

Faux Wood Blinds

Installation Instructions with Magnet Valance Email: customerservice@yourblinds.com

How to Install Your Faux Wood Blinds

Before you get started installing your new blinds, check the packaging to make sure you have the following items:

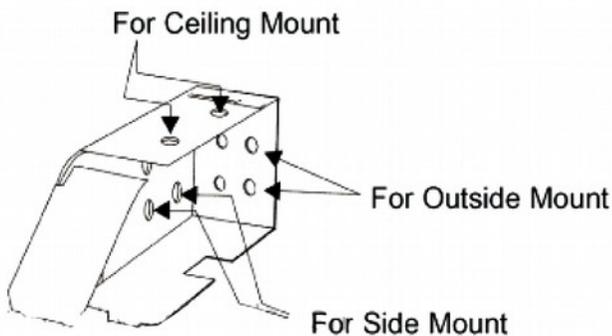
- Left and right box-style mounting brackets
- Four mounting bracket screws
- Valance clips
- Center support bracket and support screws (if needed for your particular blinds)

Once you've located these components, set them aside so they'll be handy as you begin the installation process.

Mounting Brackets And Which Ones To Use

The first components of your blinds you should install are the mounting brackets.

If your blinds are over 60" wide, use center support brackets to better anchor the blinds above the window or door. In addition, you should also position the center support brackets so that they won't interfere with the blinds' lift mechanism (between the ladders of the blinds) and as evenly as possible across the width of the window.



Screw Holes

When installing your mounting brackets, make sure you use two screws per bracket (positioned diagonally if possible) to ensure the bracket is held firmly in place and can support the weight of the blinds.

How Many Brackets Do You Need?

All of our blinds use at least two mounting brackets, which are included with your order. 2-on-1 blinds ship with one additional support bracket, while 3-on-1 blinds ship with two additional support brackets. When mounting your blinds, place the support brackets between ladders. A single support bracket should be positioned as close to the center of the blind as possible. Position two support brackets equal distance from the center of the blind. In other words, space the support brackets as evenly as possible along the width of the blind.

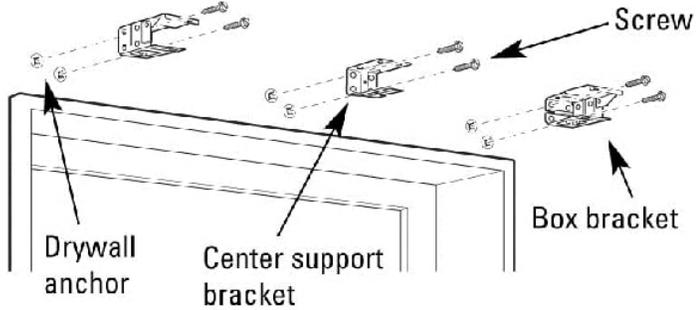
Check out these tables for a handy reference guide when installing support brackets:

| Faux Wood Blind Width | Number of Center Support Brackets |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 60" and above | One support bracket |
| 95" and above | Two support brackets |

