

SEEING IS BELIEVING!

How do you know when it's time to replace your windows? This chart is designed to assist you in making a prudent decision. Ask yourself the following questions and select the answer that best describes your windows. Total your score and then make the decision. ***Seeing Is Believing!***

___ Do you have problems opening/closing your windows?	0 - All windows operate fine. 3 - One or two windows are hard to operate. 5 - Most windows are difficult to operate. * Add 2 for each window that doesn't open at all.
___ Do your windows have self-storing screens?	0 - Screens are in a track that allows them to slide into place.
___ Can you lock your windows when they are closed?	0 - All windows line up when closed and lock. 3 - One or two windows will not lock. 5 - Rely on other methods to lock windows.
___ Do you have multiple pane windows?	0 - If you have double or triple pane windows. 5 - Single pane with or without storm windows.
___ If you have multiple pane windows, do they fog between panes in winter?	0 - No haze or fog between panes of glass. 3 - Minor fogging. 5 - Extensive fogging between panes.
___ Do you have drafts around your windows?	0 - Not noticeable. 3 - Somewhat noticeable. 5 - Very noticeable.
___ Do the curtains or drapes move when the wind blows?	0 - Very little or never. 3 - Only on real windy days. 5 - Very noticeable.
___ If you have metal windows, does the metal feel cold in the winter?	0 - Not noticeable. 3 - Cold to touch. 5 - Icing occurs.
___ If your windows are wood, is there rot, are they warped, cracked or in disrepair?	0 - Excellent condition. 3 - Need putty and painted. 5 - Sills are rotted, glass needs putty.
___ Do you have more than two glass surfaces to clean?	0 - Only inside and outside or prime window. 5 - Must clean storms inside and out as well.

___ Can you clean your windows from the inside?	0 - Tilt-in cleaning. 5 - Must go outside to clean.
___ Do you have to scrape, putty or paint regularly?	0 - No maintenance required. 5 - Must paint and putty.
___ Is some of the beauty of your home lost because of your windows?	0 - No, windows all look attractive. 5 - Yes, new windows would help the appearance.

___ **TOTAL SCORE**

Total your score and rate your windows:

- 0-5** Congratulations, your windows appear to be in real good shape.
- 6-10** You probably have a couple of problems; it might be worth having them checked.
- 11-20** It would be worth your while to investigate the benefits of replacing some of your windows.
- 21-30** You should contact AHT Windows for a free inspection. Your windows are costing you money.
- 30 +** You have serious window problems. Call AHT Windows soon.

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