

Worcester porcelain tea bowl and saucer

£45



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Height: 5.5 cm (2.2")

Diameter: 8.5 cm (3.3")

Description

An 18th century Worcester porcelain tea bowl and saucer from the Flight & Barr period, circa 1790.

The Worcester Flight and Barr period refers to a significant era in English porcelain production, spanning from 1783 to 1840. During this time, the Worcester porcelain factory was managed first by Thomas Flight and later in partnership with Martin Barr. Renowned for their innovation and artistry, Flight and Barr pieces often featured elegant neo-classical designs, rich gilding, and intricate hand-painted decoration.

The period is divided into sub-periods, reflecting changes in management and style. These wares were highly prized by the elite, even receiving royal patronage. Today, Flight and Barr porcelain is collectible, valued for its fine quality and historical significance.