

SMR Number	Site Name	Record Type
1145 - MBD1145	TURVEY HOUSE, High Street	Listed Building
Small country house, built between 1793-1794 and 1830.		

Monument Types and Dates

BUILDING (BDG DETAIL:NEO-CLASSICAL, 18th Century to 19th Century - 1793 AD to 1830 AD)

Evidence	EXTANT BUILDING
Main Building Material	SLATE

MANOR HOUSE (18th Century to 19th Century - 1793 AD to 1830 AD)

Evidence	EXTANT BUILDING
Main Building Material	SLATE
Main Building Material	STUCCO

Description and Sources

Description

Small country house. 1793-4 entrance front with top storey added probably c1830 when the garden front was built. Stucco. Welsh slate roof. Three storeys. Garden front of seven bays with central and end bays carried forward. End bays have fluted Corinthian two storey columns flanking first floor window with bas relief frieze, ground floor window with Corinthian columns and broken entablature. Central bay has fluted pilasters with anthemion capitals. Over first floor, large entablature with foliated frieze, dentil and mutule cornice. Attic storey above has smaller dentil cornice, blocking course with central and end scroll pediments, the central one topped by a large anthemion motif. Ground floor windows have architrave surrounds, ribbed consoles supporting cornices. First floor windows have eared architraves, bas relief panel over central window, which has corn ear mouldings to frieze. Second floor windows have moulded surrounds. South West front terrace with balustraded parapet. To right hand side recessed tower, later two storey wing. North front has tetrastyle Doric porch to pedimented central projection, slight end projections of facade, all c.1793 except attic storey of earlier C19. Cylindrical lantern, visible over attic, lights dome of staircase hall. Interior has coffered dome to staircase hall with first floor apse (over entrance hall) of semi-circular plan with fluted Corinthian columns and ribbed dome. Drawing room has panelled ceiling and serpentine chimneypiece with console supports.

Bedfordshire & Luton Archives and Records Service Documents, BLARS: DV1/C/210, Rating Valuation, 1925 (Unpublished document). SBD10551.

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Associated resources - None recorded

Location

National Grid Reference

SP 9388 5278 (point) SP95SW Point

Administrative Areas

Civil Parish TURVEY, BEDFORD BOROUGH, BEDFORDSHIRE

Unitary Authority BEDFORD BOROUGH, BEDFORDSHIRE

Address/Historic Names - None recorded

Designations, Statuses and Scorings

Associated Designations

Listed Building (I) - 1039600	Turvey House	Active	DBD1707
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Other Statuses and Cross-References

SHINE Candidate (No)	Active
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National Archaeological Record - SP95SW54	Active
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Historic Environment Record - 1145	Active
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Ratings and Scorings - None recorded

Land Use

Associated Historic Landscape Character Records - None recorded

Other Land Classes - None recorded

Related Monuments

4398	STABLES, Turvey House	Geographical
4399	ENTRANCE ARCH TO COURTYARD & adjoining garage buildings, Turvey House	Geographical
4833	LODGE to Turvey House, High Street	Geographical
7100	ICEHOUSE	Geographical
7101	DEER PARK	Geographical

Finds - None recorded

Associated Events/Activities - None recorded

Associated Individuals/Organisations - None recorded
