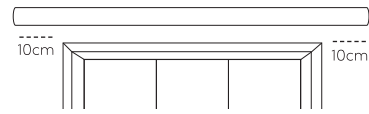


# ROTHLEY Fitting Instructions

## 1. Before You Begin

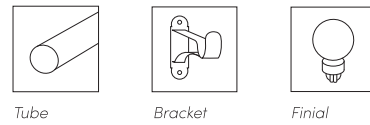
1.1. Before fixing brackets ensure that no hidden pipes or cables are present behind the surface you are fixing to.

Select a tube which overhangs the window frame by approximately 10cm on each side (a total of 20cm longer than the window).

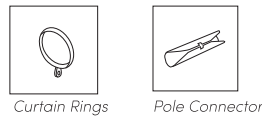


1.2. If your window is wider than one single pole then purchase two poles and connect them in the centre with a pole connector. (You will need 3 fixing brackets if your pole is longer than 120cm). If you need to join two poles the central joint will be concealed by the centre bracket that you will use to support the pole. Trim both the left and right excess tube being sure to leave 10cm over-hang, beyond the window frame.

## What to Buy

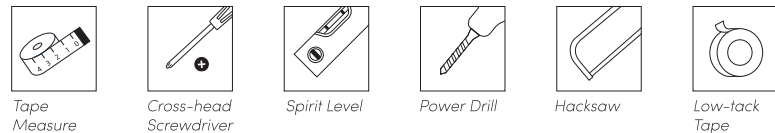


## Optional

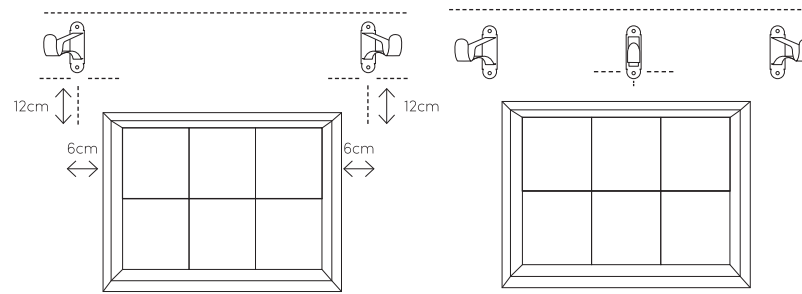


- Purchase 3 brackets if your pole is longer than 120cm or if you need to join two poles with a pole connector.
- If you require curtain rings purchase sufficient to provide 1 ring per 10cm of curtain pole.

## The Tools that You Will Need



## 2. Marking the Positions of the Supports (brackets to the wall)



2.1. Mark a position for the left support bracket which is 12cm above the window frame (top) and 6cm to the left of the window frame (left side). Draw a short, unobtrusive horizontal and vertical line on your wall.

2.2. Mark a level position (using a spirit level) for the right-hand support bracket which is 6cm to the right of the window frame (right side). Draw a short, unobtrusive horizontal and vertical line on your wall.

2.3. If the pole that you are fixing is longer than 120cm (approx. 4 ft) or if you would consider the curtains that you intend to use to be particularly heavy, then install a centre bracket. Mark the position of the centre bracket precisely in the centre of the end brackets. Draw a short, unobtrusive horizontal and vertical line on your wall.

2.4. Check positioning with a spirit level and tape measure again to ensure correct locations before drilling and fixing the brackets.

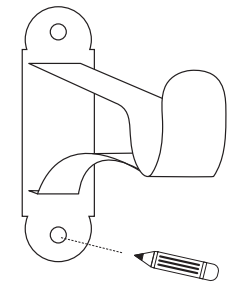
## 3. Fixing the Support Brackets to the Wall

3.1. Align the bottom of the bracket screw plate with the horizontal line that you have drawn and centralise the bracket on the vertical position line that you have drawn. Using a pencil and ensuring that the brackets are perfectly vertical (use a short spirit level if possible) mark the screw-hole positions on the wall.

