

SA527371

Ormolu and Sèvres Porcelain Boudoir Clock by Le Roy et Fils, Paris

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA527371****Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 33 cm (13.0")

Width = 18 cm (7.1")

Depth = 14 cm (5.5")

Description

~ French - Circa 1880 ~ ~~ Excellent condition, fully overhauled ~~ A sumptuous boudoir clock, fine gilding on bronze and lovely turquoise Sèvres style porcelain. It is by the renown clock making firm of Le Roy et Fils and was probably made in Paris and retailed from their Bond Street shop. Porcelain is beautifully painted with floral swags, a village scene to the dial and a finely painted panel with a scene of a couple in a country setting. The case is classical in style with acanthus columns, pineapple finials and a lion's mask with acanthus swags to the front. The ormolu has stunning, bright and clean gild. The French movement is of high quality and is in excellent clean and running condition having been fully overhauled by our clockmaker. The Le Roy et Fils mark is on the backplate. Pendulum is a replacement. It runs for 8 days and strikes the hours and halves on a bell. The rear door is glazed to allow the movement to be seen. Click the video clip below to hear the bell and watch the clock running! Established by Basile Charles Le Roy in 1785, the firm of Le Roy et Fils became a well-established and renowned clockmaker. Basile had been Napoleon's master clockmak...

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