

Lifestyle

Shutters & Blinds Ltd



PREMIUM

made-to-measure shutters



Welcome

Lifestyle Shutters & Blinds

With their good looks and versatility, shutters are a timeless trend. They introduce more privacy and intimacy to rooms and also provide valuable insulation.

Our shutter collection is an inspired choice of contemporary styles, shapes and finishes that will add an exciting dimension to any scheme.

Pick from an extensive colour palette that includes a huge choice of gorgeous painted, stained and natural finishes. Or if you prefer to unleash your own innate style, choose a custom colour option and explore the tones that suit your décor.

Each shutter is bespoke and made-to-measure to reflect the individual architecture of the window, from the size of the louvre right down to the colour of the hinge, and fitted by our highly specialist team to the most exacting standards.

So whether you enjoy contemporary modern living, have a period home or cool city pad, we can help you find a stunning design solution that meets your specific needs.





About Us

Lifestyle Shutters & Blinds Limited is a family run company with **over 25 years experience** in the supply and custom installation of quality plantation shutters.

Our years of carpentry experience has enabled us to provide the perfect solutions and seamless installations to even the most out of square window and door apertures.

We pride ourselves on our attention to detail and our ability to work clean, tidy and efficiently only leaving our beautiful shutters behind for you to admire.

Company director and design consultant Adam will oversee every quote, survey and order from start to finish and every installation is carried out by a Lifestyle installer.



Our installers are time served carpenters who only work for Lifestyle Shutters & Blinds Limited and install shutters all day every day!

We would welcome the opportunity to advise and work with you to transform your windows with our stunning plantation shutters and show you the luxurious look this window furniture can bring.

About our Showroom

We now offer the chance to view our shutters in a living style environment, giving you the idea of how they might look in your home.

We have vast experience in the design and installation of shutters in a variety of homes.

Now it's time we start inviting the public to see the kind of work we do. This is an opportunity to see the workmanship and quality we are well known for.



Showroom Opening Times

The showroom is open from 9.30am-3pm every Monday, Wednesday & Friday.

Unit 2, 49 Cutlers Road,
South Woodham Ferrers,
Chelmsford, Essex,
CM3 5WA

A modern interior showroom featuring a bright yellow armchair, a window with white shutters, and a decorative lantern. The room has light-colored walls and a wooden floor. A framed picture hangs on the wall above the window. A blue banner is overlaid on the top half of the image, containing the text "Our Showroom".

Our Showroom

✦ Choosing your Shutter Style

No matter the size or shape

Shutters are the most versatile of window coverings, providing a style solution to suit all properties. No matter the size or shape of your windows, we're confident there is a Lifestyle Shutter to match.



FULL HEIGHT

Our most popular style that creates a real sense of scale, creating clean lines from top to bottom. Simple and elegant.

TIER-ON-TIER

By operating the top and bottom panels independently, you have ultimate control over light, view and privacy.



CAFÉ STYLE

Add a little continental chic to your street-facing rooms. By only covering the bottom half of your windows, you can combine privacy with plenty of natural light.

TRACKS & DOORS

The stability of a track enables you to create stunning room dividers and wardrobe doors, combining multiple panels in one smooth motion. Choose between bi-fold or by-pass.



SOLID PANELS

For a more traditional finish to your windows, solid panels block out the light when closed and provide an additional barrier to the outside elements. A classic look for period properties.

BAY WINDOWS

Beautiful square and Victorian bay windows can be transformed by made-to-measure full height, tier-on-tier or café style Lifestyle Shutters.



FRENCH DOORS

Plantation shutters aren't just for windows! Shutters are completely bespoke, so that we can create cut-outs around your door handles. Fantastic for conservatories.

✦ Choosing your Shutter Style

ANTIGUA

Antigua shutters are polymer-coated to produce a sturdy and durable shutter option that is ideal in high traffic areas around the home, such as children's bedrooms and patio doors.

UV protected with a wipe clean surface, we find that these are the interior designer's contemporary choice.

Durable, affordable & never need repainting.

Available in white and a total of 9 colour shades



BERMUDA

The Bermuda collection is at the pinnacle of shutter design. MDF panels and frames with ABS louvres are extremely tough and durable.

Look as good as wood, but more durable.

Available in 22 contemporary colours

CUBA

The Cuba shutter range is crafted from beautiful solid basswood. We can keep the prices affordable with this contemporary range, with the use of hardwood panels and MDF frames.

**Works well in any setting;
contemporary, traditional
or country.**

*Available in 23 colours
available. Including custom
colour.*



FIJI

A durable all-wood shutter range, Fiji is the perfect choice for unusually shaped windows. As a key piece of furniture, they're a great style statement, giving a lovely focal point within the room.

