



Old Post Office

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£90,000 Auction Guide Price

For Sale by Public Auction on Wednesday 7th October 2026 at Lifton Strawberry Fields, Lifton, Devon, PL16 0DH at 7pm

Substantial former Post Office requiring comprehensive renovation

Generous gardens, ample parking and excellent garaging

Versatile accommodation with scope for re-configuration (STPP)

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Description

For sale by public auction, this substantial former village Post Office offers an exciting renovation opportunity, occupying a generous plot within the popular village of Whitstone on the Cornwall/Devon border.

Requiring comprehensive renovation and modernisation throughout, the property offers extensive and versatile accommodation arranged over three floors, having previously been arranged as two flats. The accommodation currently includes three bedrooms, two additional first-floor rooms, kitchen/dining room, living room, two bathrooms, shower room and useful loft space.

Externally, the property benefits from generous gardens with a productive vegetable plot, ample off-road parking and an excellent detached garage block comprising a double and adjoining single garage, which may offer potential for alternative uses or further development, subject to obtaining any necessary consents.

Further benefits include solar panels with battery storage, log burning stoves and countryside views. Conveniently situated for access to Bude, Holsworthy and Launceston, the property offers considerable potential and is likely to appeal to owner-occupiers, investors and those seeking a renovation project.



Situation

The village lies approximately 5 miles from the popular resort of Widemouth Bay, between Bude, Holsworthy and Launceston; each offering an extensive range of shopping and leisure facilities, including a Waitrose supermarket at Holsworthy, Exeter and access to the national Motorway network is approximately 50 miles to the east.

Whitstone is a thriving well regarded village with a post office/shop, primary school and two churches. There are an abundance of rural/woodland walks in the surrounding countryside to explore and escape from the everyday hustle and bustle.

Accommodation

uPVC double-glazed obscured door leading into:

ENTRANCE HALL

Ceiling light, tiled flooring, stairs to the first floor and door to:

BEDROOM

uPVC double-glazed window to the front aspect. Ceiling light, solar inverter and battery storage, carpeted flooring. Door to:

INNER HALLWAY

Carpeted and wood-effect flooring and storage cupboard. Ceiling light, uPVC double-glazed door to the side aspect and doors to:

BEDROOM

Twin uPVC double-glazed windows to the side aspect, ceiling light, air conditioning unit, carpeted flooring.

SHOWER ROOM

Three-piece suite comprising shower enclosure with electric shower over, pedestal handwash basin and WC, ceiling light, fan heater, wood-effect flooring.

KITCHEN/DINING ROOM

Kitchen area with stainless steel sink/drain unit, space for electric oven with hob over. uPVC double-glazed windows to the rear and side aspect, hot water cylinder. Ceiling lights, skylight, air conditioning unit, log burning stove, tiled and wood-effect flooring, Door to:

LIVING ROOM

Reception room with log burning stove and tiled flooring.

REAR PORCH/UTILITY

uPVC double-glazed window to the rear aspect and window to side. Ceiling light, wood-effect flooring. Doors to:

BATHROOM

Three-piece suite comprising panel-enclosed bath, pedestal handwash basin and WC. uPVC double-glazed obscured window to the rear aspect, laminate flooring.

STORAGE ROOM

Generous storage area with power and lighting connected.

Space and plumbing for washing machine. Velux window.

FIRST FLOOR LANDING

Airing cupboard housing hot water tank, ceiling light, wood-effect flooring, doors to:

ROOM

uPVC double-glazed patio doors to the side aspect. Ceiling light, air conditioning unit, electric radiator, carpet. Doors to:

ROOM

uPVC double-glazed window to the side aspect. Ceiling light.

BEDROOM

uPVC double-glazed window to the front aspect, ceiling light, electric radiator, cupboard housing consumer boards.

BATHROOM

Three-piece suite comprising shower with shower enclosure and aquabond backing, vanity unit with inset handwash basin and WC. uPVC double-glazed window to the rear aspect. Ceiling light, fan heater, continuation of wood-effect flooring.

Stairs rising to:

LOFT SPACE

Velux window to side aspect, partially boarded, power and lighting connected.

OUTSIDE

PARKING

The property is accessed over a hardcore drive leading to a parking area and garage block.

DOUBLE GARAGE & SINGLE GARAGE

Up-and-over door to the front aspect and timber door to side and window to rear. Power and lighting connected, with adjoining block-built single garage with up-and-over door to front aspect, power and lighting connected.

