

SA1115504

French Early 19th Century Aubusson Silk Tapestries 1820-1840



Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1115504****Date of manufacture: 1850**

Dimensions

Height = 66 cm (26.0")

Width = 60 cm (23.6")

Depth = 5 cm (2.0")

Description

French Aubusson Silk Tapestries 1820-1840 • French Early 19th Century circa 1820-1840 • Aubusson(1) Silk tapestries (central France) • Original condition • Colours and detail remain particularly good • Some wear and fading commensurate with age • Original oval frames stripped back to the gesso • Composite leaf moulding • H: 66cm (26") W: 60cm (23.6") D: 5cm (2") Dating from the early 19th century this enchantingly bucolic pair of Aubusson silk tapestries of a young boy and girl in a garden scene the boy holding a chicken and girl with wheelbarrow and plants is in original condition. The colours and detail are particularly good considering the passage of time and exposure to light etc although there is some fading and wear commensurate with age. They are contained within their original frames which have been stripped back to the gesso and composite laurel leaf moulding. 1) Aubusson tapestries have a rich history that dates back several centuries. Today, the Cité Internationale de la Tapisserie in Aubusson houses a large collection of these exquisite tapestries, preserving their cultural heritage for generations to come. Aubusson tapestry is manufactured in Aubu...

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