

# How To Cure Your Home of Condensation for Good

(And Still Keep Your Original Period Feature Widows)



### Introduction



Condensation can be complex so let's make it simple.

If your home suffers from it you have three choices.

You could do nothing - and accept things will not get better (and will probably get worse).

#### You could try to manage the condition...

... Open doors and windows briefly... run ventilation fans for longer... open fireplace dampers or vents... air kitchen, laundry and bathrooms during or just after use... experiment with sachets or let humidifiers blast away all day (and see what that does for your energy bills).

Or there's the third option.

#### You could go for a longer lasting cure.

Here, there are two routes.

The first route, double glazing can help with condensation. But there is a major downside with this. You will have to have your cherished windows ripped out (and more than likely dumped in a landfill site).

You lose the period features, charm and character of the place - forever. That might also affect the value of your property... and not in a good way.

The second - and smarter - route is **Secondary Glazing.** 

Here are 15 reasons why it's a sensible option for the period property owner with single glazed windows...



- In the majority of cases Secondary Glazing effectively combats condensation, often a complete and permanent cure or such a reduction it is no longer an issue. In severe cases, the introduction of Secondary Glazing creates an environment where the problem can be effectively managed.
- 2 Measured for a precise fit, secondary glazing forms an effective seal. This allows balanced ventilation between the original window and the secondary glazing unit. The seal stops the inner glass becoming too cold and therefore stops condensation forming.
- 3 You get to keep your existing windows and retain their period features, character and charm perhaps one of the things which made you fall in love with the place first time round.
- Unobtrusive design and fitting means you, your family and your visitors hardly notice secondary glazing is there. It's subtle in look, highly effective in performance.
- 5. High-quality secondary glazing can also increase the thermal efficiency of your existing windows by more than 60 per cent.
- 6 This means the owner of an average property can reduce their yearly bills by up to 15 per cent and the savings start as soon as it's installed.
- 7 Secondary glazing is a great fuss-free option for listed buildings and conservation areas.
- 8 It can halve noise pollution from the street, road traffic, aircraft and local industry.



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- Secondary glazing provides discreet additional security for your home for extra peace of mind.
- **10** Secondary glazing can be installed DIY or by specialist fitters (eg like the ones at Clearview they only fit secondary glazing, nothing else).
- 11. It's quick and easy to fit with no mess or need for redecoration (all the work is done inside so no need to worry about the weather).
- 12 It's also really easy to keep and clean.
- 13. If you care about the environment, secondary glazing is a kinder choice for our planet than double glazing (there's no carting old windows to landfill for starters).
- If you compare Clearview secondary prices with that of double glazing you will see which one is more cost-effective and better value. (Hint: It's secondary glazing).
- 15. If you ordered the DIY option from Clearview today you could rid your home of condensation.





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