


# Decorative vase with lid with sitting monkey on top

India / South Asia Collection

Accession Nr.:	53.251.1-3 
Type:	vase; ceramics
Date of production:	end of 19th c. Colonial period
Place of production:	India
Materials:	earthenware
Techniques:	fired; glazed; wheel-trown
Dimensions:	height: 34 cm width: 22.3 cm

Decorative vase in three pieces. The body is a slightly flattened spherical vase, narrow rim at the top, wide mouth opening. Yellow, green, red-brown ornaments on a dark brown background, tendril and flower patterns: among them, in the form of four round medallions, a figure of a seated man, in the floral ornaments between the medallions, two hamsas (Indian swans). The interior is ochre in color. On the top of the lid, a figure of a monkey is sitting.

Composition of the Bombay School of Applied Arts, based on an old model.

