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# Guide to James Hardie Siding St Louis: Fiber Cement Siding

Fiber cement siding has become one of the most popular types of siding in the US. It's durability and aesthetic appeal have made it a popular choice for premium siding, with James Hardie siding being the most popular fiber cement siding on the market.

# James Hardie Fiber Cement Siding Overview

On this page, we'll address what fiber cement is and how it performs, the benefits of James Hardie fiber cement siding, how fiber cement siding compares to other siding materials, the types of James Hardie siding products, why you should hire a trained installation contractor, and what experts say about Hardie Siding.

Watch the video below to learn more about James Hardie Fiber Cement Siding. The buttons at the top of the video are clickable to watch videos on each of those topics, such as How It's Made, Design With Durability, Lasting Confidence, and A Beautiful Transformation.





## What is Fiber Cement Siding?

Fiber cement siding is a building material used for both residential and commercial properties. This blend of cement, sand and cellulose mimics the look of real wood but is more durable than traditional wood siding. It wasn't long ago that few people had heard of fiber cement siding. Today, it's becoming more and more popular with consumers who want the best of both worlds - durability and low maintenance siding that is also attractive and can be painted in virtually any color.

- Usage for homes
- How James Hardie Fiber Cement Siding is made (see video above)
- [Intro to James Hardie Siding](#)



## Performance of Fiber Cement Siding

Homeowners looking for a low-maintenance, durable, and attractive siding option for their homes should consider fiber-cement siding from James Hardie. Fiber cement siding offers a number of benefits over other siding options. It's more dependable and longer lasting than vinyl products and it delivers the aesthetic qualities of wood without the tendency to rot or mildew. Fiber cement siding also offers exceptional rain, wind, and hail protection. In addition, fiber cement siding is noncombustible meaning that it will not add any fuel to a fire, making it an outstanding choice for your family's safety.

- [Resistance to termites](#)
- [James Hardie Siding does not rot](#)
- [3 Common Myths About Fiber Cement Siding](#)
- [Video of James Hardie Fire Test](#)
- [Fire Prevention FAQ article](#)
- [Video about how resistant James Hardie siding is to extreme weather like hurricane Sandy](#)



## Benefits of James Hardie Fiber Cement Siding

James Hardie is America's number one brand of fiber cement siding. James Hardie siding products have been installed on over 5.5 million homes because consumers are discovering the many benefits fiber cement siding provides. James Hardie siding products combine the warmth and character of wood siding with the exceptional durability and low maintenance of fiber-cement. In addition, James Hardie siding products carry a 30 year limited transferable product warranty against chipping, rotting, and cracking.

- [Very Low Maintenance](#)
- [Warranty](#)
- [Energy Efficiency](#)
- [Durability](#)
- It can sometimes help reduce home insurance premiums (ask your agent)



## How Fiber Cement Siding Compares to Other Siding Materials

Your home's siding serves two important functions. It weather-proofs your home and it's a major factor in setting your home's overall style. Adding new siding can give your home an immediate makeover, increase curb appeal and increase your home's resale value. There are several important factors to consider when selecting siding options: appearance, durability, maintenance and affordability. There are several popular siding options to consider when you are building a new home or residing in an existing home. Each type of siding has pros and cons to consider.

- [James Hardie Siding vs Wood Siding](#)
- [James Hardie Siding vs Vinyl Siding](#)
- [James Hardie Siding vs Aluminum Siding](#)
- James Hardie Siding vs Brick Masonry
- [Why Settle for Vinyl Siding](#)
- [Five Things About Vinyl Siding](#)
- [Siding Material Comparisons](#)



## Types of James Hardie Siding Options

James Hardie manufactures siding in an impressive range of styles and colors, so you can choose what best compliments your home's architecture and design. Classic Colonial, Victorian, Craftsman or Farmhouse looks can easily be achieved using James Hardie siding products. Whichever style of siding you decide on, it's available in a wide range of color options from soothing neutrals to bold jewel tones and can be custom painted to match your particular design vision.

- [James Hardie Products and Colors](#)
- [HardiePlank® Lap Siding](#)
- HardieShingle® Siding
- HardiePanel® Vertical Siding
- [James Hardie Siding Showcase](#)



## Key Features of James Hardie Siding

When it comes to high-quality siding, James Hardie has been one of the leading names in the industry for decades earning them praise from both style-centric consumer magazines and contractor-focused trade publications. James Hardie fiber cement products are recognized for combining design with durability and high performance. James Hardie specializes in fiber cement siding and the company continues to invest in research and development in order to continue improving the product they offer to consumers. With the development of fiber-cement products specifically zoned for different climates and the development of ColorPlus Technology, it's no wonder that James Hardie is the industry leader.

- [Designed for your climate](#)
- [ColorPlus® Technology](#)
- Types of Siding summary
- Color Choices



## Why Hire an Elite Preferred James Hardie Contractor

Fiber Cement siding like James Hardie siding is heavy, and requires knowledge and expertise. An Elite Preferred James Hardie contractor has undergone considerable training and has demonstrated the highest standards in customer satisfaction and quality across numerous installations. They also specialize in the full range of James Hardie products.

- [Installation](#)
- Elite Preferred James Hardie Contractor Helps With Warranty
- Design the right solution with the right materials (soffit, siding, trim, etc.)
- Paint or use ColorPlus® Technology
- What to expect in our proposal



## What Professionals Say About James Hardie Siding

James Hardie has been recognized by both style and trade publications for offering an outstanding siding product.

James Hardie products now grace the sides of more than 8 million homes across America. In June 2018, James Hardie was recognized for 12 years of earning the nationally-recognized, “A-A” Partners of Choice Award for outstanding quality and service from David Weekley Homes, the country’s largest privately-held home builder.

- Angie’s List - [The Benefits of Fiber Cement Siding](#)
- Angie’s List - [Fiber Cement Siding is a Good Investment](#)
- This Old House - [All About Fiber Cement Siding](#)
- Bob Vila - [Fiber Cement Siding 101](#)

## Ready to talk to a James Hardie Siding Expert?

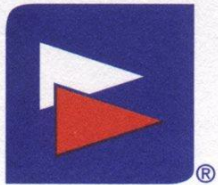
We offer free consultations to meet with you to discuss your project, goals and expectations, and make sure we understand what you want. Then we develop a detailed proposal and walk through it with you to ensure that it is right for you.

### [Schedule a Consultation](#)

We are a home improvement business that has been open since 1993. We only use the highest quality materials such as James Hardie and Mastic siding and Simonton Windows. We work with an excellent management team that has over 80 years of combined experience in the field. We believe that a successful project has two components:

1. Quality Building Material
2. Exceptional Workmanship

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