3.2. Drill the holes and insert fixing plugs if required.

3.3. Fit the top screw through the bracket. Do not fully tighten the screw at this point.

3.4. Insert the bottom screw and fully tighten both screws.



## If You Are Using Our Klick-Fit Bracket with Back Plate Follow the Instructions Below

### 3. Fixing the Back Plate Supports to the Wall and Inserting the Brackets

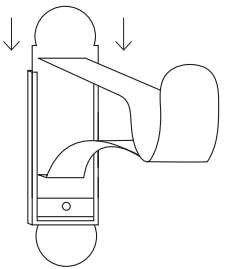
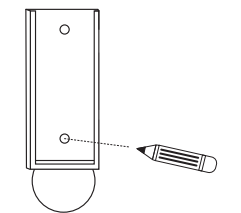
3.1. Align the bottom of the back plate support with the horizontal line that you have drawn and centralise the back plate support on the vertical position line that you have drawn. Using a pencil and ensuring that the back plates supports are perfectly vertical (use a short spirit level if possible) mark the screw hole position on the wall.

3.2. Drill the holes and insert fixing plugs if required.

3.3. Fit the top screw through the bracket. Do not fully tighten the screw at this point.

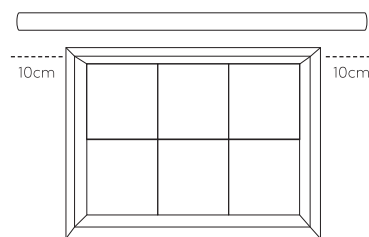
3.4. Insert the bottom screw and fully tighten both screws.

3.5. Slide the brackets into the back plates.



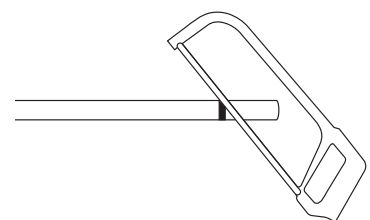
## 4. Preparing the Pole – When Using a Single, One-Piece Pole (up to 8ft)

4.1. Calculate the required length of the pole, allowing approximately 10cm overhang on each side of your window frame.



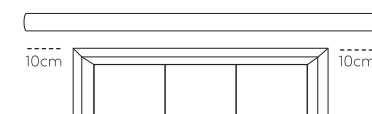
4.2. Mark the point at which the pole needs to be cut and wrap low tack tape around the pole covering the position of the intended cut to prevent the hacksaw blade from slipping and scratching the pole.

4.3. Using a fine-toothed hack saw – cut to the required length.

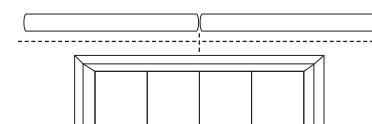


## 5. Preparing the Pole – When Joining Two Poles for Extra Length

5.1. Calculate the required length of the pole, allowing approximately 10cm overhang on each side of your window frame.

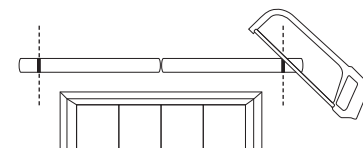


5.2. Each pole must be cut to precisely half of the total length of pole that is required, allowing the joint to be centralised and concealed by a centre support bracket.



5.3. Mark the point at which the pole needs to be cut and wrap low tack tape around the pole covering the position of the intended cut to prevent the hacksaw blade from slipping and scratching the pole.

5.4. Using a fine-toothed hack saw – cut to the required length.



## 6. Installing the Pole – With Curtain Rings or Curtains with Eyelets

6.1. With curtain rings, simply slide the number of rings required onto the pole (1 ring per 10cm of pole).

6.2. Leave one curtain ring to the left of the support bracket on the left-hand side of the pole and one ring to the right of the support bracket on the right-hand side of the pole to hold the curtain in place.

6.3. Place the pole to rest on wall bracket then simply snap the pole into the wall bracket.

6.4. Once the pole is secured in place, proceed to hang curtains from rings.

6.5. Insert the push in end of pole adornments (finials) to complete the task.

6.6. For curtains with eyelets thread the pole through the eyelets leaving one eyelet to the left of the support bracket, on the left-hand side of the pole, and one eyelet to the right of the support bracket, on the right-hand side of the pole, to hold the curtain in place.

6.7. The pole will simply snap into the wall brackets.

6.8. Insert the push in end of pole adornments (finials) to complete the task.

6.9. If you have purchased the crystal finial it is heavier than others in our range and as an added safety precaution is supplied with a locking grub screw, which should be tightened once fitted.