Mounting Bracket Installation

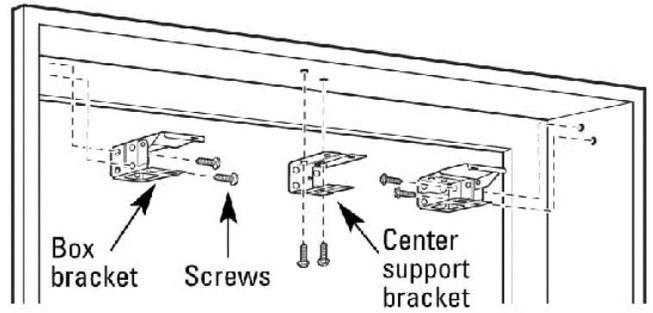
Outside Mounts

Screw brackets into wall as shown

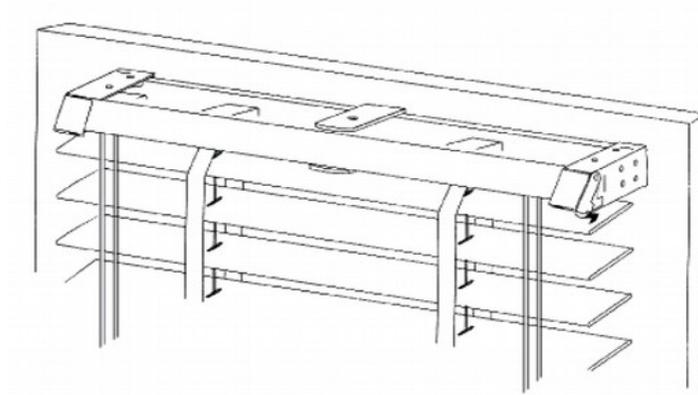


Inside Mounts

Screw brackets into window frame as shown

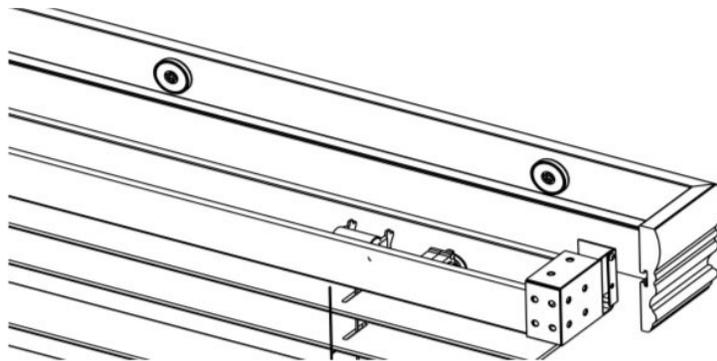


After the mounting brackets are installed, position the headrail inside the brackets as shown in the picture on the right. Then swing the covers down and snap them closed.



