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47 Market Street, Appledore, Bideford, EX39 1PP

A rare opportunity to acquire this historic, coastal property.

Serendipity Cottage is well-named, occupying a prime position in the most sought-after part of picture-postcard Appledore, a few steps away from the stunning Quayside. The safe, sandy, 3-mile beach of Westward Hol is a delightful coastal walk or a few minutes' drive away and the nearby towns of Bideford and Barnstaple offer excellent amenities. Outdoor pursuits, watersports, fishing and golf plus the delights of Clovelly, Instow and Lundy Island with its seals and puffins make for unforgettable experiences all year round.

- 3 Double Bedrooms
- Grade II listed
- Heart of original village
- Sunny courtyards front and back
- Freehold
- 3 Reception Rooms
- Historic Property c.1647
- Exceptional character
- No onward chain
- Council tax band C

Guide Price £450,000

SITUATION

An ancient Saxon settlement, rich in maritime history, Appledore is named in the Domesday Book. Today, it is a thriving Devon community, proud home to an active RNLI station and host to the Annual Book Festival as well as to carnivals, regattas, a farmers' market, its own brass band, choirs and theatre group, an excellent village school, active church and outstanding local pubs. Its many popular cafe' and dining options, an award-winning deli, a Post Office, craft and antique shops amply serve locals and visitors alike.



DESCRIPTION

A spacious, well-maintained character cottage, teeming with hidden delights. Serendipity is the decades-long subject for photographers and artists and is rarely passed by without admiring comments. The diminutive front entrance faces the length of quaint Market Street and belies its exceptionally generous interior. The original cob walls and beamed structures have stood the test of time over hundreds of years, snugly protected by the surrounding cottages in a beguiling network of ancient drangs.

ACCOMMODATION

The long entrance hall, lined with bookcases, contains doors to the sunny front parlour and to the rear courtyard, before leading into the main dining room. All three living rooms have stone fireplaces and exposed beams. The galley kitchen has fitted units, space for all white goods and a freestanding oven. A kitchen door leads directly into the paved rear courtyard / garden. Upstairs, the three double bedrooms are filled with light, arranged around a small double landing and a shower bathroom with skylight and loft access.

OUTSIDE

The front courtyard enjoys full morning sun, which moves over to the rear garden / paved courtyard in the afternoon, ideal for al fresco dining. The large woodshed and outdoor WC comprise additional useful features.

PROPERTY INFORMATION

All mains connected

Gas central heating

Grade II listed

Cob and stone construction

Slate roof

According to Ofcom, Ultrafast broadband is available at the property. For further information such as mobile signal please see the Ofcom website.



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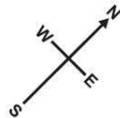


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(92 plus) A		
(81-91) B		
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(21-38) F		
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Not energy efficient - higher running costs		
England & Wales		
EU Directive 2002/91/EC		

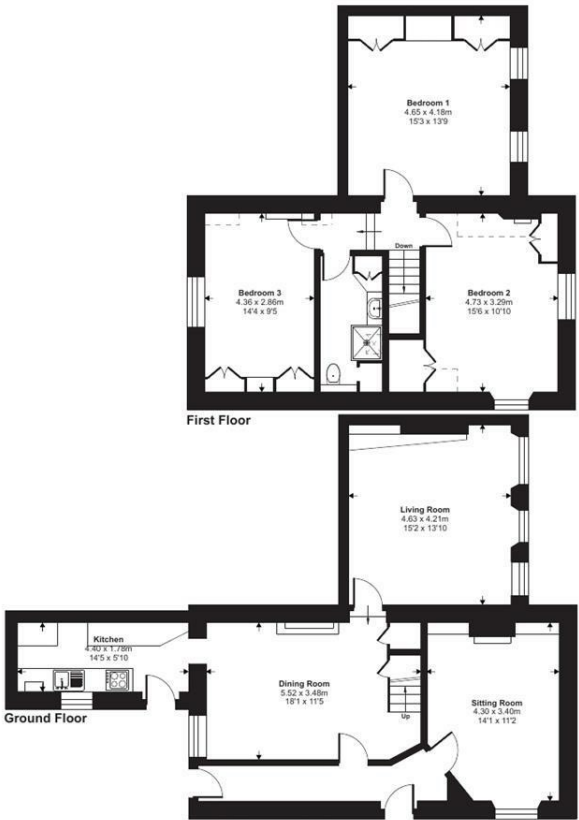
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Approximate Area = 1417 sq ft / 131.6 sq m
Limited Use Area(s) = 45 sq ft / 4.1 sq m
Total = 1462 sq ft / 135.7 sq m
For identification only - Not to scale



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