

SA1197528

Antique Giltwood Louis Revival Overmantel Cushion Mirror C1920 140 x 83cm

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1197528****Date of manufacture: 1920**

Dimensions

Height = 140 cm (55.1")

Width = 83.5 cm (32.9")

Depth = 5.5 cm (2.2")

Description

A finely carved antique Louis XVI revival giltwood overmantel mirror, circa 1920 in date. This stunning rectangular mirror features a carved Fleur de Lys cresting surmounted by a shell-shaped corona above a cartouche-shaped mirror plate. The central rectangular mirror plate with three further outer plates decorated with carved giltwood and gilt-gesso embossed frames bordered by conforming rocaille ornaments. This giltwood mirror is a very decorative item which will enhance the look of any room. Condition: In excellent condition, the frame having it's been beautifully cleaned in our workshops, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 140 cm x Width 83.5 cm x Depth 5.5 cm Dimensions in inches: Height 4 foot, 7 inches x Width 2 foot, 9 inches x Depth 2 inches Mirrors are commonly used for personal grooming or admiring oneself (in which case the archaic term looking-glass is sometimes still used), decoration, and architecture. The earliest manufactured mirrors were pieces of polished stone such as obsidian, a naturally occurring volcanic glass. In classical antiquity, mirrors were made of solid metal (bronze, later silver) and were too expensive for...

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