

SA1227600

Antique William IV Writing Table Desk C1835 19th Century 138x77cm

Price

GBP 2,850

| USD \$3,849 | EUR 3,333

Item Reference: SA1227600

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 78 cm (30.7")

Width = 138 cm (54.3")

Depth = 77 cm (30.3")

Description

A superb antique William IV flame mahogany writing table, circa 1835 in date. The rectangular top features a moulded edge with a striking inset gold tooled green leather writing surface with two drawers in the frieze. The drawers with the original wooden knobs, solid mahogany linings and hand cut dovetails. It is raised on four stylised lotus carved legs, typical of the William IV Period, that terminate in brass and brown porcelain cap castors. It is finished on all sides so that it can stand freely in the middle of a room. Complete with working locks and keys. Condition: In excellent condition, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 78 cm x Width 138 cm x Depth 77 cm Dimensions in inches: Height 2 foot, 7 inches x Width 4 foot, 6 inches x Depth 2 foot, 6 inches Flame Mahogany Thomas Sheraton - 18th century furniture designer, once characterized mahogany as "best suited to furniture where strength is demanded as well as a wood that works up easily, has a beautiful figure and polishes so well that it is an ornament to any room in which it may be placed." Matching his words to his work, Sheraton designed much mahogany furniture. The qualities ...

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