WHY BRICK IS THE SMART CHOICE

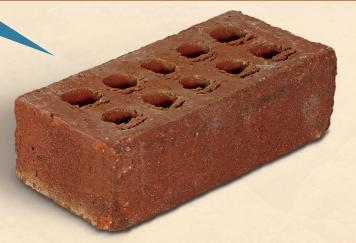


\$5.35/sq.ft.*

*Pricing is based on data collected by the Brick Industry Association-Southeast Region 2013.

** Pricing differs per region.

***Listed Prices are for product and typical installation and can increase when additional resources are included



Natural Clay
Wide Color Selection
Energy Efficiency
Higher Resell Value
Zero Maintenance
Lower Insurance Costs
Sustainable Process
Lasts a Lifetime

THE SHOWDOWN OF EXTERIOR CLADDINGS



VINYL SIDING \$2.55 / sq. ft.

Benefits: Low cost, easy installation

Disadvantages: Poor aesthetics; poor resistance to fire, poor energy and sound insulation value; dents/dings/misalignment/warping: moisture damage over time



SYNTHETIC STONE \$9.95 / sq. ft.

Benefits: Natural material appearance; high resell value; zero maintenance; resistance to moisture and wind: sustainability

Disadvantages: Requires precision construction practices; possible moisture damage; color could change over time



FIBER SIDING \$4.15 / sq. ft.

Benefits: Better aesthetics than vinyl; no special foundation support needed

Disadvantages: Seams can be visible; contains wood pulp - susceptible to wind, fire, moisture, chips/dents; may show waves when attached to imperfect sub-frame



THIN BRICK \$9.85 / sq. ft.

Benefits: Natural materials; aesthetics; less weight and wall loading; design flexibility (exterior and interior walls); good energy efficiency; moisture resistance

Disadvantages: Provides less structural strength than brick or real stone



SYNTHETIC STUCCO \$6.45 / sq. ft.

Benefits: Various colors, better energy efficiency and sound insulation

Disadvantages: Susceptible to dents, tears, holes (re-patching can be problematic); poor moisture resistance; poor fire resistance; insect infestation; cracks easily, may require higher insurance premiums



REAL STONE \$16.00 / sq. ft.

Benefits: Natural materials; super aesthetics, various types/colors; high energy efficiency and sound insulation; superior home resell value, sustainability; zero maintenance

Disadvantages: Requires special trade skills