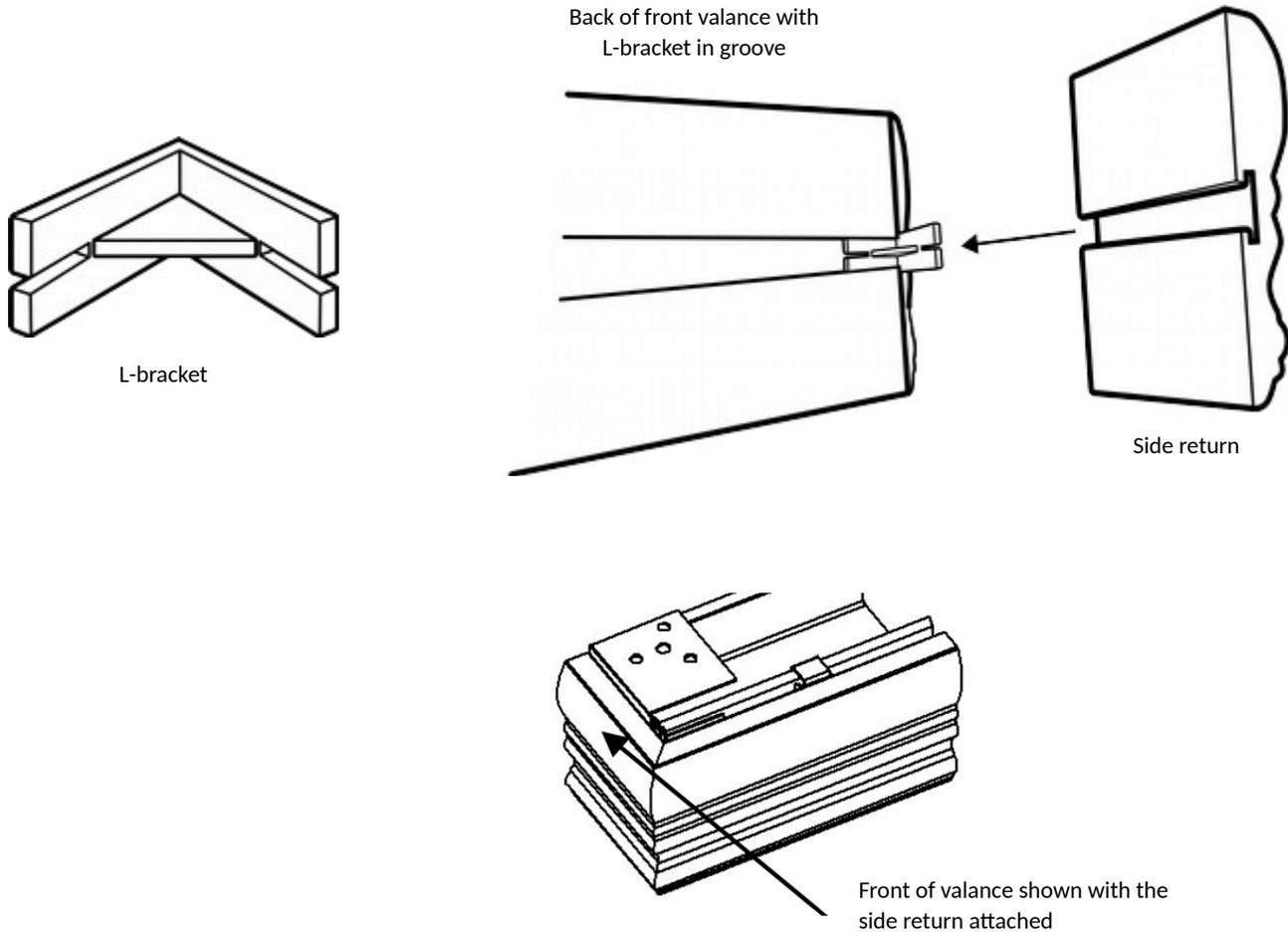
Installing Headrail with magnets

To install valance with magnets apply the valance to front of the headrail. Make sure the valance is level.



Installing Valance Side Returns

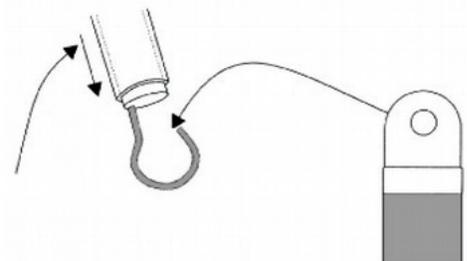
To install side returns to your outside mount valance you will use the L-brackets (metal or plastic) that will attach to the side pieces. The L-bracket will attach to the groove on the side Returns (side pieces) and then attach into the groove of the front valance Piece. Please see images below.



Installing the Tilt Wand Attachment (if applicable)

If your blinds shipped with a tilt wand attachment, follow these instructions and reference the diagram to install it:

- Attach the tip of the wand over the end of the tilter hook.
- Slide the clear cover down over the wand to hold it in place.



Installing Optional Components

Your blinds may have come with optional components such as spacer blocks or hold-down brackets. To install these components, follow these instructions:

Spacer Blocks/Extension Brackets

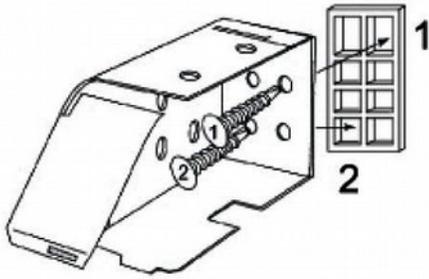
Spacer blocks are designed to give standard mounting brackets clearance over obstructions like window moldings and ledges.

Hold-Down Brackets

Hold-down brackets are used to prevent blinds from swaying back and

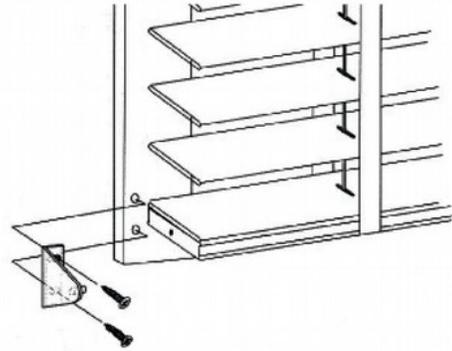
To install these components, align the holes in the back of the bracket to the holes in the spacer block and screw the bracket into the wall. Two spacer blocks can be used per bracket to add additional clearance if necessary.

Spacer Block



forth when mounted on doors or when exposed to wind.

To install these components, screw hold-down brackets into the lower corners of your window sill or jam. Then, drill a small hole in the center of the bottom rail and slip a hold-down pin through the hold-down bracket into the blind.



Taking Care of Your New Blinds

To keep your blinds working perfectly for years to come, follow these operating instructions:

- **Alignment**
To align your blinds after installation, open the slats and raise and lower the blinds several times. Repeating this process will give the cords and slats a chance to become properly aligned.
- **Cleaning**
To keep your blinds looking their best, dust them regularly with a soft clean cloth, a dusting mitt, a vacuum cleaner equipped with a brush attachment, or a dust brush designed for blinds.
- **Removal**
To remove your blinds, remove the valance, then raise the blind to the headrail and lock. Finally, open both bracket door latches to remove the blinds.

Child and Pet Safety Information

To prevent children or pets from getting tangled in the lift cord, your new blinds feature Break-Thru® safety tassels, which cause the lift cord to break in two if pressure is applied. To put the cord back together, simply snap the two halves in place.

It's also important to keep all lift cords out of the reach of children at all times.