

Bucranium Mirror.

This waist-shaped mirror frame has a distinctive 'bucranium' or ox skull cresting. The bucranium motif originated through the practice of adorning Roman temples with sacrificial oxen and garlanding them with fruit and flowers. It subsequently became a key motif of the Doric order of architecture and later the Neoclassical revival of the 1770s.

Dimensions

Rectangular:

Height 41³/₄ in (106cm) Width 21³/₄ in (55cm) Depth 2 in (5cm)

Waist-shaped:

Height 39¹/₄ in (99.5cm) Width 26 in (66cm) Depth 2¹/₄ in (6cm)

Price

Rectangular £1,900 (+VAT)

Waist-shaped £2,200 (+VAT)

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