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Antique Rococo Revival Walnut Chevalet Artists Easel Circa 1880 19th C

Price

GBP 1,250

| USD \$1,692 | EUR 1,463

Item Reference: SA1186874**Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 188 cm (74.0")

Width = 66 cm (26.0")

Depth = 13 cm (5.1")

Description

A beautiful antique Rococo revival walnut chevalet artists easel, circa 1880 in date. The easel features a superb boldly carved crest with shell, leaf and scroll decoration with a turned knob to the adjustable shelf and a conforming apron to support a painting. The painting shown in the photographs is not included. Condition: In excellent condition, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 188 cm x Width 66 cm x Depth 13 cm Dimensions in inches: Height 6 foot, 2 inches x Width 2 foot, 2 inches x Depth 5 inches Walnut & Burr Walnut Walnut is a hard, dense, tight-grained wood that polishes to a very smooth finish. It is a popular and attractive wood whose colour ranges from near white in the sapwood to a dark hew in the heartwood. When dried in a kiln, walnut wood tends to develop a dull brown colour, but when air-dried can become a rich purplish-brown. Because of its colour, hardness and grain, it is a prized furniture and carving wood. Walnut veneer was highly priced and the cost would reflect the 'fanciness' of the veneer – the more decorative, then the more expensive and desirable. Burr walnut refers to the swirling figure present in nearly al...

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