

7 great reasons why shipping containers are a perfect storage solution

We have offered shipping container storage for over 20 years. If you have never considered it, here are seven reasons it can be a practical, cost-effective option for your goods.

01 Designed to store goods

Shipping containers are designed to carry goods of many shapes and sizes over long distances. Strong construction and a practical layout make them well suited to storing household items, furniture, tools and business stock.

02 Protection from the elements

Steel walls and thick rubber door seals help protect goods from rain, dust and pests. Passive vents allow some air circulation. Containers are not climate controlled: pack goods dry and leave room for ventilation.

03 Cost effective

Container storage keeps things simple. With low overheads and no full-time reception desk, you pay for space and practical access. Compare current prices, minimum stays and included features instead of relying on a fixed percentage saving.

04 Secure

Your padlock sits inside an anti-theft lockbox. Security at Sunshine Self Storage includes your own access card and alarm code, back-to-base alarms, cameras monitored 24/7 and high fences. Strong steel construction adds another layer of protection.

05 They are big

Our 20ft containers offer 33.1 cubic metres of storage, with an internal height of about 2.39m. We also offer 10ft and 40ft options. Measure your goods, allow access space and stack boxes safely.

06 Easy access

Drive up to your container and load directly from your vehicle. Door openings are about 2.35m wide, though dimensions can vary. Car containers are positioned for vehicle access. Check large items before moving day.

07 Shipping containers are cool

They offer a cost-effective, simple and secure storage solution. We keep moving in and out straightforward, with online booking, a standard storage agreement and helpful service. Our customers tell us how convenient drive-up storage is. If it's not obvious, we love shipping containers - try it for yourself!