

**SA511133**

## Antique Bureau Bookcase, English, Late Georgian, Mahogany, Writing c.1800

Price

**Sold****Item Reference: SA511133****Date of manufacture: Georgian**

### Dimensions

Height = 211 cm (83.1")

Width = 119 cm (46.9")

Depth = 59 cm (23.2")

## Description

This is an antique bureau bookcase, an English, late Georgian, mahogany writing desk c.1800. A very fine bureau bookcase in flame mahogany displaying good colour and grain interest. Featuring good proportions, useful storage, generous workspace and secret drawers. A pair of 14 pane astragal glazed doors sit beneath a well figured frieze. Elaborate, pierced bronzed lock escutcheons topped with spread eagles. Working lock and key opening doors to reveal a pair of adjustable shelves. The fall with working lock and key through moulded asymmetric lock escutcheon. Superb grain detail and a frame of roped inlay in boxwood and ebony. Opening to reveal a generous workspace at a comfortable height. A professionally fitted, fine suede writing surface. Triple arched cubbies complemented by a suite of five drawers to each side. Dressed with circular bronzed pulls featuring lion masks. A central cupboard with faux document slides, lock and key not operational. A push catch within the cupboard releases the whole section. Completely withdraws to access secret drawers behind. Beneath a suite of cock-headed, graduated drawers arranged '3 over 3'. Asymmetric lock escutcheons, locks present, key absent. Fi...

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