



Whistle

Date

600-900 CE

Primary Maker

Maya

Medium

Ceramic and pigment

Description

Whistle in the form of a female dignitary, late Classic period, Maya culture, Jaina Island, Campeche, Mexico. Possibly funerary offering. In shape of a kneeling woman in a huipil resting her hands on her missing knees. Beautifully modeled face. Maya blue paint on red clay.

Dimensions

6 1/4 × 3 5/8 in. (15.9 × 9.2 cm)