

Basic Detail Report



Effigy Jar

Date

1550-1650

Primary Maker

Oneota

Medium

Clay, buff, pigment, black, carson red

Description

Human head jar of clay and black and red pigments. The human face has impressions for eye sockets, and defined eyelids and eyeballs. The nose comes to a distinct point and the mouth is slightly open with two rows of visible teeth. Around the forehead, on the temples, and in the center of the forehead are traces of black pigment. The scalp is covered in red pigment. The ear on the face's

right side has 6 piercings. On the top of the head is a raised cylindrical opening.

Dimensions

Overall: 7 3/4 × 7 1/4 × 7 in. (19.7 × 18.4 × 17.8 cm)