Heirloom

Step 4: Research and Document

Find and analyze a family object, and answer the questions below. Ask a family member for help.

Where did you find this object? _____

Observations

Draw your object.

Describe the size, shape, color, and condition of your object.

Inferences: Brainstorm three inferences based on your observations.

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Inferences: Answer the questions below. If you don't know an answer, make an inference based on your observations.

Who was the original owner of this object?

Who is the current owner?

What is this object used for?

When was it made?

What does it tell you about the time period when it was made?

Questions: Brainstorm two questions based on your observations and inferences. What do you wonder about this object?

Summary: Write a summary of your object. What does it tell you about your family history? Include any memories or stories related to it.