


# Netsuke: Bunbuku chagama (the lucky teakettle), teakettle in the shape of a raccoon dog

Japanese Collection

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| Accession Nr.:       | 50.209.1  |
| Type:                | wooden sculpture; object for daily use; netsuke; accessory                                 |
| Date of production:  | First half of 19th century<br>Edo (Tokugawa) period  |
| Place of production: | Japan  |
| Materials:           | wood   |
| Techniques:          | carved   |
| Dimensions:          | height: 2.5 cm<br>width: 4.3 cm  |

Japanese men kept their personal belongings in the belt of their kimono. These were fastened to the belt of the kimono: a suspension cord attached to the object ran under the textile sash with a counterweight knotted on the other end.