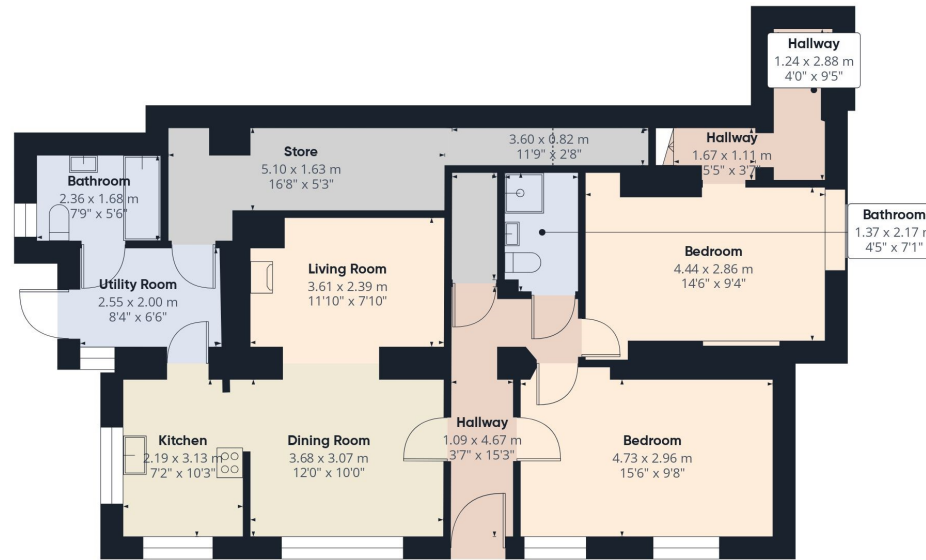
GARDENS

Fine-sized garden comprising lawned areas and generous and productive vegetable plot.

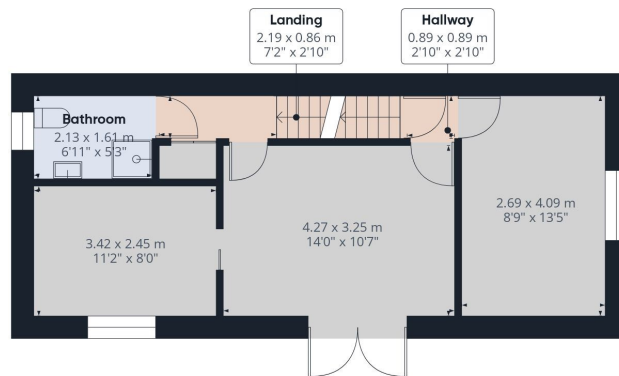


Floor Plan

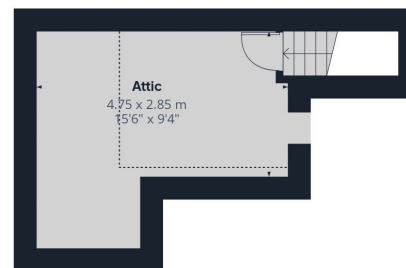
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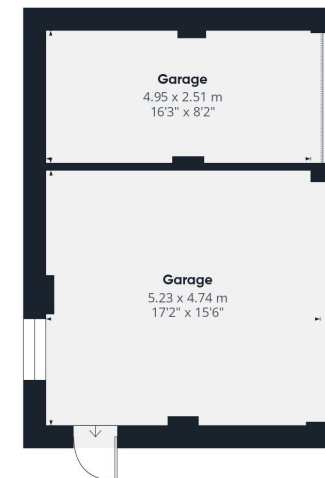
Floor 0 Building 1



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Floor 2 Building 1



Floor 0 Building 2

**Approximate total area⁽¹⁾**185.9 m²2000 ft²**Reduced headroom**9.2 m²99 ft²

(1) Excluding balconies and terraces

Reduced headroom

..... Below 1.5 m/5 ft

Calculations reference the RICS IPMS 3C standard. Measurements are approximate and not to scale. This floor plan is intended for illustration only.

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Auction Details

Auction Venue

Lifton Strawberry Fields, Lifton, Devon PL16 0DH on Wednesday 7th October 2026 at 7.00pm

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Solicitor

Jackie Ray, Brewer Harding Rowe

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Local Authority

Cornwall

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Plan of the Land

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Land Plan

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Services

Mains drainage, electricity and water. Solar panels with battery storage.

Tenure

Freehold



EE Rating - D and E



Council Tax Band - A and B



Directions

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Agents Notes

- 1.) Please note that the neighbouring property has a pedestrian right of way over the drive and rear of the property.
- 2.) Please note that we have been informed there is spray foam insulation present on the roof of the rear single storey extension.

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