

Useful tools for installing garden edging

- Spade
- Rake
- Drill
- Mattock
- Spirit Level
- Rubber Mallet
- Trenching shovel
- Builders Line
- Angle Grinder

STEP 1

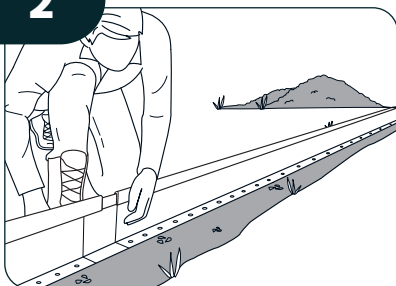


Site preparation

- › Begin by marking out the desired line for your edging using a suitable survey marking product.
- › Use a spade and or mattock to cut away any lawn or clear any vegetation along this line.
- › Using a trenching shovel excavate a trench wide and deep enough to accommodate the edging, ensuring it will finish level with your desired height once installed. Remove any lawn, rocks or roots that will impede the installation of the edging.

! *Tip: It's better to dig the trench slightly deeper than required. Adjustments to the finished level of the edging can be made during installation.*

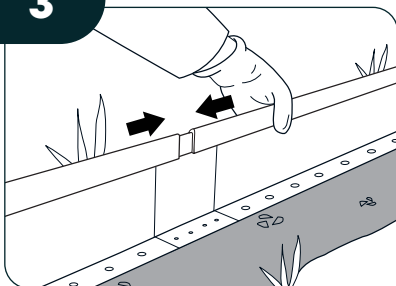
STEP 2



Lay the edging

- › Place 2-3 lengths of your garden edging into the trench at a time.
- › Adjust the edging as needed to create smooth curves or straight edges, depending on your design.
- › Take your time to align the edging properly for a clean finish.

STEP 3



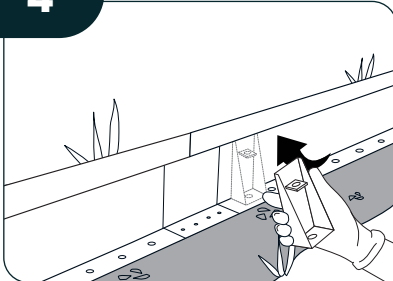
Joining

- › This step is crucial for maintaining continuity and preventing unsightly gaps.
- › Where two pieces of edging meet, use joiners to connect the section securely.
- › Each edging length is supplied with a joiner piece pre-attached.
- › This will slide easily into the end of the following length and can be secured using two Tek screws in the pre-drilled holes on the foot.



Installation Guide for 75mm, 100mm, 150mm & 185mm Edging

STEP 4

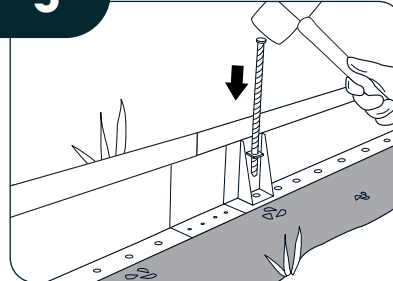


Insert braces

- › Place ground braces at regular intervals (typically every 1-1.5 metres) along the edging line.
- › Ensure each brace is positioned on the inside face of the edging for optimal stability.

! **Note:** Braces are not required with the 75mm high edging.

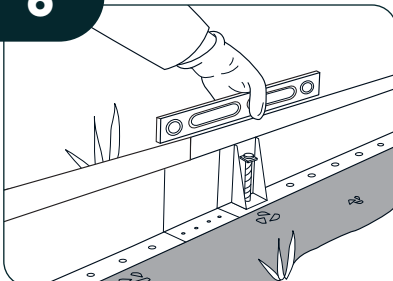
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Secure with galvanised twisted nails

- › Drive galvanised twisted nails through the holes in the brace foot to firmly anchor the edging in place.
- › Use a hammer or mallet to ensure a tight fit.

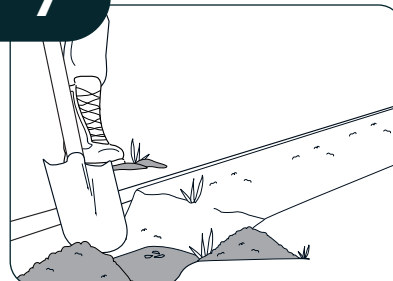
STEP 6



Levelling

- › For straight sections use a builder's line set at the finished height of the edging.
- › Check the top of the edging to ensure it is level and consistent along the entire length.
- › Use a spirit level for curved sections.
- › Make any final adjustments as needed for a polished, professional finish.

STEP 7



Backfilling

- › Once the edging is secure, use a rake or shovel to backfill the trench with the soil or material you initially removed.
- › Pack the soil firmly around the base of the edging to provide additional stability.