Late Bronze Age sword fragment from Little Woodcote

A bronze blade fragment from a leaf-shaped sword of Late Bronze Age date (fig 1) has been found on the surface of a ploughed field at 7 Little Woodcote (NGR TQ 281 622) by Mr D Stanbridge. It weighs 20.03g. No other finds of this date are known from this location, although the Late Bronze Age site of Queen Mary's Hospital is only 300m to the north-west (see Adkins & Needham 1985). The sword fragment is held by the finder. We are grateful to Ralph Jackson and Stuart Needham for identifying this find, and to Mr D Stanbridge for bringing it to our attention. More precise details of the findspot are held in the Sites and Monuments Record of the Greater London Archaeology Department of the Museum of London.

![Fig 1. Bronze Age sword fragment from Little Woodcote](image)

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