# ROPE MAKERS YARD

LIMEHOUSE E14





## A PREMIUM COLLECTION OF ONE AND TWO BEDROOM APARTMENTS

On the doorstep of the City but with an East End identity all of its own, Limehouse is one of the most historic and atmospheric corners of London. At the heart of this vibrant and prestigious riverside neighbourhood sits Ropemakers Yard.

It takes its name from the craftsmen who worked the dockyards back in the 18th Century. With strong roots in the past, Limehouse is now mapping out its future through innovation and originality. Ropemakers Yard gives you the chance to become part of this exciting new story.

The sleek, contemporary apartments are complemented by landscaped gardens. Tree lined walkways are divided by thoughtfully situated benches where you can plan your day ahead. Walking around the distinctive old streets, where attractive Victorian terraces and Georgian squares are interspersed with independent cafés, renowned restaurants, and famous pubs, you will soon feel at home.













### MEET

# THE LOCALS

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE DOCKSIDE CRAFTSMEN WHO HELPED FORM THIS UNIQUE PART OF EAST LONDON, A NEW CREATIVE GENERATION ARE GIVING THE AREA ITS 21st CENTURY INDIVIDUALITY. WALK AROUND YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD AND YOU WILL MEET THE LIMEHOUSE LOCALS, A WELCOMING AND ECLECTIC COMMUNITY OF YOUNG BARISTAS. FILMMAKERS, GALLERISTS, CRAFT ALE EXPERTS, AND SKILLED ARTISANS SHAPING THE FUTURE WITH A NOD TO THE PAST.













THE LOCALS

### THE BARISTA



#### GEMMA, BARISTA AT HUSK COFFEE & CREATIVE SPACE

An East Londoner through and through, Gemma loves the passionate freelancers that come into Husk and her affable colleagues, who may be better described as family. She sees Limehouse as a hidden gem, tucked away from the hustle and bustle of the city but brimming with young creatives, things to do and people who care about their community.

THE LOCALS

## THE FOUNDER



### ROGER, CO-HEAD POURER AT THE BRONZE AGE FOUNDRY

A proper down to earth Aussie from a farming family, Roger was an art teacher in inland Australia when he met his future wife. He followed her back to London and forged a job that suits him "down to the ground". A sculptor himself, Roger works with artists from near and far to bring their chiselled pieces to metallic life! You'll often find him nursing a rich ale in The Old Ship, one of the area's many traditional pubs.



# ROPEMAKERS YARD

# WELL CONNECTED

Just a short walk to Limehouse DLR Station, you are perfectly placed to access Central London and beyond and to enjoy the delights of this magnificent City.



Travel times for cycling and walking source:
Google maps (without traffic)
Tube travel times source: tfl.gov.uk.
all times and distances are approximate



THE LOCALS

# THE CANOEIST



### KATY, CO-DIRECTOR AT MOO CANOES

When her mum was late picking her up from school, a teenage Katy stumbled onto the local canoe club in her native Norfolk. She's paddled along ever since. In 2012, she took the plunge with business partner Alfie, creating Moo Canoes, a kayak hire and tour centre on the Limehouse Basin. The company has a real community spirit and runs two canal clean-up events each month.

THE LOCALS

### THE FILMMAKER



### JUSTIN, CREATIVE DIRECTOR AT MAD COW FILMS

Justin caught the directing bug when he landed a small role in zombie blockbuster 28 Days Later. That experience crystallised his ambitions and he seized the opportunity to shadow Danny Boyle on a handful of films. Now a BAFTA-winning documentary filmmaker, he's moved back to the area where he grew up to find a creative, buzzing neighbourhood with "lots to see and lots to eat"!

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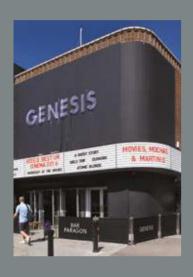
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TAKE A BIKE RIDE DOWN THE CANAL SMELL THE ROSES AT COLUMBIA ROAD MARKET LISTEN TO SOME JAZZ AT THE VORTEX, DALSTON TAKE IN A PLAY AT THE WILTON MUSIC HALL ADMIRE ART AT THE WHITECHAPEL GALLERY SHOP FOR VINTAGE FURNITURE AT SPITALFIELDS MARKET. PICNIC ON VICTORIA PARK DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY AT THE TROXY

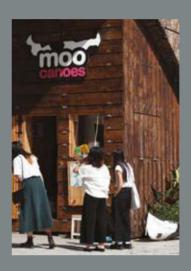




























# GOINGOUT





Some of the area's best bars and restaurants sit on the waterside below the Limehouse Basin, now a picturesque marina that is home to narrow boats and yachts. On this most majestic and imposing curve of the Thames is Gordon Ramsay's The Narrow, serving a modern British menu with impressive views and an inviting terrace.

