

FITTING INSTRUCTIONS FOR ROMAN & ROLLUP BLINDS

BLINDS

The blinds do not have brackets – they are attached by means of screws driven directly into the window or door frame, or into the wallboard.

If installing on plaster or wallboard, where possible pick up the position of the timber studs. If you are unable to locate a stud, use a suitable wall plug or toggle for plasterboard to hold the screws. The blinds are pre-drilled, but you may need to drill new holes in the correct position to match up with studs.

Small blinds are able to be installed by one person. Larger / heavier blinds will need two people.

For Face Fix blinds

use the holes on the front of the head rail.

For Top Fix blinds

Use the holes on the bottom of the head rail.

Place the blind in the desired position. Hold the valance out of the way of the power drill. Drive the first of the screws in at one end. Then screw the other end, ensuring that the blind is held level. If the blind is over 1000mm in width, it will have a third screw near the centre – drive this one in last, ensuring that the blind does not sag in the middle.

Release the blind to its full drop, then raise it up again. Check that it is gathered or rolled correctly and sits neatly behind the valance. Release it again to its full drop and check that it is hanging straight and level at the bottom. You can gently stretch and twist the material until it is sitting well.

Check and adjust the valance to ensure that it is hanging straight and even.

CORD CLEATS

The cord cleats are used to tie excess cords out of the reach of children. The cord cleat should be installed to the window frame or wall, 1600mm above the floor level. All excess cord should be wrapped around the cleat, keeping it out of reach of children and neatly off the floor or furniture.

Position the cleat against the window frame or wall in a place that is accessible to the user, while remaining inaccessible to small children. Use a drill to fasten the cleat with the two screws provided.

For exterior rollup blinds, and also some longer interior rollup blinds, it is useful to place a second cleat approximately 300mm above the first one – this makes the storage of the cord neater and easier.

WARNING!

Young children can STRANGLE in cord loops. They can also wrap cords around their necks and STRANGLE.

Always keep cords out of children's reach.

Install and use safety devices that remove the cord loop or reduce access to cords.

Move cots, play pens and other furniture away from cords and bead chains. Children can climb furniture to get to cords.

Do not tie cords together. Make sure that cords do not twist together and create a loop.