

A farmer's paradise

A rural Grade II listed farmhouse renovation project in Nuneaton, Leicestershire has seen the installation of Residence 9 windows from The Residence Collection. The heritage property was formerly part of Osbaston House Farm.



Working with installer Swadlincote Windows, builder Lychgate Bespoke, and HSSP Architects, the upgrade was part of a bigger project to transform a cluster of barns in the Osbaston conservation area into a 5-bedroom detached home, covering over 5,500sq ft. The project was completed using 38 R9 windows, as well as two bespoke shaped windows, all in the colour clotted cream. This colour was used both inside and out, and also came in a full-house solution along with a French door. The Residence 9 system was chosen not just for its timber-look aesthetic, but for its sympathetic integration with the character of the property.



When it comes to sensitively upgrading heritage projects, The Residence Collection has gained widespread approval from local authorities in conservation areas and Grade II listed buildings throughout the UK. This approval allows for a smoother installation process eliminating a major obstacle in preserving the historical character of these heritage properties.

The windows were manufactured using a fully mechanical jointing method to faithfully replicate traditional joinery while offering the energy efficiency and low maintenance benefits of modern PVC-U. The project was glazed with a combination of laminated and Planitherm glass, and completed with satin chrome pear drop hardware.

Tyrone Birch, director of Swadlincote Windows says: “Bespoke is a builder we regularly collaborate with. After visiting our showroom and seeing the R9 windows in clotted cream, it was felt the design would complement the architecture and heritage feel of the project. The Residence Collection just ticked all the boxes.”



Jo Trotman, marketing manager at The Residence Collection, says: “This stunning project exemplifies what The Residence Collection is all about – classic styling with cutting-edge performance. It’s a privilege to see our products enhance heritage-style homes in a way that feels completely authentic, all while offering modern-day comfort and energy efficiency.

“This installation is another testament to the versatility of The Residence Collection and the craftsmanship of Swadlincote Windows.” □

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