



Japanese Meiji Satsuma Belt Buckle With Dragon Decoration, C.1900



450 EUR

Signature : Satsuma

Period : 19th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Ceramic

Diameter : 3.8 cm

Description

A decorative Japanese Satsuma belt buckle from the Meiji period, composed of two circular panels painted with dragons and stylised waves on a crackled ivory ground. The decoration is executed in enamel colours and highlighted with gilding. The surface combines fine gilt linework with raised gold dot decoration, producing a textured effect characteristic of high-quality Satsuma pieces of the late 19th century. The ceramic panels are set into a metal mount forming a working buckle.

Such objects illustrate the adaptation of Japanese decorative techniques to Western forms and were produced both for domestic use and for export markets.

Measurements

Dealer

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Each half measures 3.8 cm in diameter

Condition

Excellent antique condition, with full preservation of the decoration and no visible damage or restoration.

Shipping & Packaging

The item will be shipped with full tracking and insurance.