

# Brush washer

Chinese Collection

Accession Nr.: **51.172.1** 

Type: **object for daily use; pottery**

Date of production: Turn of the 18th - 19th centuries  
Qing dynasty

Place of production: **Jiangxi, China**

Materials: **porcelain**

Techniques: **glazed**

Dimensions: height: 3.3 cm  
diameter (mouth): 11.3 cm  
diameter (base): 8.5 cm

Acquisition: collected by János Xántus

Flat bowls with mouth rims that slightly turn inwards formed a part of the equipment of scholars' tables and served as brush washers. The shape gained popularity during the Kangxi reign (1662-1722).

