

Porch Window Framing Details

Sunspace Porch Windows have a 1" flange around the perimeter so you need to have a flat surface on the exterior that is 1" thick or greater. Double check on the top and bottom of the framing to make sure there is something to catch the flanges and is flush with the vertical posts. If you are placing windows next to each other, there needs to be at least 2" of framing in between them. We do offer mulled units of double and triple wide windows up to 12' wide that do not require framing inside that opening. See images below



Typical Application

Windows can be installed between posts with no interior or exterior trim. We measure these as tightly as possible to minimize gaps. Typical deduction is 1/4" off the rough opening resulting in a 1/8" gap around all 4 sides that can be sealed with the caulking that comes with the windows. In this case, you would install the windows with our color matched screws for a finished exterior look.



Windows have a 2" jamb depth and 1" of frame visible inside

Other Applications

Option #1

Windows can be installed onto rough framing or sheathing and then have interior trim applied after window install. Exterior trim can be placed over top of the window flanges. In this case we will install windows with flat head screws.



Option #2

Windows can be installed on top of exterior trim boards and then have interior trim used.



Option #3

Windows set into openings for an exterior railing to be used.



For more details, check out our **New Construction** page