



Glasgow School Patinated Brass Clock with Mother-of-Pearl Inlay c.1900

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£1,100

PERIOD	Arts & Crafts Movement , 1900-1909
YEAR	1900
STYLE	Glasgow School
ORIGIN	United Kingdom
MATERIALS	Brass
DIMENSIONS	H: 6.3 in (16 cm) W: 6.5 in (16.5 cm) D: 2.17 in (5.5 cm)
CONDITION	Good

About this piece

Clock in patinated brass, of the *Arts and Crafts Movement* (1880–1910), within the *Glasgow School* style. The architectural body is tapered in profile with whiplash handles to the sides and **mother-of-pearl** inlaid squares to the front and base. The dial is raised in low relief with stylised numerals, characteristic of the sculptural treatment of surface developed by Glasgow designers around 1900.

The restrained use of ornament and the integration of geometric form with delicate inlay reflect the school's balanced approach to structure and decoration. The rich patina softens the angular lines, while the inlay adds a cool, luminous contrast. A fine and representative piece of Glasgow School metalwork, uniting precision craftsmanship with expressive simplicity.