

Antique Tallboy Correspondence Desk, French, Kingwood, Escritoire, Victorian



DESCRIPTION

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This is an antique tallboy correspondence desk. A French, drawing room escritoire in bookmatched kingwood, dating to the late Victorian period, circa 1900. A statement in both form and function, this fine cabinet exudes elegance and exceptional craftsmanship.

- Superb French craftsmanship, with exquisite bookmatched kingwood throughout
- Fall front desk, beautifully disguised as a faux drawer fascia, forming a practical writing surface
- Original tooled leather skiver in good order, positioned at a comfortable writing height of 72cm
- Striking satinwood interior, hosting a suite of smaller drawers, the central drawer fitted with a sliding divider
- Five useful drawers with quality oak and mahogany boxes, and hand-cut dovetail joints
- Fall front dressed with a brass lined lock – in working order, key present
- Refined pilaster detail, framing the elegant run of drawer fronts

DIMENSIONS

- Max Width: 85.5cm (33.75")
- Max Depth: 43.5cm (17.25")
- Max Height: 143.5cm (56.5")
- Open Depth: 83cm (32.75")
- Open Height: 72cm (28.25")
- Skiver Width: 55cm (21.75")
- Skiver Depth: 44cm (17.25")

LIST PRICE

£7,850.00



• Quarter bookmatched top, offering superb grain interest and rich caramel hues
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