



**A PAIR OF CHINESE EXPORT 'FAMILLE ROSE'
PORCELAIN GINGER JARS**

Dimensions: H: 18 in / 46 cm | Dia: 10 in / 25 cm

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The [porcelain](#) vases and covers decorated in a traditional 'famille rose' colour palette of pinks, blues, yellows, green and turquoise, the baluster bodies hand-painted with Chinese 'scholar's objects' underneath a geometric floral border, the domed covers with conforming decoration.
Chinese, mid-19th century

These porcelain vases feature the classic 'Hundred Antiquities' motif, displaying a collection of traditional [Chinese](#) scholar's objects and symbols. These include books, scrolls, incense burners, a table screen, a wrapped guqin, and decorative vessels holding meaningful items like red coral and peacock feathers. Together, this rich decoration represents traditional wishes for scholarly success, wealth, high official rank, and a culturally refined life.

