## Installation Guide: Face Fixing for brick walls

Decorative panels can be fixed on the face of posts or in between This will affect the post position so will need to be decided beforehand



- 1. Assess how level the wall is. You may require packers to level the posts.
- 2. Drill a hole to accept the plug. Use the appropriate drill bit for the fixing you are using.

Avoid fixing into the top course of bricks.

The condition/strength of the wall dictates the strength and longevity of the fixing

3. Fix the posts using your chosen fixings.

#### We recommend a minimum of 600mm attached to the wall

- 4. Fix the panel which will give the line & position of subsequent posts & panels.
- 5. Repeat steps 2-4

6. Screw panels into posts:

#### **OPTIONS:**

#### PANELS ON THE FACE OF POSTS

Screw panels into posts using 4.5mm x 50mm steel screws (minimum of 3 per side)

Ensure the top of each panel is level

Additional panels meet over the centre of the post, with the first and last sitting flush at the ends.

(If installing top capping)

### 95mm x 45mm if panels fixed to face of posts:

Align with front slat of panel and screw down into top of posts using 4.5mm/5mm x 100mm screws (these should be plugged or filled).

OR;

# PANELS BETWEEN POSTS \*\*Fixing strips required\*\*

Screw fixing strips to the **inside** of posts, set back by the thickness of the panel

Screw panels into fixing strip using 4.5mm x 50mm steel screws (minimum of 3 per side)

Ensure the top of each panel is level.

(If installing top capping)

70mm x 45mm if panels fixed between posts:

Align with the front edge of the post and screw down into top of posts using 4.5mm/5mm x 100mm screws (these should be plugged or filled).





