



Rest assured with our **10 Step Process**



Charlie Bates

Charlie Bates founded **Bates Building & Carpentry** in 1978 after completing a course in Carpentry and Joinery in his home city of Bristol. Through creating personal projects under the Bates name, Charlie soon became known for his high level of skill, knowledge of the industry and a fine attention to detail. Soon after, he found himself in great demand and began to trade as a private contractor. He worked on larger and more notable projects such as Sleeping Beauty Castle in Disneyland Paris and the Ministry of Defence building located at Abbey Wood, Bristol. Now with over 39 years of experience under his belt Charlie Bates supplies a wide range of carpentry and project management services in and around Bristol, UK.

Charlie Bates with architect Laura Clark on site during the filming of Channel 4's "Ugly House to Lovely House".





George Bates

Following in his father's footsteps, George Bates took an early interest in carpentry and chose to study Carpentry and Joinery at the City of Bristol College. After graduating George opted for an apprenticeship working under the guidance and tutelage of his father. After completing his apprenticeship George starting working independently on larger projects such as the Cabot Circus shopping centre in Bristol as well as constructing tree houses for Squirrel Design. George has notable domestic experience and is an expert in kitchen fitting. He continued to work in the Bristol area and around the UK before officially joining his father in 2015 to take on Bates Building & Carpentry full time as a family business.

George Bates and George Clarke as seen on Channel 4's "Ugly House to Lovely House".





Our 10 Step Process...

1. Initial visit

We will visit you at home (or site) to introduce ourselves and get a better idea of the project you're looking to undertake. This will allow us to budget your project accordingly, discuss what materials will be required and schedule building work to best suit you. We will undertake any project, large or small.



2. Drawings and plans

You may have already drawn up a sketch or had an architect produce plans for your project. If you haven't done so and you wish to create plans for your project, we can help you put that into effect.

Helpful Numbers:

Your Design Bristol - 07722 238137 (architects, building control)

Orme Architects - 01458 445100

Total Building Control - 01225 418999 (structural certification)

Nick Edgar - 07872 509912 (structural engineer)



3. Budget

We make sure that everything is included from the outset. Our clients' testimonials can qualify that we keep to budget on materials and labour, so you won't get any unforeseen surprises along the way.

4. Appointment

We will book an appointment with you once we send our quote to go over the specification and make sure all details are correct. It is here that we can go into the detail of any projects you may have.

before



after



5. Planning & building regulations

Your project may require planning or building regulations. We have experience with this documentation and are happy to help you through this part of the project, should you require assistance.



6. Building & carpentry

The next step is to get all the materials you require for the project. We can work with you specifying and delivering everything you need to the site. We also carry out building work in a safe and clean manner.

7. Working practices

We work with as minimal disturbance as possible and as cleanly as possible, clearing away any debris as we go. This is especially important if the homeowner/s or tenant/s are present at the property during any build.



8. Finishing and snagging

At Bates Building & Carpentry, we pride ourselves on an extremely high level of finish, all surfaces are cleaned, free of snags and flush to all adjoining surfaces, walls, doors or ceilings. All our building and carpentry is guaranteed, a standard we have set to mark our build quality and craftsmanship.



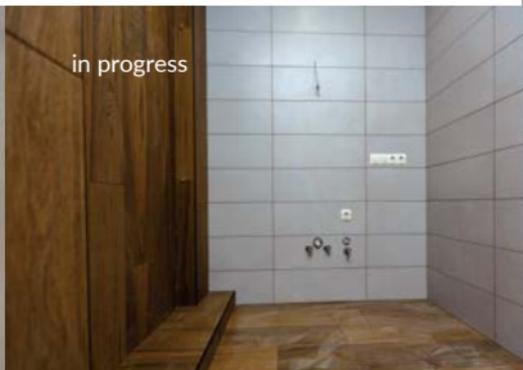
9. Decoration

We can arrange for that extra finishing touch with decoration of your choice. Most clients find that this is the most satisfying way to “ice the cake” and we are happy to carry out any decorative requirements you may have.



10. After care

With a guarantee on all our building and carpentry work, you can rest assured that your project will look good from the start and stay that way. We would be happy to look at any further requirements you may have or discuss any future projects. We carry out a professional clean through all of the affected areas.





Rest assured, you're in safe hands



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