

Assessment: Essay 1

Please write a short critical essay discussing the artwork below. Start by identifying the artwork. A full identification should include title, date, and medium. Continue with a complete visual and stylistic description of the artwork. Then, discuss the artwork in more depth. Consider it within its historical context. What did it mean when and where it was made? Address its function and meaning. How was it used? You should address its stylistic influences as well as how the culture and society surrounding its creation influenced its form. Where does it stand in the evolution of Greek art? Please write this essay in one hour or less without consulting the course material.

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