



English Burl Elm Work Table England, 19th Century



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Signature : -

Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Wood marquetry

Length : -

Width : 65

Diameter : -

Height : 65

Depth : 43

Description

English work table from the second half of the 19th century, crafted from elm burl, chosen for its wavy, decorative grain--rarer and more dramatic than common walnut burl. The rectangular top features a burl veneer with boxwood inlays, arranged in elegant geometric and plant-like patterns, lending a sense of lightness and refinement to the overall piece. The top's profile is embellished with finely chiseled gilded bronze moldings, also found along the edges and corners, in keeping with the typical taste of high-quality English furniture. The table features a hinged lid, revealing an interior equipped with compartments, originally intended for women's work (sewing, embroidery, writing, or small items), crafted from light-colored wood that contrasts with the darker exterior. The frame rests

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on four slender, elegant turned legs, connected by a central, contoured crosspiece, ensuring stability and formal harmony. The balanced proportions make the table easily adaptable as a coffee table, a small living room table, or a writing desk. Condition: Very good, with normal signs of wear consistent with its age, confirming its authenticity.