

THE ULTIMATE BRITISH  
NATURAL ROOFING SLATE



**BURLINGTON  
STONE**

EST 1843



Since 1843, Burlington Stone have offered exceptional quality roofing slates to clients and their projects throughout the world, including Westmorland Green roofing slates on the iconic Tower Bridge, London.

Burlington's blue/grey and Westmorland Green roofing slates adorn the skyline of major cities and rural areas alike and due to their quality, durability and longevity, offer a lifetime of service to the buildings they cover. This is demonstrated by an ancient pedigree of proven performance that is unrivalled in the harsh UK climate. Burlington slates have been used on a range of projects where clients and architects have sought a material that is both functional and beautiful, whether it be for cathedrals or cottages, castles or crofts.

Burlington's credentials are endorsed not just by the three "Queens Awards for Export Achievement", but also by clients both past and present.

Tower Bridge - London - UK



Rampholme - Bowness on Windemere - UK



New dwelling - Auchterarder - UK



Leny House - Callander - UK



Alwoodley Golf Club - Leeds - UK



Easter Dullater - Inverrossachs - Scotland - UK



St Pancras Chambers - London - UK



Pitcaple Castle - Inverurie - Scotland - UK



New dwelling - Strathblane - UK



Loch Lomond & Trossachs National Park HQ - Balloch - Scotland - UK



KIRKBY BLUE/GREY



ELTERWATER



HONISTER

### Burlington's British natural slates are:

- Naturally Strong
- Naturally Weatherproof
- Naturally Beautiful

The natural slates are sympathetically extracted from quarries in the heart of the English Lake District. Using our highly skilled and talented craftsmen, with experience passed down through the generations, we produce exquisite British natural slate, ensuring our products meet and exceed our customers' expectations.

Burlington's three quarries dedicated to roofing slate production are Kirkby blue/grey, Elterwater pale green and Honister mid green.

Available in random lengths and widths, the slates can be laid in diminishing courses with the largest slates used at the eaves and gradually smaller sizes as you work up to the ridge. This tradition of laying slates in diminishing courses gives a pleasing visual perspective to the roof. Slates can also be supplied in a sized format (fixed lengths with random widths) which helps to retain a traditional random element to the roof design, whilst speeding up the laying process and keeping the cost of installation down. For a regular half bond pattern to the roof, slates are available with a fixed length and fixed width.



Cuithir - Isle of Barra - UK



Stirling Castle - Scotland - UK



Stobhall Castle - Perthshire - Scotland - UK



## Reasons to use Burlington's British natural roofing slates

1. Burlington Slate is one of the finest most durable natural materials in the world and adorns many of the most iconic historical buildings in the UK and in the world.
2. The technical characteristics of Burlington slate ensure a life span of over 150 years; ensuring a long term sustainable solution.
3. Burlington's slate roofing products adhere to and surpass the European quality standard BS EN 12326, achieving the highest possible classification in each of the key categories:
  - Water Absorption (Result A1)
  - Thermal Cycle Resistance (Result T1)
  - Sulfur Dioxide Exposure (Result S1)

These test results are a key indication of reliability, but more importantly Burlington demonstrates its quality by proven evidence of performance over time.

4. Burlington Slate Limited was established in 1843 and is a British business with long traditions and values, where quality control and effective management and use of the natural slate reserves are important corporate goals.
5. The company is certified to ISO 14001 and aims to utilise 100% of the rock extracted from its quarry operations through the extensive recycling of all waste elements, important for BREAM and LEED certification in building construction.
6. No part of a building is more exposed to the destructive forces of nature than the roof and, as such, it is a critical component of the building envelope, both from a technical and aesthetic perspective. Burlington Slates are:
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7. Burlington works closely with the BRE and The National Parks Authority to embrace best practice in environmental management.
8. Burlington roofing slates conform with new CE Marking legislation, which ensures that every slate must have a Certificate of Origin and up to date technical test data. This provides protection for both the contractor and the customer that the material is fit for purpose.



Private residence - Lancashire - UK



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BS EN 12326-1  
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1984  
THE QUEEN'S AWARD FOR  
EXPORT ACHIEVEMENT



1991  
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