

Ideal Homes

GLASS CLASS: Mirrors can be decorative and functional, as these items illustrate

Reflecting the best of your bathroom

WHEN creating your dream bathroom, the task goes beyond simply choosing the right bath, shower, basin and WC. It's also important to consider the wider decor, and an integral part of the overall look of the room is the choice of mirror.

The right mirror will be able to enlarge any part of the room, no matter how small it is, by reflecting light to add ambience to the room and give the illusion of more space.

They can also make the most of the area above shoulder height, which often isn't used to its full potential.

For instance, mirrored wall units will not only brighten the room but also provide additional functionality; some units even come complete with internal cosmetic mirrors, shaver points, magnets for tweezers and scissors and make-up compartments.

Like most household items these days, mirrors are no longer confined to just one function. The



Encore Bluetooth mirror.



Globe back-lit mirror.

myriad of additional features they can now have include such wonders as heated de-mister pads, sensor-operated ambient lighting, digital clocks and even Bluetooth speakers, making even the most humdrum of daily routines more

fun and providing some really useful benefits.

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Ornate mirrors add a touch of glamour to your bathroom.

recommends these three mirrored items:

- An ornate heritage mirror, with prices starting from £132
- Globe back-lit mirror, £199
- Encore mirror with Bluetooth

connectivity, superior integrated stereo system, LED back lighting with touch sensitive controls and de-mister pad, £246

All are available at Willbond, London Road, Derby. Call 01332 388600 or visit willbond.co.uk.