

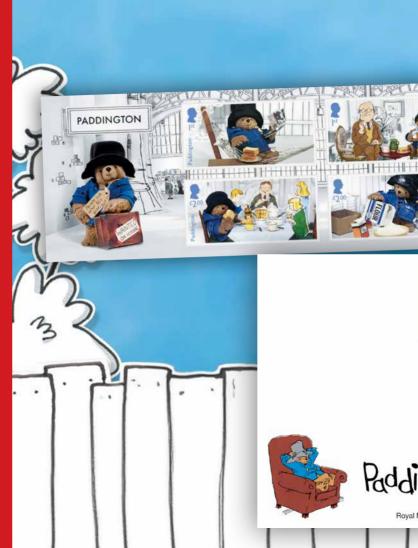
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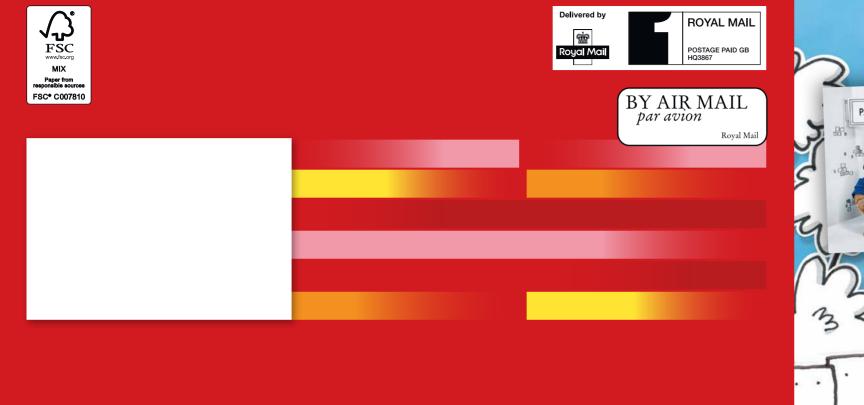




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# Marking 65 years of misadventures and marmalade

On a cold Christmas Eve in 1956. British author Thomas Michael Bond stepped into a department store near London's Paddington Station and was drawn to a small toy bear sitting alone on a shelf. At this moment, a beloved character was born.

This charming collection of Special Stamps and souvenirs commemorates the 65th anniversary of Paddington's first appearance. The loveable bear with a hard stare and a fondness for marmalade sandwiches appears on six new stamps featuring delightful illustrations by Ivor Wood, the animator who was instrumental in Paddington's move from page to screen. You'll also discover a fact-filled Presentation Pack, delightful framed collectibles and a limited-edition Medal Cover.

Pay tribute to an enchanting character who's become the star of one of cinema's most-loved movie franchises while remaining a cherished companion for fans around the world.





#### Mint Stamp Set | AS10500 £10.60

- Six new stamps celebrate 65 years since the first appearance of Michael Bond's iconic talking bear.
- Colourful illustrations of Paddington by animator Ivor Wood are lifted from the popular series of four-frame strip cartoons published in the London Evening News in the late 1970s.
- Two First Class, two £2.00 and two £2.20 stamps presented as three square se-tenant pairs.

**First Class** *Paddington with a jar of marmalade* 

- **First Class** Paddington sawing wood
- **£2.00** Paddington pushing a shopping trolley
- **£2.00** Paddington holding an ice cream
- **£2.20** Paddington carrying presents
- **£2.20** Paddington and a crab

# **Technical Details**

Stamp format Square Stamp size 35mm x 35mm Number per sheet 30/60 Design Together Design Printer Cartor Security Printers Print process Lithography Perforations 14.5 x 14.5 Phosphor Bars as appropriate Gum PVA



#### 2 Miniature Sheet | MZ190 £6.20

- A highly collectible keepsake depicting memorable moments from the original stop-motion animated series.
- The Miniature Sheet's stamps feature Paddington as a captivating stop-motion puppet, set against a hand-sketched rendering of his namesake, Paddington Station.
- A delightful stamp souvenir recalling how a beloved literary character was transformed for the small screen.
- Two First Class and two £2.00 landscape stamps.

