

# Where Is Epicurus In The "School of Athens"?

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## [Quote from Cassius](#)

As to the Speucippus that's based ONLY on proximity, correct? Or are there likenesses or descriptions of Speucippus that support that?

It certainly looks like the 1655 woodcut that illustrates his Wikipedia article, but I'm not sure if that was based on Raphael or independent.

Plus, the idea that all those to the side of Plato were associated with him makes sense to me. Plato and his posse.

As I said, I also like the idea of seeing Epicurus as an active figure rather than passively hanging out in the background.