



Large Clock With An Elephant



9 000 EUR

Signature : Planchon à Paris

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Porcelain

Width : 35

Height : 60

Depth : 27

Description

A magnificent clock featuring an elephant, crafted in porcelain and gilded bronze; the upper section is adorned with a Chinese figure. A French piece dating from around 1870-1880, made in the Louis XV style. This truly massive clock rests on a gilded base; the bronze is finely chiseled--a work of exceptional quality! The white enamel dial is signed "Planchon à Paris" for Mathieu Planchon (1842-1921). Planchon established himself in Paris, at the Palais-Royal, in the 1870s; he also worked with Jean E. Robert-Houdin, a famous clockmaker and manufacturer of automatons. The clock is in its original condition; the movement needs to be cleaned by a clockmaker. Height = 60 centimeters!

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