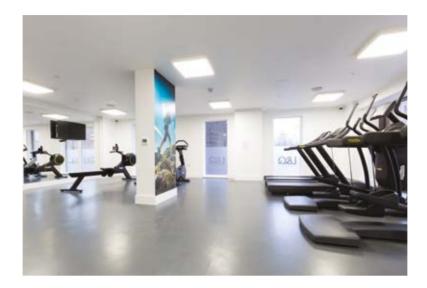
Also on historic Narrow Street, next to an elegant Georgian terrace, is The Grapes. Owned by one of Limehouse's many artistic residents, actor Sir Ian McKellen, this old pub has looked across the river here for over 500 years. Then there's the Old Ship an independently run local, known for its inventive cocktails and live cabaret nights. For a new East London atmosphere head to Craft Beer Co. with an ever-changing list of cutting edge brewers. Or try one of the nearby Italian restaurants like La Verde and La Figa.

An art house cinema on the site of a 19th Century music hall, the Genesis is also home to the Grindhouse Café, serving coffee from London's leading micro-roastery Nude Espresso, and pastries from the 100 year-old family bakers Rinkoff.

Named by Time Out as one of the little known gems of Secret East London, the Grade II listed Limehouse Town Hall puts on events from its resident arts collective. Also check out the eclectic programme at the art deco live music venue The Troxy after an early evening art trail around spaces like Gallery 46.

But beside the urban cool, the area also boasts unexpected little finds like Stepney City Farm and Rural Arts Centre. With the organic and artisan stallholders of its Farmers' Market setting up every Saturday it's the perfect respite from the urban buzz around. Or take a walk along Limehouse Cut, London's oldest canal, stopping for lunch at e5 Roasthouse in Poplar Union arts centre.

