**Which Blinds Are Better for Bathrooms?**

If you’re looking for functional yet stylish blinds for bathrooms, there’s something you should know…

Some blinds just aren’t meant to be used in bathrooms. Cheaper materials may become mouldy in unventilated areas, and some styles may not be durable enough for the moisture-dense atmosphere created in most bathrooms.

The good news is that you don’t need to spend hours scouring the web to compare blind materials and design options. We’ve put everything you need to know about blinds for bathrooms into this article.

*So, which blind will work best in your bathroom?*

**Why Blinds for Bathrooms Can Be Tricky**

Choosing blinds for bathrooms can be a slightly more challenging task than deciding on your living room or bedroom blinds. The reason is all in the name! Bathrooms are used for bathing or showering on a regular, if not daily, basis. This water is typically heated, creating steam and condensation even in the most ventilated bathrooms.

Condensation can be surprisingly harsh on particular fabrics and materials, sometimes staining or damaging blinds that are not hardier.

Therefore, you’re going to need a blind that can withstand years of rapidly changing temperatures and unrelenting condensation. But that’s not your only obstacle to finding the right blinds for bathrooms.

Thoughtful design plays a huge role, as you want your bathroom blinds to be simple enough to use with slippery hands. And insulating to keep the room cool in the summer and warm in the winter.

Finding a blind that can do all that while still looking stunning *and* fitting in with your bathroom decor might sound like a daunting prospect. But where there’s a bathroom, there’s a blind that’s a perfect fit. You just need to consider some of the extra qualities a bathroom blind needs.

**Benefits Of Blinds in Bathrooms**

Many homeowners choose to install blinds in their bathrooms because they provide many benefits. Just a few of them include:

* Blinds are a great choice to cover wide or tall windows. If you have a [large scenic window](https://www.scottishshutters.co.uk/skylight-blinds/) in your bathroom, you want to make the most of the view and maintain your privacy. Bathroom-safe, motorised blinds are an exceptionally convenient way to choose how much of your window you cover at the touch of a button.

* Blinds made of durable materials are much more likely to last in the changing atmosphere of a bathroom. [PVC](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Polyvinyl_chloride), waterproof fabric and treated wood blinds or shutters mean that you can keep enjoying your blinds for years to come without the worry of mildew, water stains or components breaking if you get your blind a little damp!

* There is so much choice when choosing blind designs, fabrics and materials. While bathrooms are sometimes an overlooked room for decorating, blinds give you the freedom to add a pop of colour, match your existing decor and diffuse light with different opacities.

**Types Of Blinds for Bathrooms**

Got a particular aesthetic or requirement for your bathroom? Thanks to the many styles of blind, you can take your pick without compromising on practicality or function.

There are a few designs that are a perfect match for a bathroom.

The roller blind is a classic design that suits any style and works for any size of window, big or small. They’re often operated with a child-safe chain, which can be pinned back securely for easy and safe adjustments.

Vertical blinds are also an option if you’re looking for a lightweight and unimposing window covering. With rows of vertically hung shades in the fabric and print or colour of your choice, vertical blinds give you a clean look with ultra-easy operation.

Whichever bathroom blind you choose, don’t forget that you can always go for cordless operation and make your blinds more [child and pet friendly](https://www.scottishshutters.co.uk/keeping-your-child-safe-around-window-blinds/).

**Choosing The Right Blinds for Your Bathroom**

Practicality is the priority when it comes to blinds for bathrooms. Still, there’s no reason you should have to compromise on quality or visual appeal.

Humidity, steam, rising temperatures, and frequent use are all factors to consider when browsing for your ideal bathroom blinds. At the same time, your blinds should work seamlessly with your decor, highlighting and/or blending in according to your vision for your space.

Here’s what you should be considering before you buy…

1. **Choose your material wisely.**

Avoid untreated, natural wood and thick fabric blinds, as these will deteriorate quickly when faced with dampness and rapid temperature changes. Faux wood, PVC, moisture resistant and waterproof fabrics are the best options to make your bathroom blinds long-lasting and easy to clean.

**2. Consider privacy**

Your bathroom is a private and calming space, and you want your blinds to provide you with that. There are plenty of design options to give complete privacy, even while letting in some natural light. For this, consider [Silhouette blinds](https://www.scottishshutters.co.uk/our-products/luxaflex-blinds/luxaflex-silhouette-window-blinds/) that simply diffuse light and bottom-up blinds that can extend from the bottom to the top of the window.

**3. Light control is key**

Want your bathroom to be more luxe spa than bathroom? The right set of blinds can create the relaxing atmosphere you’re after. For example, if you love candlelit baths in a low-light room, a dimout blind may be the answer.

**Ready To Find the Best Blind for Your Bathroom?**

If you have a gorgeous bathroom, it deserves the perfect blind. Considering materials, insulation, privacy, and style will pay off. Just make sure you’re purchasing a blind that will be durable and easy to operate in your bathroom.

Still not sure which blinds would be right for you? Get in touch with [our expert team.](https://www.scottishshutters.co.uk/lp/quote/) We won’t shower you with useless information, but we will help you make the best choice for your home.

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