

AWTUK

WINDOW FILM SERVICES

Specialist window film for homes and commercial premises across Essex, London & the South East.

Solar, privacy, security, decorative and safety films — surveyed, specified and installed by a 3M Accredited Installer.

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Insured to £5 million

Warranties up to 15 years

Every job surveyed

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BASED IN
Woodham Mortimer, Essex

Specialists, not generalists

AWTUK Ltd installs window film to flat glass — nothing else. That focus is deliberate: it is what allows us to specify accurately, install to a consistent standard, and stand behind the result.

We are a small, hands-on business. The person who surveys your glass is the person who fits your film, which means nothing is lost between the quotation and the installation. We work for homeowners, offices, retail units, schools, gyms and industrial premises, and we are equally comfortable with a single overlooked bathroom window or a full commercial façade.

3M Accredited Installer

Trained and assessed at 3M's UK facility. Accreditation means the manufacturer stands behind the workmanship, not only the product — and unlocks extended warranty cover.

Fully insured

Public liability cover to £5 million. Any installation-related issue is corrected free of charge.

Premium materials

Professional-grade films from established manufacturers, carrying manufacturer-backed warranties rather than trade-only assurances.

Transparent pricing

Priced from real measurements taken on site. No hidden costs, no add-ons, and no figures invented over the telephone.

WHY WE SURVEY FIRST

We do not quote glass we have not seen

Glass is not uniform. Units are replaced over the years, and modern glazing frequently carries low-emissivity or other efficiency coatings that alter how it behaves beneath a solar film. Darker, more absorbent films generate heat within the glass itself, and applied to the wrong specification of pane that can produce thermal stress.

On every survey we test each pane individually rather than sampling, identify the glass type and any existing coatings, take exact measurements, and recommend only the films genuinely suited to your glazing and your objectives.

The practical benefit: accurate pricing, films specified to your actual glass, and clear options where more than one approach would work — so you can compare treating one room against a whole property.

OUR SERVICES

Films we install

Every film below is available for residential and commercial glazing, internally or externally applied depending on your glass and objectives.

Solar film

Reduces heat, glare and harmful UV entering through the glass. The answer to south-facing rooms, overheating offices and glare on screens — without losing natural light.

Conservatory & skylight film

Conservatories become unusable in summer and fade furnishings year-round. Film is a fraction of the cost of replacement roofing or air conditioning.

Frosted & privacy film

Privacy without losing daylight. Widely used on front-facing windows, bathrooms, meeting rooms and offices as an alternative to blinds.

Security & safety film

Reinforces glass to deter break-ins and hold fragments together if a pane is shattered, reducing injury risk. Fitted to homes, shopfronts and commercial premises.

Clear UV film

Protects interiors, stock and furnishings from UV damage while preserving the appearance of the glass entirely. Ideal where the view must remain untouched.

Manifestation film

Improves the visibility of full-height glazing to meet UK regulations. From frosted bands and dots to bespoke logos and decorative patterns.

COMMERCIAL

Working with businesses

We work with facilities managers, office managers, fit-out contractors and property managers across the South East. Commercial installations can be scheduled outside trading hours where required, and we are comfortable working to programme alongside other trades.

Typical applications include reducing solar gain and screen glare in offices, meeting-room privacy, compliance manifestations on full-height glazing, anti-shatter film for ground-floor and retail glass, and decorative film for branding and partitions.

TECHNICAL

Internal or external application

Not every job suits internal film. Where the glazing specification or the performance target demands it, we install externally applied film — stopping solar energy before it reaches the glass rather than after.

Because the film intercepts energy outside the building, external application consistently outperforms the equivalent internal installation. It is also frequently the only appropriate option where an absorbent film on the inside face would risk thermal stress.

FILM	APPLIED INTERNALLY	APPLIED EXTERNALLY
Sputtered Grey 20	approx. 61%	approx. 68%
3M Prestige 40	—	approx. 71%

Total solar energy rejected. Figures are indicative; exact performance depends on the glazing unit and is confirmed at survey.

Finishing: external installations are completed with a weatherproof mastic bead — a requirement of the extended external warranties our suppliers provide, and the difference between film on glass and a warranted installation.

WARRANTIES

What is covered

COVER	TERM
3M interior films — materials <i>and</i> labour	Up to 15 years
3M exterior films — no edge sealing required	10 years
Premium supplier films (typical)	Up to 10 years
Installation-related issues	Corrected free of charge

Manufacturer-backed warranty is only available through accredited installers. Where film is fitted by a non-accredited installer, any assurance rests with that installer alone.

HOW IT WORKS

From enquiry to aftercare

1

Get in touch

Send an outline of what you are looking to achieve, along with photographs of the glazing and any questions. We will come back to you quickly.

2

Site survey

We attend at a time that suits you, test each pane, identify the glass and any coatings, and take exact measurements.

3

Accurate pricing and options

You receive pricing based on real measurements, with the suitable film options set out and the results you can expect from each.

4

Installation

Scheduled at your convenience and carried out to a professional standard, with the work area left clean.

5

Walk-through and aftercare

We review the completed installation with you before settlement, and provide aftercare guidance for cleaning and curing.

COVERAGE

Where we work

Based in Woodham Mortimer, Essex — approximately 15 minutes from Chelmsford and 45 minutes from central London. We work regularly throughout **Essex, Suffolk, Kent, Hertfordshire and all London boroughs**, and travel more widely across the South East and beyond for larger commercial projects.

Arrange a survey

Tell us what you are trying to solve and we will arrange a site survey at a time that suits you.

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