

SA986721

Derby porcelain 'Nodding'
figure of Frölich, c. 1840.

Price

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Item Reference: SA986721

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 18 cm (7.1")

Width = 10 cm (3.9")

Depth = 6.5 cm (2.6")

Description

A rare Derby porcelain 'Nodding' figure, c. 1840. Modelled after the Meissen original, as 'Joseph Frölich', stood, with his thumbs in his braces. His detachable head, with a brass counterweight, to enable the head to 'nod'. Incised model number 'No. 22' to the base. Height – 18 cm, 7 1/8". Width – 10 cm, 3 7/8". Depth – 6.5 cm, 2 1/2". Literature – Peter Bradshaw, 'Derby Porcelain Figures 1750-1848', p. 189. Condition: Minor wear to the enamels and gilt - commensurate with the age of the figure.

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