

## Bowl decorated with musicians and dancers



<b>Date</b>	10 BC - AD 10
<b>Material</b>	Clay (terra sigillata)
<b>How was it made?</b>	Pots like this were made in a stamped mould.
<b>What is it for?</b>	Food and drink.
<b>Where is it from?</b>	It was made in Cincelli, roughly 8 km. from Arezzo in Italy.
<b>What does it say?</b>	<b>Text</b> TIGRANI  <b>Translation</b> 'Of Tigranus'

### More information:

- The text is a maker's mark that lets us trace this back to the factory and figure out what other objects were made by the same person
- "Terra Sigillata" is Latin for clay with little images
- Pots like this were made in huge numbers in Italy and Gaul and shipped throughout the Roman world

**Topics to investigate:** Roman dining; Roman music and dance; Production and trade of terra sigillata;