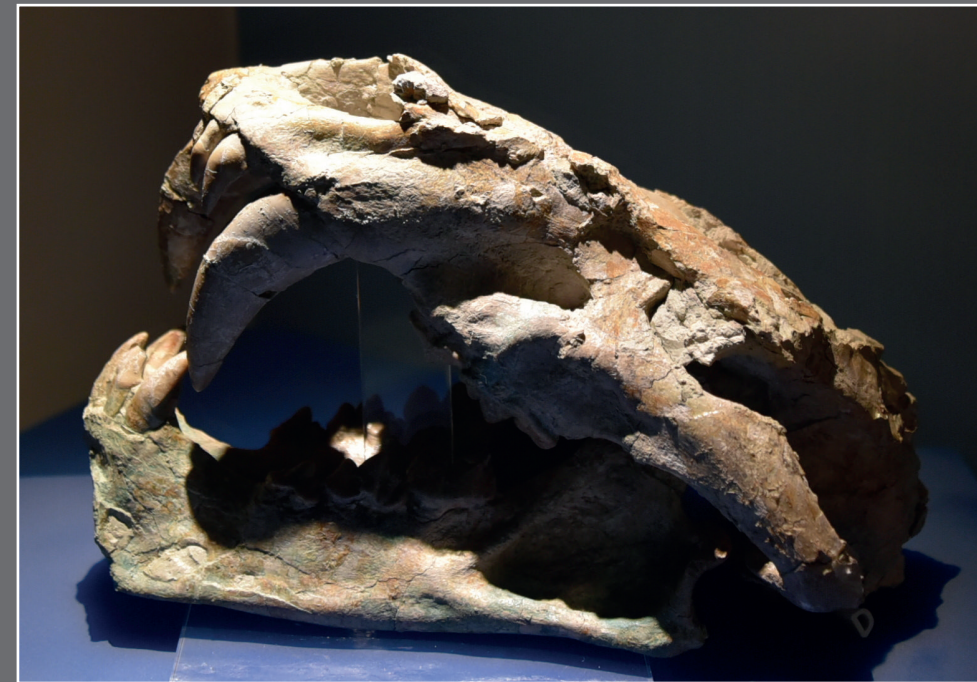
The museum, consists of Natural History, Archeology and Ethnography departments.



#### Department of Archeology

Artifacts from the Chalcolithic, Bronze Age, Hittite, Hellenistic, Roman and Eastern Roman periods are exhibited in a chronological order in the archaeological artefacts section located on the ground floor of the museum.

Coins from the Archaic Period to the Turkish-Islamic States belonging to Anatolia and its surroundings, and also glass artifacts including bowls, glasses, jugs, perfume bottles, bracelets, rings, and beads belonging to the Hellenistic and Roman Periods are arranged in separate sections.



#### Department of Natural History

In the natural history department, the fossil findings unearthed from Çorakyerler Fossil Locality scientific excavation performed under the presidency of Academician Prof. Dr. Ayla SEVİM EROL and dated to 8-9 million years ago, to Late Miocene Age are exhibited.

Saber-toothed Tiger / Late Miocene 8.6- 7.5 million Years

The Fossil Felidae (Feline) finds in Çorakyerler are significant because they are represented by well-preserved specimens, although they are few in number compared to their contemporaneous localities in Anatolia.

One of the fossil examples named scientifically as *Macharidus aphanistus* refers to a species that is adaptable to a closed environment. This species also named as saber-toothed predators because their canine teeth are in the shape of a saw or dagger



#### Department of Ethnography

Ethnographic works reflecting the lifestyle of the people and the socio-cultural characteristics of the region are presented on the 1st floor of the museum. Ethnographic items that were created by pre-industrial manual labor in the Ottoman and Early Republican Periods, which will shed light on the recent history of Çankırı and its surroundings, are presented to the visitors.