

The Erroneous Archaeologist

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Directions: Dr. I.M. Clueless is a struggling archaeologist that recently submitted his recent findings to the International Society of Archaeological Digs. He has asked you to review his work due to your stellar performance in Mr. Lucas's social studies class. Fix any mistakes Dr. Clueless has made so that he is not banned from the International Society of Archaeological Digs.

Finding 1: "Eureka! I have discovered this prehistoric letter that I must submit to the society!"

Finding 2: "After careful excavating, I have come upon a letter dated from 6500BCE."

Finding 3: "I need to request funding so I can Carbon date a gold bracelet that I found on a skeleton."

Finding 4: "I am an expert on stratigraphy. I can count the tree rings on any wooden object."

Finding 5: "I have discovered the fossil of an ancient silver death mask."

Finding 6: "Look at this tooth! It is a rare, rare artifact."

Finding 7: "I have found the best secondary source to date. It is Thomas Jefferson's personal diary from when he was president of the United States!"

Finding 8: "I will need to do some scientific dating on this piece of pottery that was found from the Hellenistic period of Greece."