**First choice for bespoke windows,
strong and robust hardwood.**

*Choose from 23
contemporary paint colours
& 27 stain colours*

✦ Choosing your Shutter Style

JAVA

Java is 100% waterproof and extremely strong, made from sturdy ABS. Ideal for high humidity rooms such as bathrooms and kitchens, as well as children's play areas.

ABS is the same material which motorcycle helmets are made from.

22 standard colours as well as custom colours.



SAMOA

Our Samoa shutter range is extremely robust and is manufactured in a high-quality hardwood, with an engineered core to prevent any possibility of warping. Sumatra shutters are well suited to areas where extra durability is required, and the range can be made to your specific requirements. We think this is the architect's choice for truly custom made shutters.

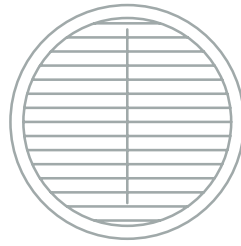
Beautiful tight grain with a smooth finish.

Available in 50 contemporary colours, 23 paint & 27 stain as well as custom colour options.

Curved

Lifestyle Shutters can match almost any radius to complement your architecture. Showcase your curves while enjoying enhanced light control and privacy.

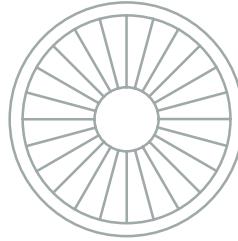
Even the most unusual window shapes can be dressed with Lifestyle Shutters. Popular styles include arches, circles, gables and triangles. **Feature windows have never looked so good!**



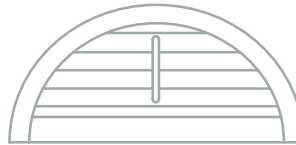
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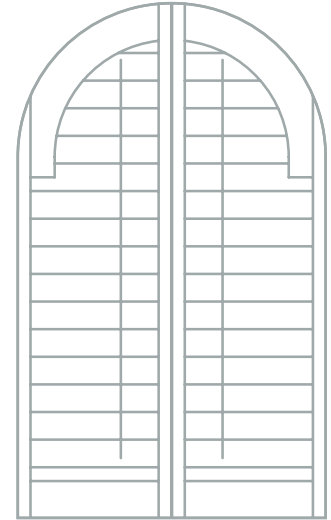
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Radiating Circle



Half Round



Arched

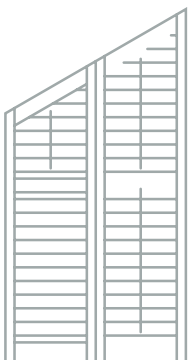
Angled

Blinds and curtains don't work for certain shape windows. Angled spaces can be transformed with Lifestyle Shutters, in a variety of materials.

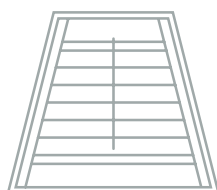
S:CRAFT MANUFACTURING

No matter what shape or size, material or colour, attention to detail and state-of-the-art machinery are used in the manufacturing process, ensuring your peace of mind about all Lifestyle products.

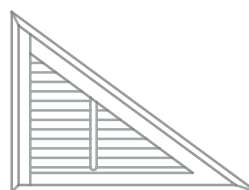
Lifestyles Shutters carry a full 5 Year guarantee against structural defects, hardware, colour fastness and fitting adjustments.



Angled



Trapezoid



Triangle



Octagon

✦ Choosing the right shutter For You

Our shutters are tailor-made to your individual taste and requirements.

Round, hexagonal or even triangular shaped windows? Not a problem. Our expertise means we can create the perfect shutter for pretty much any shaped window we come across, be it large, small, contemporary or period.



SHUTTER LOUVRE SIZES

Our louvres are available in a choice of up to five different slat sizes (47mm, 63mm, 76mm, 89mm, 114mm.) It's worth bearing in mind that the width needs to reflect the proportions of both the window and room, so wider louvres work best on larger windows in larger rooms. They also tend to give a more contemporary look and will let in more light and provide a better view.

Our 76mm slat is fast becoming the most popular width choice as it tends to work well in the majority of room sizes.



TILT OPTIONS

The tilt rod generally runs down the centre of the shutter panel and is used to move the louvres. It can be offset to one side of the panel to give a cleaner look.

Or you can opt for our Easy Tilt option which gives a completely uninterrupted view of the shutter and is used mostly in tracked shutters across a large window or door. Simply lift or lower one of the louvres with your fingertip and the rest will follow suit.



✦ Premium Hardwood Shutters and Materials

Shutter materials

During the manufacturing process, the wood used for every shutter is specially stored, dried and treated to minimise the risk of warping and twisting, which can occur in natural materials. The premium hardwood range is lighter than shutters crafted from MDF, and provide a wide range of colour and stain choices not suitable in the ABS Java range.

