

# VERTICAL BLIND FITTING INSTRUCTIONS

Your new Vertical Blind has been custom built for you from the highest quality materials please follow the installation instructions provided.

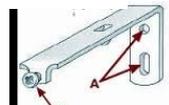
## HARDWARE

Please note : Screws are not supplied for bracket fixings and are dependent on the surface to which you are fixing please see chart below for recommended guide :

FIXTURE GUIDE	RECOMENDED (Philips head)
Wood	20mm 8 gauge
Steel	6mm 6 gauge
Ceiling	Toggle Bolt
Plasterboard	Wall mates
Aluminium	6mm 8 gauge or tech screw
Brick	Green plug & 38mm 8 gauge self tapper

- Depending on if your blind is face fit or recess fit place the brackets in position, with a pencil mark the surface of the wall or window recess to indicate where to drill screw holes. Brackets should be no more than 100mm either end, and spread intermediately across the width approx 900mm apart. Brackets will be supplied for either recess or face fix as specified when ordering.  
If face fit be sure to check length to locate brackets are set at the correct height.

Face fit Bracket

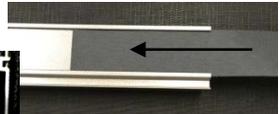


Recess fit bracket

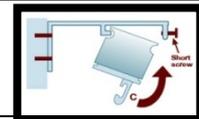
- When you are happy that you have correct positions for the brackets pre drill the screw holes and fix brackets securely.

- Before fixing head box in place, slide fabric insert strip into the front of head box (this is the thin roll of fabric strip sent with your order) The insert will be the same fabric as your slats and gives a smart finish to your product.

FRONT FACE



- Locate the head box in the rear lug of bracket remembering that the ridged side of the head box is the back and tighten short screw to secure



- Check alignment of carriers and rotate to open position, attach slats to carriers so that the slats hang in the open position. If required install weights into the bottom slat hem and attach chain to both sides of weights.

- If you have a chain/cord control secure the safety cleat supplied, firmly to the wall at the appropriate position to keep tension on the control chain and avoid a choking hazard.  
It is important to keep chains and cords safely away from children your new blind will have a safety warning tag attached please read carefully and do not remove



Safety Cleat

- To operate your new blind use chain or wand control to open, close and rotate using a steady tension and movement and avoid jerking or tugging of the chain or wand.

- Your blind is now installed and ready. We hope it brings you and your home many years of great functionality and beauty. We thank you for your purchase.

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

## WARNING

### ALL WINDOW COVERINGS WITH CORD OR CHAIN



## Installation instructions

To avoid strangulation hazard, all internal window coverings with cord/ chain controls must have a child safety device installed where the cord has the possibility of forming a loop of 220mm or longer and it is at a height of less than 1600mm above floor level

To avoid creating a possible strangulation hazard for children , the corded internal window covering must be installed in such a way that the loose cord cannot form a loop of 220mm or longer at a height of less than 1600mm from floor level.

When using a cleat (Style 1) to secure the cord it must be at least 1600mm from floor level because a child is capable of unwinding a cord from a cleat. Please wind cord in a figure 8 dimation as indicated on Style 1 diagram.

A cord guide (Style2) may be installed lower than 1600mm above floor level if the cord is sufficiently secured or tensioned to prevent a loop 220mm or longer from being formed. If the cord is installed lower than 1600mm from floor level it must be designed to prevent a child from being able to remove the cord.

## Making Blinds and Curtains Safer for Children

Blinds and curtain cords can be made safer in the following way:

Attach a Safety Device (enclosed)

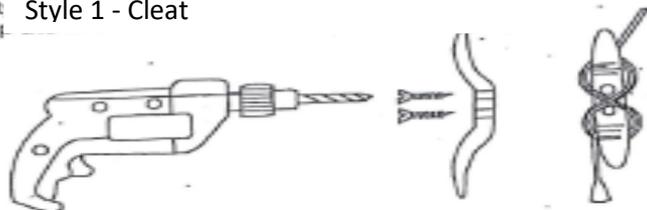
**Attach a cleat (Style 1)** to the wall or window frame 1600mm or higher from the floor away from children or pets and wrap around the cleat.

- 1) Affix cleat with screws as shown
- 2)Wind loose cord around safety cleat

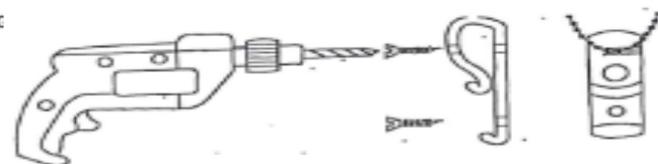
**Attach a cord guide (Style 2)**

- 1)Affix cord guide with screws as shown
- 2)Secure cord in cord guide at all times

Style 1 - Cleat



Style 2 - Cord guide



**'WARNING: CURTAIN AND BLIND CORDS HAVE CAUSED THE DEATH OF YOUNG CHILDREN AND MUST BE INSTALLED SO THAT THEY ARE NOT A STRANGULATION HAZARD. FOLLOW THE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS'.**

