

How do I fit mirrors with aluminium J channels?

- Aluminium J channels come in 3.66metre lengths and come with a top and bottom channel to make a set. The top channel has a larger rebate which allows you to push the mirror from the front, as opposed sides up and into this rebate, you then lift over the bottom rebate and the mirror is lowered down so it sits in the top and bottom channels.
- The channels are cut to size on site using a basic hack saw. If the blade is sharp enough it should not leave any sharp edges but we recommend you check your edges before erection and sand them off if required.
- You will need to choose the correct screws for your wall type as we do not supply these. The screws must be able to take a weight of 15kg each.
- To start, we recommend you start with your bottom channel and take a spirit level and mark where on the wall you wish to put this channel ensuring it is level. Once this has been clearly identified you **MUST** check there is sufficient support to hold the channel. If going into a stud wall you must drill into the wall batons otherwise there will not be enough support to hold the weight of the mirrors.
- Using a hand drill, screw every 300mm into the channel ensuring the screws are supported. Once the bottom channel has been screwed into the wall take one mirror and mark where the top is. The using this marker identify and mark with a spirit level where the top channel should go. Check again you are happy the mirror will be able to go over the bottom lip when pushed into the

top channel rebate. If you are happy with your measurements then repeat the process of drilling the top channel into your wall as you did with the bottom channel.

- Once complete, take your mirrors and carefully lift them into the top rebate and lower slowly into the bottom rebate. The majority of our customers have not had difficulty in doing this final process but a few customers have commented it can be difficult. If you wish, you can buy some glass handling suckers from a local DIY store if you are in anyway concerned.

How do I clean mirrors and glass?

- Keeping them clean is very straightforward. You simply polish or wipe with standard glass cleaner. For an additional charge we can protect your glass products with RITEC clear shield which offers additional protection, easier cleaning and better performance in wet conditions.



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