

SA1165672

Antique French Gilt Bronze Rococo Clock - Fully Restored

Price

GBP 2,650

| USD \$3,579 | EUR 3,099

Item Reference: SA1165672**Date of manufacture: 1890**

Dimensions

Height = 35.5 cm (14.0")

Width = 24 cm (9.4")

Depth = 17 cm (6.7")

Description

~ French - Circa 1890 ~ ~~ Excellent condition, fully overhauled ~~ A beautiful clock of ornate Rococo design, the case finely cast with scrolling acanthus and roccaille ornament, the front and sides with pierced lattice panels back with fabric, raised upon a shaped plinth with boldly scrolling feet. The circular porcelain enamel dial has Roman numerals between delicately scrolling floral swags with pierced gilt hands. The pendulum can just be glimpsed swinging gently above the base. Crowning the case is a finely cast urn, exuberantly issuing a profusion of flowers and foliage, a fitting flourish to the Rococo design. The dial is set behind a convex glazed bezel, while to the reverse a glazed door affords a view of the movement. Decorated in the round, the clock is as finely finished at the back as to the front, allowing it to be displayed with equal effect upon a table center or positioned before a mirror, where its elegant form may be admired in full. The French movement is of high quality and is by Samuel Marti. It is in excellent clean and running condition having been fully overhauled by our clockmaker. Pendulum is an old replacement. It runs for 8 days and strike...

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