

Basic Detail Report



Whistle

Date

1880 ca.

Description

Nanny whistle made of sterling silver with an amber handle. No pea. Four nickel-silver jingle bells attached to either side of mouthpiece, and a sterling silver ring on back for attaching as a pendant. The handles of nanny whistles were used as teething toys, the jingle bells were

to entertain, and the whistle was to call for older children.

Dimensions

Length: 88 mm / 3.464 in Width (at widest point): 21.1 mm / 0.831 in