

Basic Detail Report



Nose-Ring

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Medium

Bronze

Description

Pig's nose ring, found with Roman remains at Tokenhouse Yard London. Brown with green discolouration. Nose rings

are typically given to pigs in order to stop them 'rooting' - digging through the soil with their snouts. Rather than a piercing being made as might be expected, these nose rings are simply clipped into the nose.

Dimensions

Object/Work: 5 x 4 x 0.7 mm