

# Fanlight

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A **fanlight** is a form of [lunette](#) window, often semicircular or semi-elliptical in shape, with [glazing](#) bars or [tracery](#) sets radiating out like an open [fan](#).<sup>[1]</sup> It is placed over another window or a doorway,<sup>[2][3]</sup> and is sometimes hinged to a [transom](#). The bars in the fixed glazed window spread out in the manner of a [sunburst](#). It is also called a "sunburst light".<sup>[4]</sup>



Fanlight at [Montgomery's Inn, Ontario](#)

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