WINDOWS

At Cornerstone Home Improvement we offer top-quality, premium double paned, triple paned, or heat mirror thermal windows at an affordable price. From a basic rental home window with a 3.0 R value to the top of the line **10.0 R Value**. All of our vinyl windows are made with virgin vinyl and are welded mainframes and sashes. Since we are a multi-line distributor, you are not limited to one type or design of windows. You can choose from many manufacturers, types, styles, energy efficiencies, colors, and options-- all custom fit to your openings. The only criteria—it has to be a window we'd feel comfortable putting in our own home...or we won't install it.

Why Replace Your Existing Windows?

We've found there are generally **four basic reasons** to consider replacing your windows. We have different options and selections to meet all four:

1. Energy Efficiencies and Comfort

There are many different reasons as to why one window would be more energy efficient than another. Some of them include:

Glass:

How many panes a window offers-single, double or triple (or heat mirror option)

What <u>spacer/seal</u> the window has that seals up the panes of glass

Whether the glass package has <u>low e</u>, and which level of low e Whether the window has <u>argon or krypton gas</u>
Thickness of the glass

Frame:

How thick the vinyl chambers/walls are in the frame of the window

Whether the vinyl is virgin vinyl, recycled, welded or mechanically fastened

How wide the actual frame is

Whether the frame has insulation in and/or around the vinyl How much and what weather-stripping and weather bulbs the window has

Whether the window interlocks at the sashes and/or where the sash meets the frame

2. Appearance

Many people replace their windows because their current ones are old, falling apart or out dated. Some of the aesthetic options available include:

Different thicknesses of the frames

Different colors of the vinyl (White, Cream White,

Tan/Almond, Beige, Clay, and Brown)

Painted exterior frames (Many different choices to choose from)

Optional Vinyl Frames with Metal Exteriors or Wooden Interiors

Wood grain looks options on the interior of the frames (Several options)

Different grid/grille (mutton) styles and options (in different patterns and materials-etched, brass, colored, two tone, etc.)

Different styles of windows (i.e. geometric shapes, casement versus double hung, three lite slider versus bay option, etc.)

Specialty options such as blinds between the panes of glass, special etchings on the glass, different glass patterns (frosted, glue chip, etc.)

Different configurations (cottages, oriels, transoms above, etc.)

Half or full fiberglass or aluminum screens

3. Ease of Operation

Many people change their windows out for a more practical reason—they have difficulty opening, keeping open, and/or cleaning their current ones. All of the windows we carry offer tilt

in easy cleaning options, no bulky storm windows to remove, and proven operating systems that allow smooth, easy operation for years to come. Some of our lines even offer a 'keep clean' glass option that practically eliminates the need of cleaning the glass entirely.

4. Security, Safety, and Noise Control

With security becoming more and more of an issue these days, some of our manufacturers offer tempered and laminated glass options, making it very difficult for severe storms and intruders to break the window's glass. In addition, there are security locks, night vent latches, and obscure and special tinted glass to aid in security. Not only will the additional pane(s) of glass offer more noise control, but the argon or krypton gas will help virtually eliminate unwanted outside noise.

Manufacturers:

ViWinTech
Coronet
Revere Building Products
Amcraft
Norandex/Reynolds/Atrium
Pella
Simonton Prism/Impressions
Soft Lite
Sugarcreek
Sunrise
Traco
US Block

Window Types:

Double-Hung



Casement



Picture



Slider



Bay



Bow



Geometric Shapes





Awning



Hopper



Garden



Acrylic Block







