Without performing any outside research, answer the following questions about the Prompt Object for this CYOA Module. Your answers need not be “right” but whatever you hypothesize in the questions below should be supported with “evidence” taken from careful examination of the Prompt Object or otherwise supported with a well-reasoned justification. This is a critical thinking exercise designed to make you look/read closely, not meant to test your ability to guess what the Prompt Object actually is.

1. What might the prompt object be (specifically)? What is its purpose? Who created it? Who is it for? Why (specifically) do you think so? What evidence/visual details/inferences/comparisons did you use to arrive at this hypothesis? (c. 300 words)

2. What information do you expect this object can provide about the ancient past, and is the information this object can provide different from that provided by other types of resources?
3. How might the object testify to contact between ancient cultures?

4. What informs your responses to the above questions (i.e., comparison to modern/21st c. contemporary culture; modern/21st c. media portrayals of antiquity; outside knowledge; etc.)?

5. Given this object, what do you think you will learn about in this module?