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HERITAGE LIVING IN AN UNSPOILED LANDSCAPE



Welcome to this charming and expansive six-bedroom country residence, offering approximately 3,800 sq ft of character-rich living space set within just under an acre of beautiful grounds. Dating back to the 17th century, with a thoughtfully integrated 1960s extension, this unlisted property blends period warmth with modern practicality and is close to amenities and commuter links.



KEY FEATURES

- A beautiful detached six-bedroom farmhouse
- A wonderful plot of approximately an acre with pond, lawns and walled garden
- Approximately 3800 square feet of living space.
- Three large reception rooms
- Large and social Farmhouse kitchen
- Living space set over three storeys
- Walking distance to local village via footpaths
- Parking for multiple vehicles
- No Chain
- A short drive from the amenities and London train links of Diss

This property is an exceptional opportunity to secure a substantial and elegant country home in one of Suffolk's most sought-after rural locations. For families who enjoy entertaining, extended families wishing to spend time together you will relish the rooms connected by meandering corridors and the labyrinth hide and seek friendly nature of this congenial welcoming house. The home has always been full to the brim of children who have had an enchanted upbringing here.

Step Inside

Internally, the home offers an exceptional sense of flow, with beautifully balanced, light-filled rooms and impressively high ceilings throughout. Partially glazed double doors open to the entrance hall, setting the tone for the refined interiors beyond and leads to the sitting room, drawing room, snug, and the expansive kitchen-breakfast room. The sitting room, with cloakroom just beside it, is a magnificent, generously scaled space, bathed in natural light from its triple aspect and is currently used as a games and music room, ideal for family fun – or piano practice away from more relaxed rooms! Equally impressive, the double-aspect drawing room features a distinguished chimneypiece and elegant timber-framed French windows, creating a perfect setting for both formal entertaining and relaxed living and is a go to space for a cosy catch up in winter. The superb kitchen is designed for entertaining on a grand scale, comfortably accommodating a dining table for 14 or more and doubling up as the laid-back focal point where folks gather around the table and exchange the dealings of the day. Of course, the beauty is that you can enjoy your glass of red whilst chatting to the chef too, when it's just the two of you at home. The kitchen flows effortlessly into a relaxed snug, which has in the past been used as a more formal dining area, complete with French windows that open directly onto the terrace for coffee after a meal. A charming conservatory extends from the family room, with views of the pond to calm the spirit, while a tranquil sunroom off the rear hallway offers further space to unwind and completes the home, bringing together warmth, authenticity, and an abundance of natural light.





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Period Character & Modern Comforts

Originally constructed in the 1600s, the property boasts timber-framed architecture, later rendered for longevity, with a harmonious 1960s extension broadening the internal footprint. The home is not listed, providing exceptional freedom for modernisation or future enhancements and the layout flows well, offering versatility for the home to evolve with you, oozing a warm welcoming atmosphere and with cosy intimate corners to explore. Christmas and celebrations hosted here over the years have been very special, with space for all to come together and room to sprawl out of the kitchen after dinner, whether to snooze in the snug, chat in the sitting room or play games.

Exploring Upstairs

The first floor hosts no less than five beautifully appointed bedrooms accessed from a central staircase. The principal bedroom has a wonderful Jack & Jill ensuite and is interlinked to a smaller bedroom offering the perfect nursery suite, children's rooms, or a private teen bedroom and lounge. With a further family bathroom and extra loo, there are no arguments or wait if someone is taking a luxurious bath! A further two bedrooms on the second floor share a well-appointed bathroom, making an ideal guest or perhaps au-pair arrangement. A substantial loft room offers exceptional storage and could easily be transformed into an additional nursery suite, playroom, or studio if desired.

Step Outside

Approached by traditional 5-bar wooden gates, the expansive shingle driveway welcomes family and friends with plenty of room for parking. Adjoining the building is a useful store too, great for bikes, garden equipment or that extra freezer. Set in just under an acre, the grounds are a blend of charm and practicality and include a peaceful pond, generous lawns, and a delightful walled garden which frame the property beautifully. The setting is idyllic: private yet wonderfully connected to the surrounding countryside and the rear, generous south-west-facing terrace, offers the perfect spot for al fresco dining, barbecues and entertaining. The terrace leads to wonderful lawns, mature specimen trees, and shrubs, and offers something for all the family, whether games on the green lawns, a shady spot under the beautiful trees to read, or simply to entertain friends. To the west, a further walled garden which once housed a swimming pool, now hosts a summerhouse and offers additional privacy for civilised afternoon tea, and bordering the churchyard is a tranquil pond, framed by a copse of ancient trees. There is ample space for a greenhouse and a kitchen garden for those "grow your own" fans, and in the past the house has dined on fruits and veggies grown right here. Regular wildlife visitors include Herons, Bats and a multitude of birdlife enjoying the greenery.

































INFORMATION



On The Doorstep

A network of idyllic footpaths allows you to walk directly into Eye or take a short stroll to the renowned Oaksmere hotel. Excellent schools nearby include the well-regarded Hartismere School in Diss and Framlingham College. Historic Eye is just 2 miles away with a Norman castle, 14th Century fine church and a superb variety of amenities, including independent shops, cafés, restaurants, a popular weekly country market, an arts centre plus practical services including a GP surgery, pharmacy, and dental practice along with supermarkets.

How Far Is It To....

The bustling market town of Diss, 4.5 miles away provides supermarkets, independent shops, and cafés along with a railway station with direct trains to London Liverpool Street. Framlingham town offers further amenities with its impressive castle for culture vultures and Bury St Edmunds is within easy reach for retail shopping, independent shops, cafés, delicatessens, restaurants, public houses, and a thriving hotel. For days out the Suffolk heritage coast is just 50 minutes away along with Jimmy's Farm.

Directions: From Diss head south on the A140 and take a left on to the B1077 and then the first left on to Rectory Road. Follow the road down and the property is on the right before the church.

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Broadband Available – Please check www.openreach.com/fibre-checker.
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Local Authority: Mid Suffolk District Council
Tenure: Freehold



1ST FLOOR
1151 sq.ft. (106.9 sq.m.) approx.



2ND FLOOR
868 sq.ft. (80.7 sq.m.) approx.



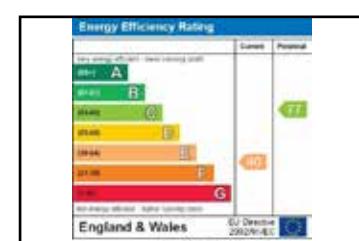
TOTAL FLOOR AREA (approx.)

Accommodation: 3595 sq.ft (334.0 sq.m) - Outbuildings: 153 sq.ft (14.2 sq.m)

Measurements are approximate. Not to scale. Illustrative purposes only.

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