



**Hera Cameo Brooch with Sardonyx Natural Pearl and Gold, Circa 1890
£4,800.00**

An antique cameo brooch, depicting Hera, the ancient Greek goddess of women, marriage and childbirth, on a sardonyx hardstone cameo, with a dark brown background, mounted in yellow gold surround, set with six, natural half pearls, spaced between sets of three white enamel lines, with a glazed locket back, which appears to contain woven hair. With French eagle marks for 18ct gold and a maker's mark, circa 1890.

Origin	European Other
Period	19th Century
Materials	Gold
Main Gemstone	Agate
Style	Neo Classical
Condition	Fair
Carat for Gold	18 K
Hallmark	French eagle head
Dimensions	44.9 x 37.3mm

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