

# Outdoor Spiral Stair Checklist

Use this checklist to make sure your outdoor spiral stair is the right fit for your deck, yard, and lifestyle and to feel confident before your design call.

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## 1. Project Basics

- Is this stair connecting a deck, balcony, loft, or ground level?
- Do you need it to meet residential building code requirements?

## 2. Space & Layout

- Do you know the approximate height from top landing to ground?
- Is there a clear footprint available for the stair?
- Will the stair land on concrete, decking, or another surface?
- Is there enough headroom above and around the stair opening?

## 3. Outdoor Environment

- Will the stair be exposed to rain, snow, or ice?
- Is the location coastal, wooded, or high-moisture?
- Is nighttime visibility a concern?

## 4. Materials & Durability

- Are you considering powder-coated aluminum or galvanized steel?
- Do you want metal or decking treads?
- Is low maintenance a top priority?



### Pro Tip

A short call with a spiral stair designer can help confirm sizing, materials, and layout and prevent costly mistakes later.