



Cocktail Club Mirror, £500 (was £625) | India Jane



Mysa Mirror, £595 | Oka



Tipperary Mirror, £295 | Oka



Verona Mirror, £3.060 | Fiona McDonald



Julian Chichester Countess Small Mirror, £1,448.40 | Amersham



Belvedere Mirror | Vaughan

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Mirrors can help open up a small space, and make it feel larger. They reflect the light and the surroundings, the colours, greenery or finishes, and add another layer of texture to the scheme. – [Alison Henry, interior designer](#)

Installing a mirror in an alcove can make a room feel wider. It bounces light around the room and helps create depth – it's especially effective in alcoves in terraced houses. – [Laura Stephens, interior designer](#)

Mirrors are a cunning way to deceive the eye. They can be used to enhance something or deflect attention away from it. Awkward spaces, such as rooms with a sloping ceiling or a gap too small to fit a piece of furniture, can easily be repurposed with a mirror. – [Sebnem Barker, head of trade and interior design at OKA](#)

The shape of a mirror can define the identity of space, especially in bathrooms. Choose a mirror with a more organic shape to balance out any strong, linear elements such as the countertop. Incorporating a warm, natural material into the frame, such as raffia, timber or bone, quietly offsets any hard finishes and softens the overall feel. — [Clara Ewart, senior interior designer at Kitesgrove](#)

You can put something in front of a mirror to make it more of a feature, for example a vase of flowers, or a sculpture where you can then see it from all sides. Candles or candlestick lamps also add reflections, and movement of light. – Alison

Use antique glass to make the surface softer. Remember, a mirror doesn't have to just be practical – it can also help create an atmosphere and add interest throughout. – Laura

A mirror can be hung in place of artwork. Not only is it cheaper, it also adds extra drama. – Laura

An oversized mirror can act as an interesting focal point, while also reflecting the maximum amount of light back in to a room. If hung correctly, it can help reflect the light emitted from ceiling fixtures, as well as creating a show-stopping feature. – Laura

Mirrors are a brilliant way to boost the atmosphere in your entertaining space. Placing a large mirror against a wall can even create the illusion that there are more guests at a gathering. – Sebnem