

Clear Glass Finishes



Best for: A

streamlined, clean look

A clear glass shower door is perfectly transparent. It's beautiful and gleaming, but be prepared for a daily squeegee clean-up to maintain this pristine look. A clear glass shower door can add depth to a small bathroom to make it appear lighter, brighter, and larger.

Clear glass is common and the least expensive treatment for a glass shower door.

Pros

Makes bathroom brighter and appear larger

Common and more affordable than textured

Smooth and easy to clean

Cons

Requires more frequent cleaning

Lack of privacy

Hard water stains visible

10 Textured Glass Finishes



Best for: Adding privacy

A textured glass finish on a glass shower door can be frosted, etched, patterned, or tinted to add privacy to the shower. These doors are sometimes easier to maintain than their clear-glass cousins which are prone to easy-to-see smudges and hard water spots. Textured glass is typically seen on sliding shower doors, although it's also available for many frameless and

pivoting options.

Frosted or textured glass shower doors are typically a bit more expensive than clear glass doors.

Pros

- Adds privacy
- Does not show every hard water spot
- Custom options add style

Cons

- More expensive than clear glass
- Etched and textured glass tougher to clean
- Doesn't add as much light as clear glass