



Grade II* Listed Building with Planning Consent for Conversion to Five Residential Flats

FOR SALE



12 Kings Square, Bridgwater, TA6 3DG.

- Located adjacent to the town centre overlooking Kings Square.
- Arranged over four floors, with a basement.
- Yard at rear providing two off road car parking spaces.
- Total accommodation 3,160 sq ft / 293.5 sq m.
- Freehold Guide Price: £250,000.

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LOCATION

The property is situated in the finest location within the centre of the historic town of Bridgwater being one of the original terraces flanking King Square during the period 1807 to 1830. King Square was built on the site of the original Bridgwater Castle and comprises large Georgian houses arranged around an original walled and landscaped garden.

Over time many of these buildings were converted to office use but in recent years there has been a general trend towards returning the buildings to their original residential use and indeed the two properties flanking no.12 have been converted to houses.

Bridgwater itself is a historic market town expanding rapidly in commercial importance with substantial expansion on the outskirts which are expanding its prosperity. Recent developments include the regional livestock market and the Avon & Somerset Police Headquarters. Bridgwater benefits from excellent access to the M5 motorway at junctions 23 and 24 and the A38 trunk road leading to Bristol approximately 35 miles to the north and Taunton 10 miles to the south.

As well as public car parks within the town centre there is on-street car parking within King Square itself, and sufficient area for parking two vehicles at the rear of the property.

DESCRIPTION

The property offers a rare opportunity to undertake a full renovation of this landmark Georgian building, positioned in a most prestigious location within the town of Bridgwater.

The property dates from the early 1800's and is Grade II* listed as part of a group including no.10 - 14 King Square.

The property is relatively original in its internal layout, although some partition walls have been added during the period of its occupation for office purposes, and an extension has been added to the ground floor.

It retains a wealth of original features with a number of stunning fireplaces, a beautiful original staircase, large sash windows and original cornicing, doors and architraves.

Particularly the upper floors have remained untouched for decades.

Some re-decoration and tidying of the building have commenced recently, we believe new services have been connected however re-wiring, plumbing and heating are required.

The accommodation is arranged on four principal floors and a large basement.

The property has a Mansard tiled roof behind a parapets and is constructed of local brick with an imposing entrance approached by way of steps from the pavement with railings and a paved light well to the frontage.

Within the property the accommodation comprises the following:-

Ground floor

Original panelled front door with fan light above opening into a large entrance hallway with inner door into a further hallway with stairs to the upper floors and to the basement. Door into the **Front principal room** (currently sub-divided) with two sash windows to the frontage, impressive marble fireplace and cornicing (16'6" x 17'3") overall; inter-connecting door to **Rear Office** (14'9" x 13'2") with original fireplace and extension area (10'6" x 13'7") with sash window and stainless steel sink unit with base cupboard and further cupboards with worktop; half flight of stairs down to kitchen/staff rooms (16'3" x 10'2") with modern entrance door from the rear, windows to the side, cupboard and incoming water supply.

Basement:

An impressive original basement area with flooring of either flagstones or brick, and comprising several areas comprising vaulted store (9'3" x 4") with incoming gas supply, front store room (15'10" x 16'3") with original kitchen fireplace, rear store room (12'6" x 14'11") and 11' x 11' with a further original fireplace and copper/boiler. Understairs cupboard.

First floor:

Half landing on staircase with W.C principal front **Drawing Room/Office** (23'1" x 16'8") comprising the full width of the building with an impressive ceiling height of 12'2" original cornicing superb ornate fireplace, full height sash windows and superb proportions. Door into **Rear Room** (currently sub-divided) (13'8" x 15'4") with fireplace with ornate mantel, original sash window to the rear.

Second floor:

Front Room 1 (16'9" x 13'11") with sash window and inter-connecting door with **Front Room 2** (8'9" x 13'3") also with sash window; **Rear Room** (15'9" x 13'5") also with sash window; staircase with window to the rear leading to;

Third floor:

Front Room 1 (15'9" x 11'5"); **Room 2** (11'5" x 12'5") with windows overlooking King Square and **Rear Room** (15'11" x 13'2"). Loft hatch access to front and rear.

ACCOMMODATION

Our measured internal floor areas are as follow:-

Ground floor	699 sq ft
Ground floor rear	165 sq ft
Basement	614 sq ft
First floor	595 sq ft
Second floor	556 sq ft
Third floor	531 sq ft
Total	3,160 sq ft / (293.5 m²)

SERVICES

All main services are connected, including gas, but have not been tested.

TOWN PLANNING

The property is Grade II* listed. It has established use for B1 office purposes. Planning consent reference number – 08/16/00166 has been granted, together with Listed Building consent reference number – 08/16/00167 for the conversion of the property into five 1 bedroom flats. A plan is shown below.

BUSINESS RATES

Rateable Value is £13,750. Interested parties should make their own enquiries with the Local Authority to ascertain the rates payable. A change in occupation may trigger an adjustment in the rating assessment.

GUIDE PRICE

The property is available freehold with vacant possession at a guide price of **£250,000**.



