Glazing, Window and Door Upgrade

Benefits

Installing double or triple glazed units to your home will improve insulation throughout your home.

Effective glazing units will trap warm air in and reduce the risk of draughts. As a direct result of this your central heating system won’t have to work as hard to keep your home at a certain temperature.

What is the process for identifying these works?

Once all retrofit surveys have been undertaken and the correct measures identified for your home, we would then undertake specialist measurement surveys.

If the work identified as a result of the survey is window renewal or replacement of glazing units we will co-ordinate an appointment with you for the window manufacturer to attend your property to measure all units. Once this has been agreed with your landlord we will order the windows / units and provide you with an estimated timeframe of install. Once we are in receipt of the windows, we will contact to book a convenient time for the installation.

Will of the windows / glazing panels be replaced at the same time?

Yes, dependent on the number of windows / glazing units required to be replaced they will all be changed over in 1 day. If you have more than 6 windows in your property that may be extended into 2 days for the install. We may also require another appointment to undertake remedial works around the window reveals.

What preparation will I have to do to get my home ready for the works?

We suggest moving any furniture or personal belongings at least 1 meter from the window area to allow adequate space for the operatives to work. If you have heavy items, you will need help moving we can assist with this on the day of installation. We would also kindly ask that a clear access route be left for the operatives to carry materials and floor protection into the property.

All blinds and curtains (including any fixings) will need to removed.

Work Sequence

Windows will be installed room by room; in winter months we will also leave at least one ‘warm room’ in the property.

Existing window removed.

New window unit inserted in place.

Trims installed (if required).

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Localised decoration may be included if requested by landlord.

How long will the works take to complete?

1 – 2 days.

When will I see the benefits of this?

If in the winter you will notice the difference immediately, if these works are undertaken during the summer months you will probably not see the benefit until the temperature drops coming into the autumn.

Door Replacement (Front, Rear or Patio)

It is not unusual for doors to be identified as requiring replacement during an energy survey. This is common with single glazed, wooden or older composite doors which may not have adequate draught excluders. This same sequence as windows would be undertaken. Installation of a new door set would be completed within 2 – 4 hours.