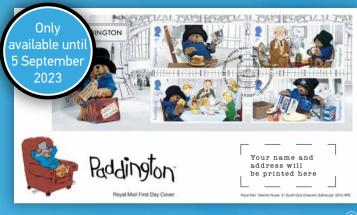
**First Class** Paddington reaching for a marmalade sandwich **First Class** Paddington and Mr Gruber having elevenses **£2.00** Paddington and the Brown family having breakfast **£2.00** Paddington baking

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## **Technical Details**

Stamp format Landscape Stamp size 60mm x 30mm Miniature Sheet size 192mm x 74mm Design Together Design Printer Cartor Security Printers Print process Lithography Perforations 14.5 x 14.5 Phosphor Bars as appropriate Gum PVA

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#### 3 First Day Cover Miniature Sheet | MF182 £8.10

- The Paddington Miniature Sheet on a First Day Envelope, personalised with the name, address and postmark of your choice.
- Stamps depicting scenes of Paddington from the animated BBC series are cancelled with your preferred special edition postmark on the first day of issue.
- Inside the special edition envelope is an information card with an overview of Paddington's story and the stamps' specifications.
- Available until 5 September 2023.

# Choose your postmark

The Tallents House postmark features an icon of Paddington's beloved marmalade along with the issue date.The alternative postmark includes an image of Paddington's famous suitcase and the London W2 postal location, honouring the city where he found a home with the Brown family.



Alternative

Standard



#### 4 First Day Cover | AF506 £13.40

- A unique time-limited collectible personalised with the name and address of your choice.
- Featuring all six Paddington stamps, cancelled with your preferred special edition postmark on the first day of issue, 5 September 2023.
- Delivered in a First Day Envelope with an image of a leisurely Paddington cosying into an armchair.
- Inside is an information card with key details of the theme and stamp specifications.

#### 5 Presentation Pack | AP527 £17.70

- A fun-filled and fact-packed fold-out souvenir spanning six decades, packed with stamps, artwork and stories.
- Featuring the main set of six Special Stamps along with the Paddington Miniature Sheet.
- The Miniature Sheet, in a separate carrier, includes snapshots of scenes from the animated BBC TV series.
- This colourful collectible charts the history of an enduring character, from his first appearance in A Bear Called Paddington, to his most recent big-screen adventures.

#### 6 First Day Envelope | AE462 £0.30

- Your First Day Envelope features an illustration of Paddington relaxing in an armchair alongside the issue's title.
- Inside is the information card containing an overview of the issue and stamp details.



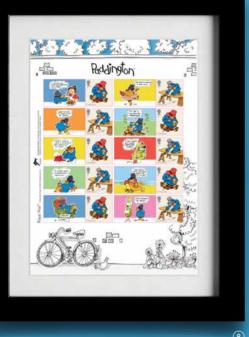




#### 7 Medal Cover | AM108 £19.99

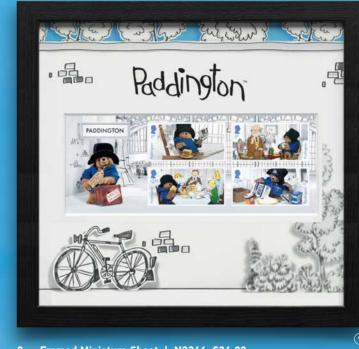
- A limited-edition souvenir to delight Paddington fans of all ages.
- This custom silver-plated medal is struck with an illustrated image of Paddington and a jar of marmalade on the front and the iconic phrase 'Please look after this bear. Thank you' on the back.
- Set within a cover featuring the Paddington Miniature Sheet, cancelled with a bespoke 32 Windsor Gardens, London W11 handstamp.
- Strictly limited availability just 10,000 medal covers issued worldwide.





#### 8 Framed Collectors Sheet | N3343 £34.99

- Featuring 10 First Class mint stamps alongside accompanying labels with delicate illustrations from Ivor Wood.
- This unique A4 souvenir is mounted in a premium black frame.
- Dimensions: 33.5cm x 43.5cm



- 9 Framed Miniature Sheet | N3344 £34.99
- A framed edition of the Paddington Miniature Sheet.
- Four Special Stamps capture moments from the TV series, featuring an animated Paddington puppet with Ivor Wood's illustrations.
- Dimensions: 26cm x 20.5cm



#### 10 Framed Paddington Stamp Set | N3342 £34.99

- The complete set of six Paddington stamps professionally mounted in a premium black frame.
- Features eye-catching images of Paddington in his distinctive blue duffle coat and red bush hat.
- An enchanting collectible, perfect to display and treasure for fans of this beloved bear.
- Dimensions: 22.5cm x 20.5cm

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#### 11 Stamp Souvenir | AW252 £13.40

- A non-personalised version of the Paddington First Day Cover featuring six Special Stamps cancelled with the alternative London. W2 postmark.
- The First Day Envelope contains an information card with an overview of this issue. On sale until 4 December 2023.

