

Basic Detail Report



Glass Experiments: Jamestown sand (Jamestown-US-0039)

Date

2020

Primary Maker

Atelier NL

Medium

Glass bottle filled with Jamestown sand

Description

This sand was collected by David Givens, Director of Archaeology at Jamestown Rediscovery, on August 28, 2020. Dr. Givens shares the sand's significance: "This trench was excavated 20 years ago. Clean, coarse sand was brought in from elsewhere to backfill the dig. While

this sand is not native to Jamestown Island, it is a tangible trace of our archaeological forebears, and a reminder that understanding our shared history is an ongoing process in which we are only one part." Atelier NL sand archive sample identification number: Jamestown-US-0039.

Dimensions

Bottles: 7 1/2 × 2 15/16 in. (19.1 × 7.4 cm)