

VARANASI WOODEN LACQUERWARE & TOYS

These toys are made without any joints, and are attractive and safe playthings for children. The colours used are bright and primary. Kashmiri Ganj and Khojwa are the major centers of production. The toys have a ritual significance also and are not made just for play.

This craft plays a pivotal role in the lives of the artisans, since when a child is born a new lathe is added to the family possessions. In fact, when a marriage is being fixed the boy's family makes sure that the bride-to-be is familiar with the lathe. Sets of birds, animals, musicians and dance ensembles are also available packed in boxes.

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