

# WHITE RABBIT - ALICE IN WONDERLAND

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Alice's Adventures in Wonderland (commonly shortened to Alice in Wonderland) is an 1865 novel written by English author Charles Lutwidge Dodgson under the pseudonym Lewis Carroll. It tells the story of a girl named Alice who falls down a rabbit hole into a fantasy world populated by peculiar and anthropomorphic creatures. The tale plays with logic in ways that have given the story lasting popularity with adults as well as children. It is considered to be one of the best examples of the literary nonsense genre, and its narrative course and structure have been enormously influential, especially in the fantasy genre.

### WHITE RABBIT

The White Rabbit is a fictional character in Lewis Carroll's book Alice's Adventures in Wonderland. He appears at the very beginning of the book, in chapter one, wearing a waistcoat, and muttering "Oh dear! Oh dear! I shall be too late!" Alice follows him down the rabbit hole into Wonderland. Alice encounters him again when he mistakes her for his housemaid Mary Ann and she becomes trapped in his house after growing too large. The Rabbit shows up again in the last few chapters, as a herald-like servant of the King and Queen of Hearts.

### REVERSE DESIGN

A full colour image of the white rabbit created from the original illustrations in the Alice in Wonderland book. Surrounded by an engraved clock which goes backwards as time goes back in wonderland.

### OBVERSE DESIGN

The Raphael Maktouf effigy of Her Majesty the Queen Elizabeth II sovereign of the commonwealth of the Pitcairn Islands.



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## SPECIFICATIONS

Metal	.999 Silver
Finish	Proof
Weight	1 troy oz
Diameter	40.7mm
Edge	Milled
Denomination	NZ\$2
Country of Issue	Pitcairn Island
Year of Issue	2011
Mintage	15,000



Actual Size

## WHITE RABBIT REPLICA CLOCK DISPLAY CASE

