

OAK BEAM INSTALLATION GUIDE

TOOLS REQUIRED

- 1 x Tape Measure
- 1 x Spirit Level
- 1 x Hammer
- 1 x Pencil
- 1 x Drill
- 1 x 8mm Masonry Drill Bit
- 1 x Screwdriver

PARTS SUPPLIED

- 1 x Oak Beam
- 2 x Long Screws
- 2 x Wall Plugs

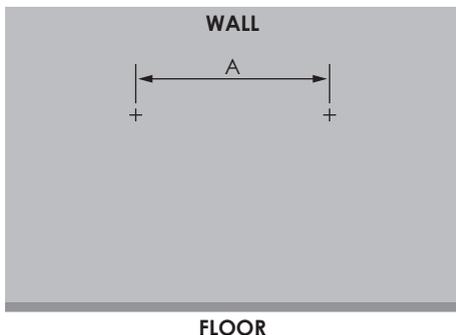
FINISHING

The oak beam is unfinished for you to personalise. Unfinished surfaces will absorb moisture until sealed, we recommend all unfinished surfaces are sealed with a lacquer, wax or other sealant.

INSTALLATION

We recommend fixing the oak beam to **solid walls**. If fixing to plaster board, ensure the appropriate fixing method is used to withstand weights of up to 20kg.

- Mark the screw locations on the wall according to dimension 'A' on the table below for the appropriate beam size.
- Drill 2 x 8mm diameter holes approximately 80mm deep. Ensure these are level.
- Insert the wall plugs.
- Screw the 2 x screws into the wall plugs, initially leaving approximately 10mm protruding.
- Place the beam onto the screws. The screws may need adjusting with a screwdriver until the beam sits flush and tight to the wall.
- Once the beam is in the correct position, apply a small amount of an appropriate adhesive to the back of the beam before placing the beam back on the wall.



Beam Size	A
915mm	515mm
1220mm	620mm

Oak is a natural material. Knots, grain pattern and colour may vary. It is normal for some movement to occur in the beam as it continues to dry and adjusts to the environment it is being installed in, any cracks/twisting/bowing/splitting that may occur is normal. Placing the beam above a heat source can exagurate this movement also.

As a combustible material, ensure the beam is positioned within a safe distance away from heat sources in line with HETAS and Gas Safe regulations.