

**Old Newton House Church Road Old Newton** 

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# Old Newton House, Church Road, Old Newton, IP14 4ED.

Old Newton House is well positioned for access to local amenities, schooling, and transport links. The nearby town of Stowmarket offers **mainline rail connections to London Liverpool Street**, with the A14 providing routes towards **Bury St Edmunds**, **Cambridge**, and **Ipswich**.

Old Newton House is an elegant former rectory, dating back to 1823, beautifully positioned on the edge of a sought-after Suffolk village. Nestled within 7.5 acres of private grounds (subject to survey), the property enjoys a sense of seclusion, framed by a double-gated carriage driveway, mature specimen trees, and expansive gardens. A home of true distinction, this substantial residence offers over 5,775 sq. ft. of accommodation, blending period charm with modern practicality. The main house, with its grand reception rooms and light-filled kitchen/breakfast room, is complemented by a converted coach house, offering flexible use as guest accommodation with annexe potential (subject to planning), home office, or studio.

# Old Newton House – A Refined Country Residence in a Tranquil Setting

#### **Key Features**

- Elegant Georgian home with a wealth of original features.
- Double-gated driveway leading to an attractive front garden with specimen trees, ensuring privacy.
- 7.5 acres (STS) incorporating a wildflower meadow, orchard, and grazing paddock.
- Expansive reception rooms, ideal for entertaining and family living.
- Stunning kitchen/breakfast room, bathed in natural light, featuring an electric AGA.
- Five spacious double bedrooms, including a principal suite with ensuite and countryside views.
- Detached converted coach house, offering scope for a guest annexe, studio, or home office.
- Range of outbuildings, including a potting shed, woodstore, and brick storage sheds.

#### ACCOMMODATION.

#### **A Grand Entrance**

Approached via a sweeping double-gated driveway, the front of the property is framed by an immaculately maintained garden, dotted with mature specimen trees, creating a picturesque approach while ensuring a **high degree of privacy.** The sense of arrival is both impressive and inviting, setting the tone for the home beyond.

## A Light-Filled Kitchen at the Heart of the Home.

Stepping into the kitchen/breakfast room, it is immediately apparent that this is the true heart of the home. Bathed in natural light from a full-height arched sash window, the room enjoys uninterrupted views over the courtyard garden. The bespoke handcrafted hardwood cabinetry is complemented by a natural stone work surface, incorporating an inset sink with mixer tap. An electric AGA, positioned as a central focal point, provides not only cooking facilities but also gentle warmth, making this a welcoming space in all seasons.

**The breakfast area** is generously proportioned, currently housing a large farmhouse dining table and chairs, creating a perfect setting for casual family meals or relaxed gatherings. A built-in hardwood dresser offers further storage and display space.

## **Practicality & Storage – The Utility Room**

The adjoining utility room offers additional fitted storage, with a work surface incorporating an inset sink, as well as an integrated electric oven and hob. This practical space is ideal for catering overflow and **secondary food preparation.** 

## Reception Rooms - Grand, Yet Inviting

Designed for both entertaining and everyday comfort, Old Newton House features a selection of versatile reception rooms, each with its own unique character.

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**Drawing Room:** An elegant, bay-fronted space, with high ceilings, intricate cornicing, and fireplace with wood burner, offering a formal setting with views over the gardens.

**Dining Room:** Ideal for hosting, this beautifully proportioned room enjoys southerly aspects and is flooded with natural light.

Sitting Room: A more relaxed space, with a feature fireplace with wood burner and double aspect windows, perfect for cosy evenings or informal gatherings.

Conservatory & Garden Room: The dining room benefits from French doors opening directly into the conservatory, which in turn leads onto the garden room and courtyard garden, allowing for seamless indoor-outdoor living.

#### First Floor - Five Characterful Bedrooms

A sweeping staircase leads to a spacious landing, off which are five generous double bedrooms, each enjoying its own unique aspect over the surrounding grounds.

- The principal bedroom is a tranquil retreat, featuring built-in wardrobes and an ensuite bathroom, with views stretching across rolling countryside.
- The remaining four bedrooms offer charming period features, high ceilings, and fitted storage, each carefully positioned to enjoy either morning or evening light.
- The family bathroom is beautifully appointed, featuring a bath, separate shower, creating a luxurious space for relaxation.

