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Provenience: Africa Kenya

People or Culture: Kamba location Kyauyuka

Object: Apron (nzeze)

Material: Beads, sisal fibre

Description: Apron is worn by older unmarried girls when out walking or at dances. Usually sold to younger girls at marriage. Rectangle of close beadwork having a design of small triangles of two shades of blue, green, and yellow outlined in red on a white ground. Short strung bead loops predominately yellow decorate the bottom. A twisted sisal fibre string ties around the waist.

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Dimensions: Width 27 cm. Length 15½ cm.  
(in cm.)

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Collection: Field Museum Natural History Purchase 1974  
Collected by Mrs. Ann Prewett 1972

