The DIA's Weekly Crossword features clues that are answered by picking out details from a work of art from our collection. To solve this week’s puzzle, you’ll have to look closely at Olówè of Isè’s Palace Door.
ACROSS

4 There are 37 of these behind the king, queen, and their attendants.
6 At top right, figures are playing these to entertain the king.
7 The door is carved in ____ relief, a term that describes the extent to which the
design stands out from the surface. The opposite of low.
9 A length of this pulls along a member of the family Equidae.
11 The disembodied face of the Yoruba god Eshu (in the center) appears in
how many distinct colors?
12 The king wears the tallest headdress. It’s topped by the head of this winged creature.

DOWN

1 The scenes on the right capture life at the king’s _____, the place to which this door
served as gateway.
2 One name for the only four legged animal in this
scene, aka ass.
3 At bottom right, the two middle figures do this
physical activity, a demonstration of
strength and skill.
5 Next to the king, the queen _____ her child.
8 This many people have partially shaved heads,
identifying them as royal messengers.
10 The organic material this door is carved from.