

# PENCIL

**Unique ID:** WMID-155786

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A complete cast lead pencil of uncertain dating, but probably Medieval to Post Medieval (AD 1200 to AD 1600).

The stylus is circular sectioned, with a flattened, slightly expanded top. The other end exhibits knife cut facets, tapering to a point. It has been folded in half.

It measures 27.30 mm in length, 29.12 mm wide and 7.80 mm thick. It has a diameter of 7.04 mm. It weighs 24.0 g. It is a mid grey colour, with an even surface patina.

## Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL

Period from: ROMAN

Period to: MODERN

Date from: Circa AD 43

Date to: Circa AD 1900

## Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 27.3 mm

Width: 29.12 mm

Thickness: 7.8 mm

Weight: 24 g

Diameter: 7.04 mm

## Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Monday 1st October 2012 - Wednesday 31st October 2012

## Personal details

Found by: This information is restricted for your login.

Recorded by: Miss Teresa Gilmore

Identified by: Miss Teresa Gilmore

## Other reference numbers

Other reference: TG - Paper - Folder 7

## Materials and construction

Primary material: Lead  
Completeness: Complete

## Spatial metadata

Region: [West Midlands](#) (European Region)  
County or Unitary authority: [Staffordshire](#) (County)  
District: [Stafford](#) (District)  
Parish or ward: [Gnosall](#) (Civil Parish)

## Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SJ8021  
Four figure Latitude: 52.7862  
Four figure longitude: -2.297986  
1:25K map: SJ8021  
1:10K map: SJ82SW  
Grid reference source: From finder  
Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1 metre square.

## Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector  
Discovery circumstances: Found whilst metal detecting  
General landuse: Cultivated land