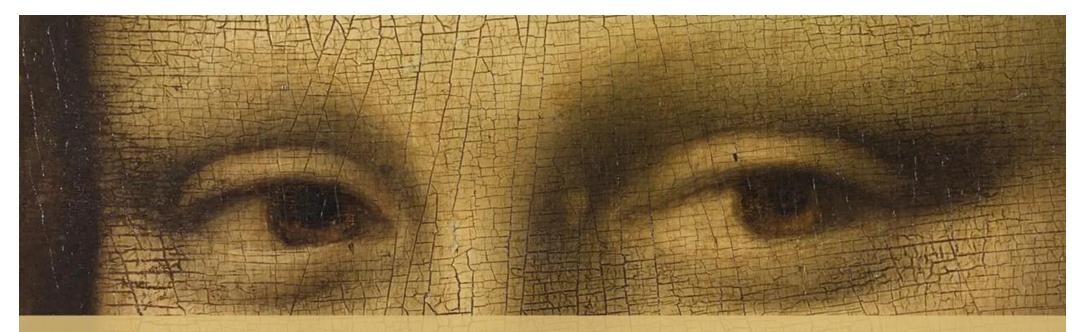


The subject of the painting has no visible eyebrows or eyelashes. It is believed that they gradually disappeared over time or because of cleaning.



Mona Lisa is an English title that has been derived from the Italian word "Mona" which is a short form of the phrase "ma doona".





- This painting shows the most famous smile in the world.
- Another name for Mona Lisa in Italian is La Gioconda and in French is La Joconde which means happy.
- The Mona Lisa painting is around 500 years old.
- It took around four years to paint Mona Lisa.
- Mona Lisa is owned by French government and is put on display at Louvre Museum.