## HEALTH KICK



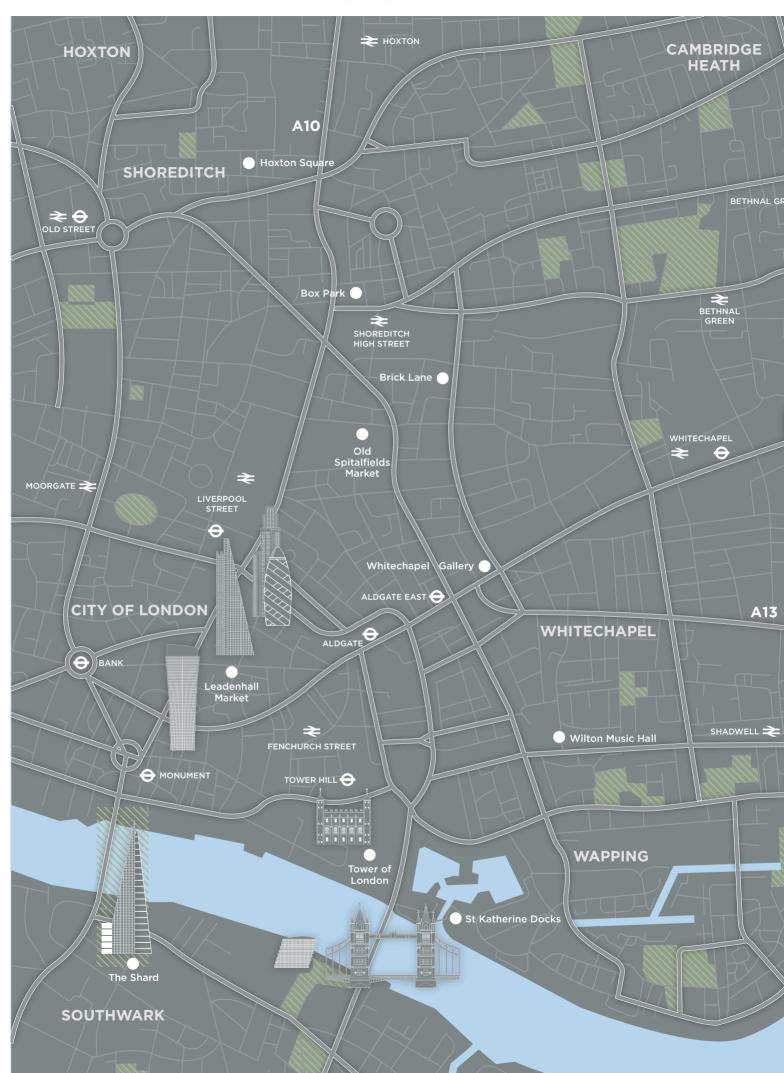


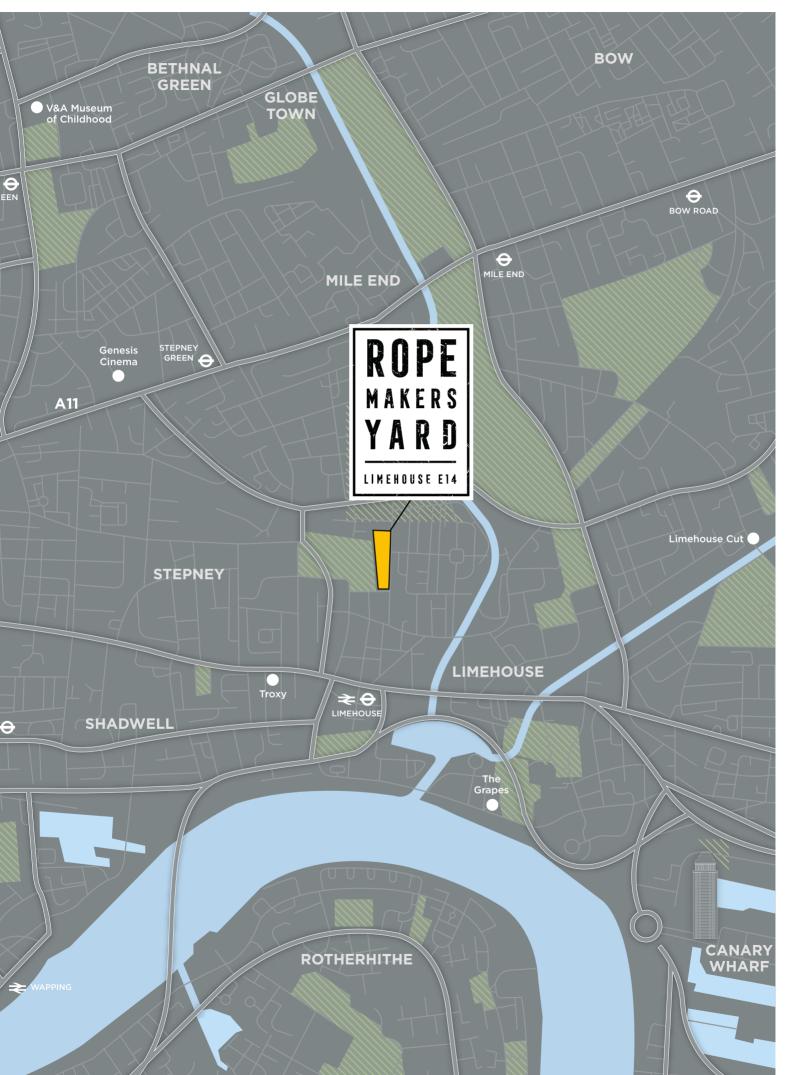
Designed with your well being in mind, Ropemakers Yard has its own state of the art gym for exclusive use by residents. Spacious and airy, it has a 'virtual studio' where you can follow your own workouts on a screen. Or try one of their many yoga and Pilates classes in the exquisite mirror walled studio.

The riverside is also tailor made for an early morning run.

Alternatively, pick up the Thames Path on your bike and head east through Docklands and through to Greenwich Park. It's one of many green spaces nearby and home to the Royal Observatory. Or drop in to Curlew Rowing Club, founded in 1886 and always welcoming to new members.







HE LOCALS

# THE GALLERIST



#### GEORGINA, OWNER OF THREE COLT GALLERY

A short walk from her houseboat in the Limehouse Basin, Georgina came across a tired, cluttered office and decided it needed a healthy dose of culture. She converted it into a multipurpose creative space and café where everyone from this diverse community can feel welcome and has a chance to experience art. Georgina is a huge fan of the area's rich history and eccentric venues. She loves that she's found a peaceful pocket in such a central location.

