

Stove Buying Checklist

Section 1: Pre-Purchase Considerations

#	Consideration	Yes/No/Notes
1	Heating Needs: Assessed room-by-room heating requirements	_____
2	Budget: Defined total budget (purchase, installation, maintenance, fuel)	\$ _____
3	Space Constraints: Measured intended stove location (length, width, height)	_____ (L) x _____ (W) x _____ (H)
4	Local Regulations: Verified compliance with local stove regulations	_____

Section 2: Stove Type and Fuel

#	Stove Type/Fuel	Considerations	Selected
2.1	Wood Burning	Efficiency, maintenance, environmental impact	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.2	Gas	Fuel cost, ease of use, safety features	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.3	Electric	Operating cost, design flexibility, heating capacity	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.4	Pellet	Eco-friendliness, fuel availability, noise level	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.5	Multi-Fuel	Flexibility, fuel storage, increased complexity	<input type="checkbox"/>

Section 3: Efficiency, Environment, and Safety

#	Feature	Requirement	Verified
3.1	Efficiency Rating	Minimum desired efficiency (%)	_____ %
3.2	Eco-Friendliness	Specific environmental standards (e.g., EPA certified)	_____
3.3	Safety Features	Auto shut-off, child safety lock, thermal cutoff	_____ (list)

Section 4: Design, Installation, and Maintenance

#	Aspect	Preference/Requirement	Notes
4.1	Stove Size	Ideal dimensions for space	_____ (L) x _____ (W) x _____ (H)
4.2	Design Style	Modern, traditional, rustic, etc.	_____
4.3	Installation Type	Freestanding, insert, corner	_____
4.4	Maintenance Access	Ease of access for cleaning and repair	_____ (scale: 1-5)

Section 5: Additional Features and Support

#	Feature/Support	Desired	Provider
5.1	Remote Control Operation	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
5.2	Smart Home Integration	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
5.3	Warranty Length	_____ years	_____
5.4	After-Sales Support	Phone, email, in-person	_____

Section 6: Final Checklist Before Purchase

#	Confirmation	Verified
6.1	All considerations reviewed	<input type="checkbox"/>
6.2	Selected stove meets all key requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
6.3	Installation professional identified (if not DIY)	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
6.4	Purchase financing/options clarified (if applicable)	