



## Bottle

### Date

ca. 1000-1500

### Primary Maker

Maya (archaeological culture)

### Medium

pottery

### Description

The cult of the Raingod, Tlaloc, was introduced to the Maya during the Classic period. The god also occurs in Teotihuacan art (1-700) and can be identified by its large "goggle" eyes and convoluted upper lip. As the guardian of water, Tlaloc often appeared in the guise of a serpent.

### Dimensions

Overall: 8 1/4 x 4 5/8 x 4 7/8 in. (21 x 11.7 x 12.4 cm)