THE LOCALS

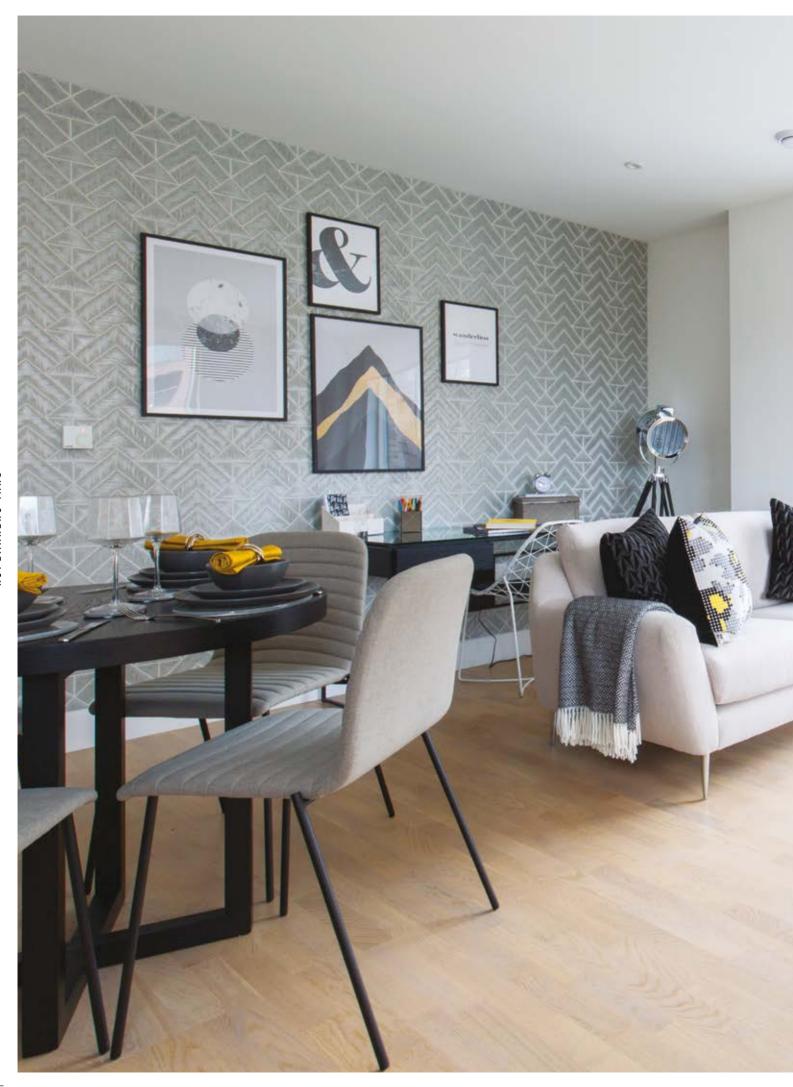
### THE BARMAN

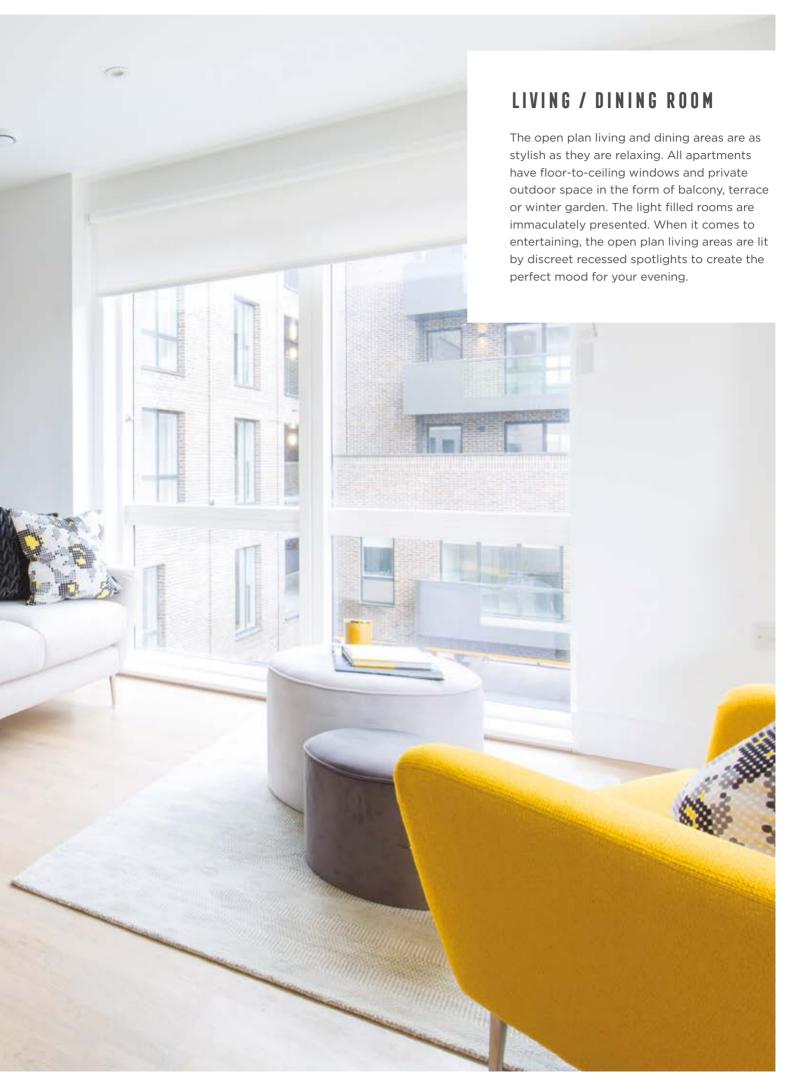


### NICK, MANAGER OF THE CRAFT BEER CO. LIMEHOUSE

Before moving here, Nick thought
Limehouse was somewhere commuters
zipped past on their way to and from
the City. What he found was a part
of London where travellers choose to
stop and locals actively foster a sense
of community. His passion for the art
and science of brewing is undeniable
but, while beer is his thing, his ultimate
aim is to create a "second living room"
where both regulars and people
passing through can connect.

