



## Chinese Porcelain Plaque From The Republican Period - "hundred Children" Motif 1920-1940



450 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Porcelain

Width : 27 cm

Height : 34.5 cm

### Description

Chinese Republican Period Famille Rose  
Porcelain Plaque - "Hundred Boys" Motif (c.  
1920-1940)

Dimensions: 27 x 34.5 cm

Medium: Hand-painted porcelain with famille  
rose enamels

Date: Circa 1920-1940, Republican Period

Origin: Likely Jingdezhen, China

Framed: In period wooden frame with original  
brass hanger

#### Description:

A finely executed Chinese porcelain plaque  
featuring the highly auspicious "Hundred Boys"  
(百子圖 / Bai Zi Tú) motif, symbolizing prosperity,  
joy, and the Confucian ideal of a flourishing  
family line. This elegant scene depicts a lively  
group of children in a traditional garden setting,

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rendered with exceptional attention to detail and expressive individuality.

The use of delicate famille rose (??) enamels in soft pinks, aquas, yellows, and lavenders highlights the artistic refinement typical of late Qing and Republican-period craftsmanship. Each figure is uniquely painted, engaged in various playful and symbolic activities -- a hallmark of the "Hundred Boys" theme.

Executed in hand-painted overglaze enamels on a mid-sized porcelain plaque, this piece likely originated from Jingdezhen, China's most renowned porcelain center. The plaque remains mounted in its original wooden frame with an ornate geometric brass hanger, consistent with early 20th-century taste.

Condition:

Excellent overall condition. No visible chips, cracks, or repairs. Minor wear to frame consistent with age. The plaque itself is free from restoration and retains its original glaze and enamel vibrancy. No markings on reverse (unmarked, as typical for domestic-use pieces of this period).