



Horse mask

Date

1890-1910

Primary Maker

Unknown

Medium

Buffalo hide, glass beads, broadcloth, silk ribbon, and brass bells

Description

Beaded felt horse head cover laid over hide. Beaded decoration is laid out in four squares, alternating between green and ochre. The eye holes are surrounded by either a red or blue square with the general square lay-out and the holes proper are outlined with white beads. The mask is trimmed in red broadcloth and finished at the top and bottom with green silk, and at the top, a row of brass bells.

Dimensions

Object: 17 1/2 × 17 1/2 × 1/2" (44.5 × 44.5 × 1.3 cm)