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Tool Creation
 Ancient Writing Tools
 23 points

Objectives:

- experience writing tools of the ancient world
- compare ancient writing tools with modern writing tools

Ideas for tools to create include: wax tablets ink quill pens
 scrolls illuminated letters

Your writing tool will be assessed using this rubric . . .

	ita vero (yes)	paene (almost)	tempta iterum (try again)
includes first source for your writing tool cited correctly	source fully cited according to class instructions 3	some detail is missing or incorrectly recorded 2	details are missing 1 0
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writing tool is complete, well made	can be manipulated without concerns and used as a writing tool 5	missing a detail or requires gentle handling 4	falling apart, not able to be handled 3 2 1
writing tool made of authentic or near authentic materials	all materials were available in the ancient world 3	all materials appear to be from the ancient world 2	materials clearly contain modern components 1 0
you describe two ways your tool is similar to its equivalent modern tool	both explanations are accurate and complete 4	a detail is missing or your description is unclear in some small way 3	two ways are not described, modern equivalent not a good match, details not accurate 2 1 0
you describe two ways your tool is different than its equivalent modern tool	both explanations are accurate and complete 4	a detail is missing or your description is unclear in some small way 3	two ways are not described, modern equivalent not a good match, details not accurate 2 1 0
your recording of your project is clear, crisp and rehearsed	your voice is clear and well paced, clearly rehearsed, your recording is less than two minutes 4	some minor problems with hearing your voice or lack of certainty in presentation 3	voice not easily heard, goes over time limit, not rehearsed 2 1 0
this rubric stapled to your citations	citations stapled 1		citations not stapled 0