

How to Pick the Right Outdoor Furniture: Five Tips to Help You Choose the Right Furniture for Your Space

Summer is just around the corner, and it's time to bring your outdoor space back to life. Any outdoor space can come to life with the perfect furniture. Finding that furniture may seem like a daunting task, but it doesn't have to be. Whether you're looking for furniture for a balcony, a deck, or something in between, use these tips as your guide.



❖ *Think about the space's function*

Will you use the space for relaxation, entertainment, or some combination of the two? Determining your space's function before you shop will help you focus your search. If you're using the space for relaxation, you can focus on lounge chairs, rockers, and recliners. If you're leaning toward entertainment, focus your search on dining tables and conversation sets.

❖ *Consider the weather*

The weather in your area can help you narrow your search by material. Some materials, like wicker and wrought iron, aren't able to withstand rainy climates. Other materials, like wood and mosaics, aren't able to keep up with hot, dry climates. Strong winds can send you chasing furniture made of lighter materials, like plastic and aluminum, down the street.

❖ *Be sure to measure*

Before you head out to the store, take careful measurements of your space. Know the exact size and shape you're working with. Be sure to allow for walking room behind and around your furniture. If your space is small, opt for a bistro set instead of a dining table.

❖ ***Don't forget about storage***

Be sure you have a plan for your furniture during those cold winter months. Many furniture covers aren't able to provide the necessary protection when the weather isn't so relaxing. If you're low on space, opt for furniture that folds flat or can be used inside during those colder months.

❖ ***Opt for easy care***

You want to spend the summer enjoying your furniture rather than cleaning it. Be sure to select materials that are low maintenance. Most wicker and plastic furniture can be cleaned with a simple spray of the garden hose. Aluminum and wood furniture also require minimal maintenance.

With a bit of planning, you can ensure that your outdoor space will be a place you enjoy for years to come.

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