

Basic Detail Report

Copy of the Portland Vase

Date

c. 1870s

Primary Maker

Wedgwood

Medium

black jasper stoneware with white jasper appliques

Description

A black basalt jasper stoneware vase with a tapered neck slopes to wide shoulders on a stout body. A chevron-patterned handle extends from the center of the neck and attaches to the shoulder on either side. Around the base of the handle is an appliqued white jasperware lion-esque head. Applied white jasperware figures wearing classical Grecian garments adorn the sides of the body. A portrait of a figure in profile wearing a hat and cloak is applied to the bottom along with a tree branch on the left.

Dimensions

10 1/2 × 7 1/2 inches (26.7 × 19.1 cm)