

# Benefits of Window Retrofits for Older Homes

## 1. Improves Energy Efficiency Without a Full Remodel

Retrofitting your windows allows you to seal those leaks and boost insulation without tearing apart your walls. You get modern window technology, like low-E glass, double or triple panes, and inert gas fills, within your original frame. It's like slipping high-tech lenses into vintage frames.



## 2. Maintains the Original Aesthetic

Retrofitting is the ideal solution for keeping your home's visual charm intact while still enjoying the performance of new materials. This is especially important if you live in a historic district with limits or regulations on exterior modifications. Many local ordinances allow retrofits because they don't alter the structure's outward appearance.



## 3. Saves on Cost Without Cutting Corners

Retrofitting is the wallet-friendly hero here, slashing labor hours and keeping the need for touch-ups around the window opening to a minimum. This cost savings means you can invest in better-quality windows or energy-efficient features like argon gas, warm-edge spacers, or UV-blocking coatings that further enhance performance and comfort.



## 4. Increases Home Value Without Losing Character

Modern homebuyers want energy efficiency, but they also want charm. Retrofitted windows let you serve up a double scoop of both. When it comes time to sell, your home will appeal to a broader audience: those who want performance and those who appreciate historical design.

## 5. Provides Faster Installation, Less Disruption

If you've ever lived through a remodel, you know how disruptive construction can be. Retrofitting, by comparison, is like a breath of fresh air in a sea of chaos. Installers can often complete the job in less than a day per window. Because they're working with the existing frame, there's no need for drywall patching, exterior repainting, or extensive cleanup.

