



# Glass Balustrades



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# What are Glass Balustrades?

**Performing both a practical and aesthetic function, glass balustrades are ideal as either a style statement for your home, or to create a professional setting for your business. Their primary function is to act as safety barriers, whilst still boasting a chic design to enhance your interior.**

All balustrades are crafted from either toughened glass, laminated glass and toughened laminated glass which offers an option that is both durable and easy to clean. Due to the transparency, line of sight will not be obscured, making the product perfectly suited to balconies, mezzanines and outdoors areas where preserving the view is paramount.

A specialist item needs a specialist team. The professionals at Lee Glass use the latest technologies and custom glass cutting to create a range of balustrade designs for you to choose from.



# Where to Use a Glass Balustrade?



## Staircases

If your staircase could benefit from a contemporary touch, a glass balustrade is worth considering. Offering both elegance and enhanced safety, this addition is a streamlined option to complement your staircase and interior.



## Balconies & mezzanines

An already stunning feature of a home or business, the splendour of balconies, juliet balconies and mezzanines can be further strengthened by a quality glass balustrade. Due to the high location of these areas, safety is vital. Balustrades can achieve this aim, whilst offering the benefit of transparency for an airier and more open feel to your space.



## Outdoor dividers & windbreakers

Maintain the feeling of the expansive outdoors with glass balustrades. Many features of your garden can be enhanced by divider barriers, including swimming pools, walkways, ponds, and garden areas. This allows you to separate areas of your garden with ease without having to compromise on your view, allowing you to preserve the aesthetics of your outdoor space.

# Why Choose a Glass Balustrade?

## Aesthetics:

Modern, elegant and sleek; the aesthetic value of glass balustrades cannot be matched. They are an ideal addition for family homes that want to achieve a beautiful, contemporary look, yet they also work perfectly for commercial premises aiming for a smart, professional appearance.

## Transparency:

Glass allows natural sunlight to flood through the balustrade, creating a lighter, brighter mood in your home, whilst simultaneously creating an illusion of space. This also means that all views remain completely unspoiled.



## Safety & BSI standards:

If you're concerned about the safety of children and pets around your home, glass balustrades are ideal. Their seamless design means that there are no gaps for anything to slip through, promoting absolute safety.

## Easy maintenance:

Only a few essential pieces of equipment are required to keep your glass balustrades spic and span, making it an affordable feature to maintain.

## Location:

Balustrades boast the versatility to be located in a variety of places, indoor and out, including; staircases, balconies, juliet balconies, mezzanines, landings, pools, walkways, and gardens.

## Design:

The experts at Lee Glass can offer an assortment of balustrade designs, perfectly tailored to any decor or type of space, from domestic to commercial.

## Durable:

A glass balustrade from Lee Glass will stand the test of time, able to defy wear and tear and maintain its high quality.

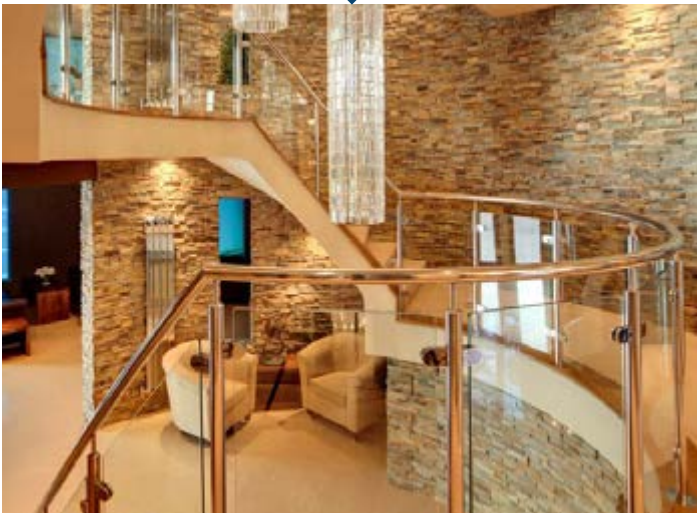




# Types of Balustrade

## Framed Design

Vertical steel posts and brackets are used to support the glass panes, and are attached firmly to the panes at periodic points to create a traditional, sectioned appearance. These give a high degree of strength and rigidity to the entire structure. From an aesthetic point of view, there is a degree of choice regarding the width between the posts and the installation of handrails.



