

SA1008357

Antique Author's Chest, English, Secretaire Cabinet, Glazed Bookcase, Georgian

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1008357****Date of manufacture: Georgian**

Dimensions

Height = 190 cm (74.8")

Width = 84 cm (33.1")

Depth = 46 cm (18.1")

Description

This is an antique author's chest. An English, flame mahogany breakfront secretaire cabinet, dating to the Georgian period, circa 1780. Beautifully alluring cabinetry, with superb colour and of useful proportion. Displaying a desirable aged patina and in good order. Select flame stocks present fine grain interest. Rich caramel hues beam beneath a quality wax polish finish. Graced with a narrow proportion, perfect for a nook or alcove. Appointed with purpose, offering a display shelf, writing skiver and drawers. Gallery rail to the top, adorned with small brass finials. Glazed book shelf upper, with adjustable shelves. Double-fronted upper drawer with drop fascia to reveal the secretaire function. Beautifully aged inset crimson leather skiver ahead of a bank of drawers and compartments. Each fascia dressed with a pair of brass drop handles. Working locks throughout, supplied with two keys for the upper and lower section. This is a striking antique author's chest, with a suite of features to accommodate the avid writer or reader's needs. Set within a wonderful slim-line, quality cabinet and useful throughout the home. Solid joints and construction, delivered waxed, polished and rea...

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