#### 12 Stamp Sheet Souvenir | AW253 £8.10

- A non-personalised version of the Paddington First Day Cover Miniature Sheet featuring four Special Stamps cancelled with the alternative London, W2 postmark.
- The First Day Envelope contains an information card with an overview of this issue. On sale until 4 December 2023.

13 Collectors Sheet | AT150 £12.00

- The 10 Paddington First Class mint stamps appear alongside labels featuring colourful illustrations and characteristic quotes from the beloved bear.
- The A4 souvenir's self-adhesive stamps and labels are set against a delicate black-and-white illustrative backdrop beneath the issue's title.
- A captivating collectible showcasing Paddington's playfulness and charm.

#### 14 Set of 11 Postcards | AQ343 £4.95

- A set of 11 postcards featuring enlarged versions of the Paddington Special Stamps as well as the Miniature Sheet.
- Perfect for framing or sending to fans of this iconic character.

#### 15 Paddington Press Sheet | PZ072 £86.80

- A limited-edition Press Sheet featuring 14 Paddington Miniature Sheets.
- Featuring images from the original BBC television series which brought Paddington to life with hand-drawn animation and delightful storytelling
- 16 Full First Class Sheet | AS10500AFS £66.00
- A Full Stamp Sheet containing 60 Paddington First Class stamps.
- 17 Half First Class Sheet | AS10500AHS £33.00
- A Half Stamp Sheet containing 30 Paddington First Class stamps.

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- 18 Full £2.00 Sheet | AS10500BFS £120.00
- A Full Stamp Sheet containing 60 Paddington £2.00 stamps.
- 18 Half £2.00 Sheet | AS10500BHS £60.00
- A Half Stamp Sheet containing 30 Paddington £2.00 stamps.
- 20 Full £2.20 Sheet | AS10500CFS £132.00
- A Full Stamp Sheet containing 60 Paddington £2.20 stamps.
- 21 Half £2.20 Sheet | AS10500CHS £66.00
- A Half Stamp Sheet containing 30 Paddington £2.20 stamps.

# King Charles Definitives: Make-Up Values

A new collection of low value and high value King Charles definitive stamps and collectibles.



#### 22 Low Value Definitives Stamp Set | DS1700 £1.88

- The complete set of seven new King Charles Definitive low value stamps.
- These are the first high/low value stamps to be printed with the new King's portrait.
- The colour schemes for all seven values have been retained from the Machin definitives released in 2022.
  - 1p Sapphire Blue 2p Dark Green 5p Purple Heather 10p Aqua Gr<u>een</u> 20p Light Green 50p Slate Grey £1.00 Wood Brown

### It's all in the details

Stamp format Definitive barcoded Stamp size 39mm x 30mm Printer Cartor Security Printers Print process Gravure Perforations 15 x 14.5 Phosphor Bars as appropriate Gum Self-adhesive





#### 23 High Value Definitives Stamp Set | FS900 £7.00

- The set of two new King Charles Definitive high value stamps.
- These are the first high value stamps to be printed with the new King's portrait.
- The colour schemes for the £2 and £5 values have been retained from the Machin definitives released in 2022.

Please note: the £3 stamp has been discontinued and will not be printed with the new King's portrait.

£2 Bright Blue £5 Spruce Green

#### 24 First Day Cover Envelope | DE055 £0.30

- Your First Day Cover Envelope features the traditional winged horse design used for Definitive stamps.
- The refreshed purple design has been introduced for the reign of King Charles III.



#### 25 Low Value Definitives First Day Cover | DF076 £2.90

- The seven low value King Charles Definitive stamps cancelled with your preferred special edition postmark on the first day of issue.
- Your First Day Envelope is personalised with the name and address of your choice. Strictly limited availability not available to order after 29 August 2023.



#### 26 High Value Definitives First Day Cover | FF022 £9.05

- The two new £2.00 and £5.00 King Charles Definitives cancelled with your preferred special edition postmark on the first day of issue.
- Your First Day Envelope is personalised with the name and address of your choice. Strictly limited availability – not available to order after 29 August 2023.



#### 27 Low Value Definitives Presentation Pack | DP079 £2.80

- The King Charles Definitive low value stamps presented in a fold-out pack.
- This collectible souvenir reveals the story behind the new King Charles portrait.



- 28 High Value Definitives Presentation Pack | FP018 £7.90
- The high value Defintives presented in a fold-out pack containing information about the new King Charles portrait.

## Choose your postmark

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