

## AN ARCHAEOLOGIST'S JOURNAL

In order to convince the museum curators to choose the artifacts you have found, you must—as a scientist—record accurate, detailed information for at least three artifacts or artworks. After identifying the pieces, explain why you have selected these items, and why you think they are important. Base your opinions on the idea that archaeological finds can teach us something interesting or valuable about ancient cultures.

### Journal Entries for "Art of Earliest Times"

Entry # \_\_\_\_\_

{Sketch or download a picture of the artifact and attach to your worksheet)

Date of the discovery:

Approximate age:

Geographical location:

Size or dimensions:

Media or materials used:

Type of decoration  
(motifs or patterns):

Cultural meaning or purpose  
of the artifact:

Now that you have identified three artifacts, write on a separate sheet why you chose each one. Tell which is your favorite and why.