## Outside Landscaped Gardens, Orchard & Paddocks

The grounds of Old Newton House are a haven for nature lovers, carefully designed to provide both formal gardens and natural landscapes.

- To the rear of the property, a courtyard garden offers a peaceful retreat, surrounded by mature planting.
- A hedged orchard is filled with a variety of mature fruit trees, providing seasonal produce.

- A wildflower meadow, carefully maintained with a selection of sapling specimen trees, enhances the biodiversity of the estate.
- The grassed paddock, enclosed by mature hedgerows, has been recently used for grazing, offering potential for equestrian use or smallholding activities.

## The Coach House – A Flexible Space with Private Facilities.

Positioned within the grounds, the converted coach house offers a versatile space over two floors, currently configured as a studio, bedroom, and kitchenette, making it ideal for guest accommodation, multigenerational living, or a home office. A shower room enhances the functionality of this space, featuring a modern walk-in shower, WC, and washbasin, providing a selfcontained living solution. The adjoining workshop and entertainment room add further scope for hobbies, workspace, or potential conversion.

## **Outbuildings & Practical Features**

A selection of outbuildings enhances the functionality of the estate, including:

- Double garage with storage.
- Potting shed & woodstore, ideal for garden maintenance.
- Brick storage sheds, offering further scope for conversion or utility.

**AGENTS NOTE:** One of the paddocks has an existing overage that expires in 2035. For further information please contact the office.

**SERVICES:** Mains drainage, water and oil-fired central heating **NOTE:** None of these services have been tested by the agent.

**LOCAL AUTHORITY**: Mid Suffolk District Council – G

**EPC RATING:** TBC.

**BROADBAND AND MOBILE:** Please see our website and Ofcom.org.uk for further details

**VIEWING:** Strictly by prior appointment only through DAVID BURR Woolpit office 01359 245245

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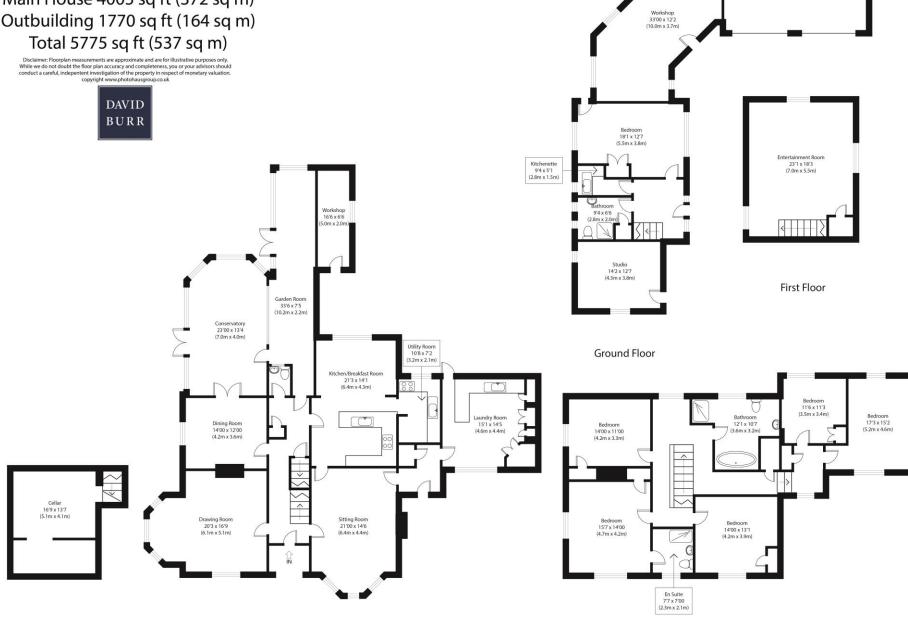








Approximate Gross Internal Area Main House 4005 sq ft (372 sq m) Outbuilding 1770 sq ft (164 sq m)



Double Garage 23'4 x 18'00

**Ground Floor** First Floor









