

# All You Need To Know About Shingle Roofing

When you decide to repair or replace your existing roof, one of the choices you will have to make is whether to use asphalt shingles or fiberglass. Both materials are popular, and perform well, but they have different pros and cons. First, you will need to consider the amount of time you think you will be spending on your roof. If you plan to spend just a few hours a day fixing your roof, it would probably be better for you to go with shingle roofing. However, if you are frequently spending several hours fixing your roof, then fiberglass may be a more practical option for you. After all, fiberglass is much more durable than the cheaper asphalt shingles do and you will not need to replace them as often.



Another aspect you will need to take into consideration when choosing the right roofing material is what kind of design you want. Shingle roofing

installation is not as difficult as some people think it is, but you will still need to have some degree of skill in order to install it properly. Most people who try to do their own shingle roofing installation get themselves into a mess and either rip off the shingle or lay too many layers that cause damage to the roof. This is especially common if you do it on your own without the proper tools. If you are not skilled at shingle roofing installation, you should consider getting a professional to do it for you.

One final thing to consider is whether or not you need to get a building permit for your installation. Some states require building permits for all roofs, and others only require certain roofs to be installed by a licensed contractor. In some cases, asphalt shingle roofing installation is allowed if the roof of your house has not been damaged by storms or water yet. Take the time to check out your local building codes to see if installing asphalt shingle roofs is a building code requirement before you make your decision. Doing this will help you avoid future problems with your home.