Double Bathroom Vanity Design: Is Two Better Than One?

A double vanity is useful when two people regularly need the basin area at the same time. It is less compelling if adding a second basin removes valuable surface or storage space. Review the morning routine and the available room before deciding whether two basins offer a meaningful advantage.

Compare two complete layouts

Ask to see a single-basin and a double-basin arrangement on the same measured plan. Include drawers, mirrors and the space needed to stand comfortably. A large single vanity with a generous work surface may support some households better than two closely spaced basins. The comparison should focus on actual use.

Coordinate the products early

Choose the basin and tap types before finalising the cabinet divisions. Confirm their dimensions and the plumbing requirements with the relevant suppliers and installers. Review what happens beneath each basin, since two plumbing zones may affect the storage differently from one central arrangement.

Give each person practical space

Decide whether toiletries and accessories should be stored separately or shared. Consider where items will be placed during grooming, not only where they live afterwards. Check how both users open drawers and reach products at the same time. A visually symmetrical design is not automatically comfortable for simultaneous use.

Bring mirrors and lighting into the plan

Review the complete wall rather than treating the mirrors as a later purchase. Discuss how the lighting serves both positions and how the arrangement relates to nearby windows or cabinets. The finished vanity should support an easy shared routine, with clear storage and enough usable surface for the tasks that happen there.

Share your bathroom dimensions and household routine with Fabbro to compare single and double vanity layouts.