

Ming Blue and White Lidded Small Jar

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Short Description

late Ming small jar made during the Emperor Wanli's reign c1600 for storage of ginger / spices.

Painted with jumping boys waving banners, flying kites or holding flags on a terrace / garden setting in front of a fence

Small jars such as these were the original size of ginger jars a term which came later to refer to any lidded jar regardless of size. Ginger was an expensive spice and needed careful storage

10cm tall with out the cover

Good 19th century wooden replacement lid

More Information

Year	1600
Medium	Porcelain
Country	China
Condition	Good