

□ as the symbol of the philosophy of Epicurus

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Generally, I don't like letters or numbers to be used as symbols. There's too much room for misinterpretation, jokes, etc. I'm not even sure I fully endorse the pig as a symbol. Is Horace the only textual evidence for that? I know the statue is from Herculaneum. T

There's also the Boscoreale cup with the pig at Epicurus' feet, plus the leaping pig from herculaneum, which is probably one of the most definitive connectons. -