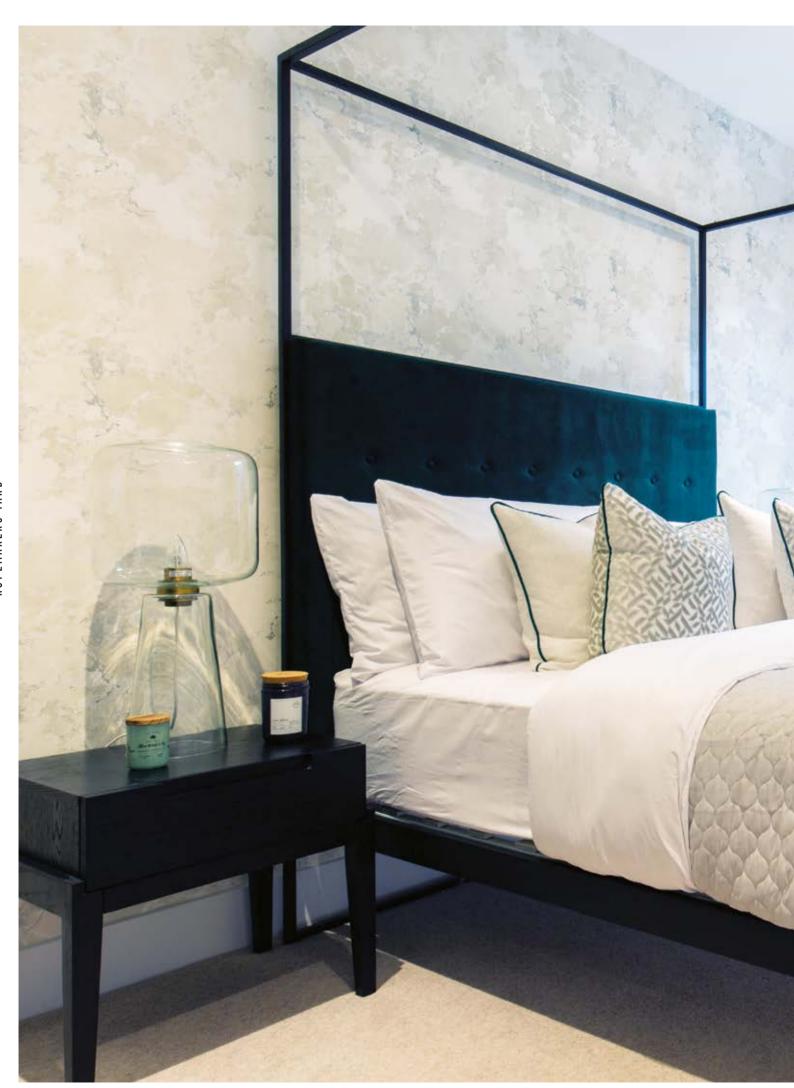


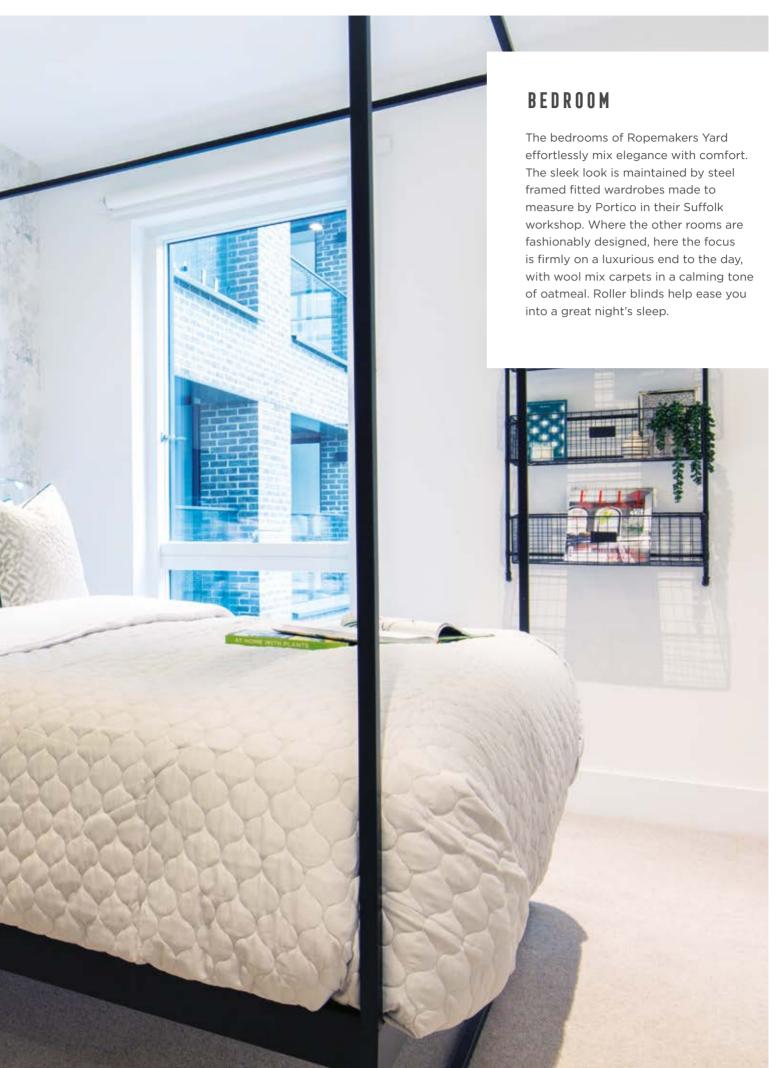
















#### KITCHEN/DINING & LIVING AREAS

- Kitchen units by Commodore Kitchens with handleless doors
- Corian Blanco Norte worktops and upstands composed of 94% natural quartz
- Corian Blanco Norte splashback above hob
- Integrated Bosch oven and hob, fridge/freezer and dishwasher
- Bosch washer/dryer in utility cupboard
- Chromium-plated mixer tap with under-mounted sink
- Wooden three plank flooring in oak

#### BEDROOMS

- Fitted Portico wardrobes with sliding doors to master bedrooms
- New Oaklands 80/20 wool mix carpet

#### BATHROOMS

- Ideal Standard Concept Air WC
- Ideal Standard Concept Air semicountertop basin
- Vanity unit with grey galaxy solid stone countertop and glass splashback
- Methven Kea mono basin mixer
- Ideal Standard Nisa bath
- Ideal Standard Connect Angle bathscreen
- Methven KIRI thermostatic pillarmounted bath shower mixer
- Chromium-plated Ideal Standard robe hook, toilet roll holder and towel ring
- Wall-mounted TidyDry clothes airer
- Porcelain 600 x 600mm floor tiles with matching wall tiles around sink and bath/shower







### **EN-SUITES**

- Ideal Standard Concept Air WC
- Ideal Standard Concept Air Cube semi-countertop basin
- Vanity unit with grey galaxy solid stone countertop and glass splashback
- Methven Kea mono basin mixer
- Ideal Standard Simplicity 1200mm x 760mm low-profile shower tray
- Ideal Standard Simplicity shower riser kit and Methven shower hose and concealed thermostatic mixer valve
- Ideal Standard Synergy 760mm pivot door and 760mm side panel
- Porcelain 600 x 600mm floor tiles with matching wall tiles around sink and shower



### **COMMUNAL AREAS**

- Secure letterbox system
- Concierge
- Fitness suite
- Lift
- Courtyards
- Play area
- Cycle store





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