

Basic Detail Report

Dessert Plate

Primary Maker

Unknown

Medium

Porcelain with overglaze polychrome enamel, decals, and gilding

Description

One of a set of 17 round porcelain dessert plates with flowers, fruits, and birds in their centers, colorful bands around the rims, and decorative gilt ornament. This plate features a bird with purple head, blue and white wings, orange throat, and yellow breast perched on a brown branch over a bouquet of pink primroses, blue forget-me-nots, blue asters, yellow buttercups, and pink buds or berries, all with green foliage. A brown butterfly with yellow and light blue spots flies to the proper left of the yellow buttercups. The band around the rim is pink.

Dimensions

1 × 8 7/16 inches (2.5 × 21.4 cm)