



Bowston

£495,000

Thorncop, Bowston, Kendal, LA8 9HD

Welcome to Thorncop, a delightful elevated detached house nestled in the serene surroundings of Bowston, offering spectacular countryside views. The hamlet of Bowston, near Burneside, is on the ever-popular Dales Way route.

Bowston offers easy access for the market towns of Kendal and Windermere and the bustling village of Staveley with its shops, school, church, pubs and railway station, but a few minutes' drive or cycle away.

A rare opportunity to purchase this imposing family home, offering excellent potential in an idyllic setting!

Quick Overview

- Detached period house
- Three bedrooms
- Two reception room
- Spectacular views
- Now ready for modernisation
- Serene surroundings
- Garage and driveway parking
- Set on a generous plot
- Selection of useful outbuildings
- Ultrafast broadband



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Ultrafast
available



Garage and
parking to drive

Property Reference: K7040



Entrance Porch



Living Room



Living Room



Dining Room

As you step inside, you're greeted by a welcoming porch that leads into a cosy entrance and living area. This space boasts a charming bay window, perfect for enjoying the picturesque views, and features built-in bookcases. Here the Arts and Crafts staircase ascends to the upper floor, with an understairs store providing the ideal spot for coats and boots.

The dining room, with its built-in storage and attractive fireplace (electric fire), invites you to envision cosy family meals. Adjacent is the kitchen, equipped with fitted wall and base units, a Zanussi oven with four-ring electric hob, a stainless-steel sink and an extractor fan.

Adjacent to the kitchen is a practical utility room, complete with plumbing for a washing machine and dryer and space for a fridge/freezer. It also houses the boiler and approved equipment for the private water supply with filters and ultraviolet treatment unit. A convenient cloakroom with a WC and wash basin is also located here.

Heading upstairs, a picture window floods the space with natural light. The first floor comprises two spacious double bedrooms, the first with enchanting views of the River Kent; the second with a useful hand basin feature; a versatile single bedroom is currently utilised as a walk-in wardrobe/office. The bathroom comprises a walk-in shower and wash basin, with an adjacent WC.

Set on a substantial plot surrounded by mature gardens including fruit trees, a vegetable plot and lawned areas, Thorncop enjoys breathtaking views. The front seating area is perfect for relaxation and taking in the outlooks, and two sheds provide ample storage for bikes and gardening tools. Greenhouse with power. A garage, ideal for use as a workshop, completes this charming property, which offers endless potential for modernisation and extension (subject to permissions). Embrace the charm of country living at Thorncop.

Having not been for sale for in excess of 40 years, this is an exciting and rare opportunity!

Accommodation with approximate dimensions:

Ground Floor

Entrance Porch

Living Room 11' 11" x 11' 0" (3.64m x 3.36m)

Understairs store

Dining Room 13' 5" x 10' 9" (4.11m x 3.28m)

Kitchen 10' 0" x 8' 5" (3.06m x 2.58m)

Utility

Cloakroom



Living Room



Kitchen



Kitchen



Shower Room



Bedroom Two



Bedroom 3/ Home Office

First Floor:

Bedroom One 13' 3" x 11' 11" (4.05m x 3.64m)

Bedroom Two 13' 5" x 12' 1" (4.11m x 3.69m)

Bedroom Three 10' 1" x 8' 2" (3.08m x 2.51m)

Bathroom

WC

Garage 16' 9" x 10' 10" (5.11m x 3.31m)

Property Information:

Tenure: Freehold.

Council Tax: Westmorland and Furness Council Tax - Band E.

Services: Private water supply, mains electric, oil fired heating and private drainage.

Please note that due to updated regulations for septic tanks and private drainage facilities, a survey has been conducted and is available for prospective buyers.

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Situated in Bowston, the property can be found by travelling through the village of Burneside and on entering Bowston take the first right over the bridge and Thorncop will be the second property to the right-hand side.

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Bedroom One



View



Garden



Rear Garden

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Approximate Area = 1370 sq ft / 127.2 sq m

Garage = 182 sq ft / 16.9 sq m

Total = 1552 sq ft / 144.1 sq m

For identification only - Not to scale



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A thought from the owners... “I’ve enjoyed 40 years in this delightful quiet home with walks from the house and pleasant afternoons in the garden.”

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