



POST OFFICE COTTAGE

MAIN STREET | GIFFORD | HADDINGTON | EAST LOTHIAN



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Summary of Accommodation

Ground Floor: Entrance Vestibule, Open Plan Sitting Dining Room, Two Double Bedrooms, Hallway, Kitchen, and Bathroom

About: 534 sqft

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A spacious 2-bedroom ground floor apartment with a flexible open plan layout in the heart of the picturesque village of Gifford, at the foot of the Lammermuir Hills

Haddington 5 miles, Edinburgh 23 miles, Edinburgh Airport 29 miles (All distances are approximate).





SITUATION:

The highly regarded village of Gifford is situated approximately 24 miles from Edinburgh, in the foothills of the Lammermuir Hills. The village, with its picturesque village green, pretty stone cottages and Yester House accessed from the avenue, is steeped in history and Reverend John Witherspoon, a signatory on the Declaration of Independence, was born there. Most of the traditional stone buildings were originally estate workers cottages and their charming, mellowed stone construction, together with the Gifford Water running through the village, provide Gifford's much sought after and quite delightful ambience.

The village boasts a local store, a newsagent/post office, a park with a play area, the Goblin Ha' and the Tweeddale Hotels, a garage, Church, popular café, delicatessen, a designer homeware shop and a highly regarded primary school. Two golf courses lie close by, and there is a popular sports club in the village. There is a very active community with attractive village Hall and Gifford hosts over 20 interest groups including an award-winning community film club, art group, horticultural society and community woodland group, mini rugby, cricket, and bridge club.

A much wider range of facilities, including supermarkets, a leisure centre with swimming pool, Compass private primary school and the Knox Academy secondary school, are available at the nearby county town of Haddington (approximately 5 miles away). Loretto School (prep and senior) at Musselburgh is around 20 minutes' drive away. The property is ideally placed for the wealth of sporting opportunities available throughout the county - inland, in the nearby Lammermuir Hills or on the coast, a short drive away.

There are local buses from Gifford to Haddington and surrounding villages. Also express buses from Haddington to Edinburgh, Dunbar and Berwick. The nearest train station at Drem is approximately a 20-minute drive, or Dunbar, a 25-minute drive, which has direct trains to London.

DESCRIPTION:

Post Office Cottage is a 2-bedroom ground floor apartment on the Main Street of the pretty and peaceful village of Gifford, which is a popular spot for locals, visitors, and notably cyclists heading to or from the Lammermuir Hills. Post Office Cottage would be ideal for a first-time buyer or buy to let investor.

The front door opens into an entrance vestibule which leads through to the open plan Sitting Room and Dining Room. The Sitting Room is a generous space, with ample room for comfortable lounge furniture. The Dining Area is currently set up by the window which looks out onto the Main Street in Gifford and provides plenty of room for a suitable table and chairs.

From the Sitting room a doorway with a step up leads through to the back hall, from which the Kitchen and Bathroom are accessed. The Kitchen is fitted with a range of base and wall mounted units with white shaker style cabinetry and a laminated stone effect worktop. The Kitchen is furnished with an integrated electric hob, oven, extractor hood, washing machine, and a freestanding fridge. The Bathroom is adjacent, and benefits from a shower cubicle with electric shower, basin, and WC.



The Principal Bedroom is a spacious room with a south facing window and space for bedroom furniture. The second bedroom is a generous and bright bedroom, currently set up with bunk beds, but with plenty of room for a double. This room would also suit a variety of other uses such as a home office for those who continue to work from home. Both bedrooms are accessible from the open plan Sitting and Dining Room.

GENERAL REMARKS AND INFORMATION:

Fixtures and Fittings

Only items specifically mentioned in the Particulars of Sale are included in the sale price. Some items of furniture may be available by separate negotiation.

Services

Mains electricity, drainage, and water, with electric heating.

Viewing

Strictly by appointment only with Rettie & Co. 0131 220 4160. Email: townandcountry@rettie.co.uk

Satellite Navigation

For the benefit of those with satellite navigation the postcode for the properties is EH41 4QH

EPC – Band E

Local Authority

East Lothian Council, John Muir House, Brewery Park, Haddington, East Lothian EH41 3HA. Tel: 01620 827 827

Council Tax – Band B

Entry and Vacant Possession

Entry and vacant possession will be by mutual agreement.

Home Report:

A Home Report incorporating a Single Survey, Energy Performance Certificate and Property Questionnaire is available for parties genuinely interested in this property. Please contact us, either by telephone or via the website entry for this property, to request a copy. No charge is made for electronic copies; a paper copy can also be made available from our offices or by post, at a charge of £20 to cover reproduction and administrative costs.

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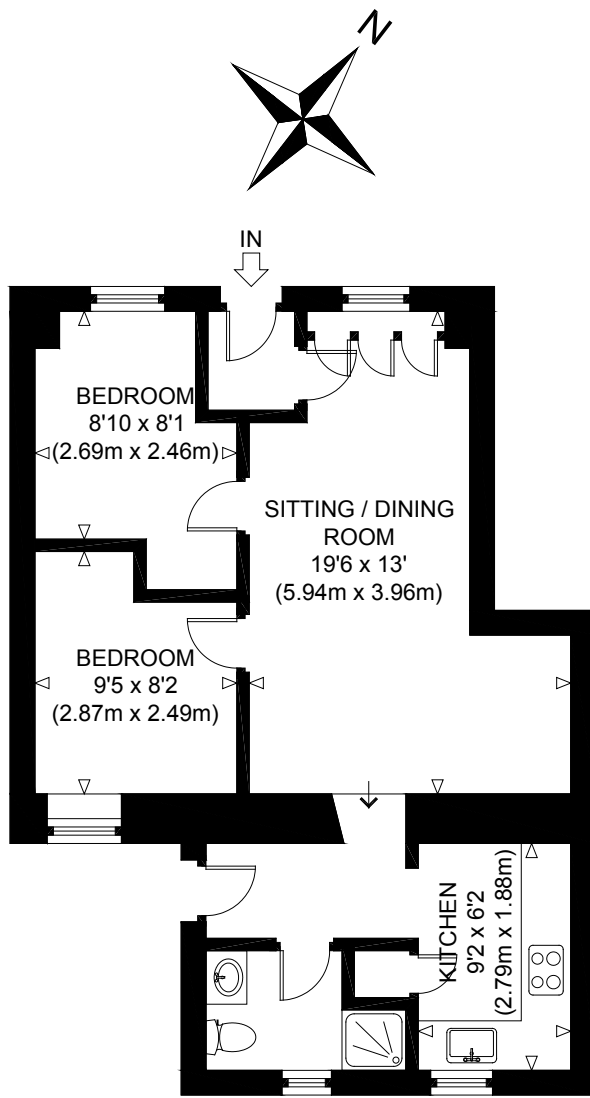
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