



Menpo Samurai Mask - Ressei Sabiji



5 500 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Wrought iron

Description

Menpo Ressei Sabiji Mempo face mask in the me no shita bo style, Edo period (1603 - 1868) In the usual design with a removable nose piece, the surface in the sabiji style with a beautiful brown patina, the back of the mask varnished in vermilion red. With a powerful wick made of bearskin, unusual side rings, serving same as pins for fixing the helmet chin strap cord (kabuto no o) to the mask. The three-piece tare throat protection is varnished black, with decorative mimi ito lacing on the side edge of the slats and the horizontal edge of the last part. A very nice element of the mask are the large, anatomically stylized ears (mimi) made in the uchidashi technique. This is a very nice kind of the face mask in very good condition, which is particularly interesting for the symmetrical lacing

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rings on the sides of the mask, the significant sharp chin and the shiwa wrinkles. Stand is not included.