## Curved Balustrade

Add a touch of fluidity to your spaces with curved balustrades. The rounded aesthetic and unique look of these features will add a softer style to your property, making them an eye-catching addition to any home or business. Creating these curved glass balustrades is skilled work, and Lee Glass can craft each one to expert standards to achieve a fit that is perfect for your premises.

## Base Shoe Design

For a freestanding, seamless design that doesn't require supporting posts, our base shoe construction is ideal. In this case, the glass itself upholds the structure, providing the strength and durability to withstand applied loads. Thick glass is used, with the panes mounted on or in front of a track, and securely fastened to the base. This creates an almost floating, uninterrupted look that flows continuously without disturbing the view in any way.



# Maintenance & Upkeep

A few simple cleaning tips are all you need to keep your glass balustrades looking their absolute best.



## Cleaning the glass

Fingerprints and smudges may build up on balustrades, especially if there are children around. Luckily these are easily removed - a suitable, streak-free cleaning product and a soft, non-abrasive cloth is all that's required. One quick wipe will remove the fingerprints, leaving your glass spotless. For a deeper clean, warm soapy water also works well, but ensure you dry thoroughly afterwards.

## Cleaning the metal

Balustrade handrails and metal components are often made from stainless steel that is resistant to corrosion and rust. However, it's still well worth having a cleaning routine in place, using specialist stainless steel cleaners and polishers. As always, thoroughly dry afterwards.

## Regular checks

Performing a quick check of your balustrades every few months can identify any chips, loose fittings or other issues. Whilst the likelihood of these occurring is small, it's still worth taking ten minutes to check them over and have any problems fixed by a professional.



# FAQ

## **What is the length and thickness of the glass?**

Every single glass balustrade we craft is bespoke in design. This means our specialists are able to achieve a wide range of thicknesses and lengths to perfectly fit your building's dimensions, and to offer the robust strength you're searching for. The glass thickness required is dependant on the system you choose. Whatever your requirements, call our team today to begin creating your tailored product.

## **Will you install the balustrade for me?**

Using our 50 years' experience, the Lee Glass team can expertly install your brand new balustrades to ensure a perfect fit. If you prefer a DIY approach, we can create and deliver your product directly to your premises.

## **Do you offer tinted glass?**

Lee Glass takes pride in our wide range of glass tints and finishes, allowing our clients plenty of flexibility regarding the aesthetic quality and transparency of their balustrade.





# Lee Glass Process



1

**Browse** our huge range of balustrade options, either by visiting our showroom, perusing our online gallery, or by discussing your project with our team of advisers.

2

Choose the **tint, style and design** of your balustrade to complement the interior of your home or business.

3

Make some **measurements** of your own to give our team an idea of the scale of the project. Lee Glass also offer a specialist measuring service to ensure a perfect fit of your balustrade.

4

A **free quotation** will then be given to customers once all final choices have been made.

5

The product will be **tailored by our expert team**, using the latest equipment to achieve the correct thickness, shape and design.

6

**Rapid delivery** and **expert installation** is all part of our comprehensive service, offering an end result that is fully compliant to British and European standards.

# Why Choose Lee Glass

As Nottingham's leading glass merchants and glaziers, Lee Glass have the skills to craft top quality balustrades for both the domestic and commercial markets.

Using our 50 years of experience in the glazing industry, we can manufacture and install a variety of glass balustrades in a spectrum of styles and tints. Our technicians use state of the art machinery and modern technologies to create bespoke glass products for our customers, ensuring a perfect fit every time.

**We are also able to deliver our products to clients outside of Nottingham, and have completed successful jobs across the entire Midlands area.**





# Gallery

To help you plan your vision, take a look at the below images of expertly-crafted glass balustrades, all installed by the professionals at Lee Glass.





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