ABS and MDF

For busy family homes, robust ABS and MDF are ideal for standing up to daily wear and tear.

Whether you are looking for a waterproof way to control privacy and light, or a hardwearing solution for all the family, then ABS and MDF could be good options to consider. Available in a more limited colour palette than our hardwood ranges.

Contact us

If you require any of our services or would like to request a FREE survey, please feel free to contact us on **01245 917588** | **07971 574 958** or simply email your requirements to **adam@essexwindowshutters.co.uk**, and we will get right back to you.

PLANTATION SHUTTERS

Plantation shutters will bring your home to life and provide a quality of finish and style that other window treatments cannot live up to. In order to keep your shutters looking their best, regular cleaning is recommended.

The good news is that shutters, whether functional or decorative, are relatively easy to maintain, and cleaning them should be a breeze if you follow these simple steps.

Number 1

We recommend using a Lambs' wool or Ostrich feather duster for all types of shutter materials from wood, to faux wood. These types of duster can flick off dust quickly, can go through the slats easily, and are so soft that you do not have to worry about scratching the finish. Simply tilt down all the slats of the plantation shutters and dust away in a downward stroke. Clean one side first before dusting the reverse side. Always do this before using a damp cloth to wipe the slat surfaces. This is to prevent grimy particles from clumping together in the hard-to-reach corners once the liquid is introduced. A static cling duster could also be used as an alternative.

Number 2

Vacuum or sweep away whatever debris that may have fallen to the floor after dusting. This will lessen the risk of dust floating back to the shutters while you are cleaning.





Number 3

Give the entire window structure a gentle rub down with a dry but clean cloth on both sides. Dampen a cloth with warm water and wipe on all visible surfaces. Never spray directly on the shutters themselves. It is essential not to use cleaning solutions that can potentially damage the shutter surfaces.

Number 4

Wipe away the liquid with another dry cleaning cloth. Never allow the liquid to dry on the surface, as this may leave marks or stains.



PURE CELL HONEYCOMB SHADES

Use a clean, dry feather duster, vacuum with a brush attachment or compressed air/hairdryer at a cool setting to remove dust or debris. For spot cleaning, use a soft cloth or sponge moistened with lukewarm water.

Add mild detergent if needed. Blot gently to avoid creasing the shade. Dry in the lowered position. For significant residue build-up, professional ultrasonic cleaning may be used.





PORCHESTER SHUTTERS

Security Shutters for your home

While the Portchester range looks just like our normal elegant plantation shutters, there's one clear difference. They also have a lock and key. Manufactured in South Africa, where home security is a high priority, these robust shutters are designed with both protection and poise in mind.

It means you have an elegant alternative to installing heavy traditional security grilles, roller shutters or burglar bars. These options may be a clear visual deterrent, but they aren't the ideal solution. They often block out the light and look severe and industrial.

They operate just like our other ranges and are available in most styles, including full

height, bi-fold and bypass. There's a hidden tilt rod, so the louvres can be operated by hand rather than by moving a rod up and down.

This creates a sleek, modern design with elegant contours and clean lines. When locked, the louvres still work as before, but the panels can't be opened. So you can leave your windows open at night, for example, or protect a more vulnerable window or room in your property. While Portchester shutters may not be a visual deterrent to intruders (unlike their traditional counterparts), they do provide a stylish, yet robust additional layer of protection to homes.





"Brilliant job from start to finish. Adam advised and explained the process, along with costing.

Ordered and fitted within a given timescale. Great communication from Sharon in the showroom.

Fitted by Greg, his attention to detail and perfection is exceptional. Beyond delighted. I will definitely be back to purchase for the rest of my house.

Thoroughly recommend, as they were to me. Thank you."



5* RATING

"Had 2 shutters fitted on the front windows of my bungalow, they look great! So happy with the service received from start to finish, Adam came to measure/quote, he was very helpful and friendly, the price quoted was very good compared to other companies I had previously contacted. I went to their showroom in South Woodham Ferrers and met Sharon, who couldn't have been more helpful and during the order, process provided first-class communication. Adams father and brother came to fit the shutters, once again lovely people, friendly, efficient, clean, tidy, courteous, great fitters, did a fantastic job. Could not praise Lifestyle Shutters any higher, great family business, great quality products, would highly recommend."

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ **5* RATING**



"Stylish and attractive shutters fitted to bedroom windows, enhancing our home. A thoroughly professional job by a knowledgeable and courteous team. We shall not hesitate to use this company again."



5* RATING

"Adam and his team were very helpful and friendly, and we did not feel pressure to buy, shutters have now been fitted (we have had the whole house done) and we are very pleased. Professional from start to finish - highly recommend."



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