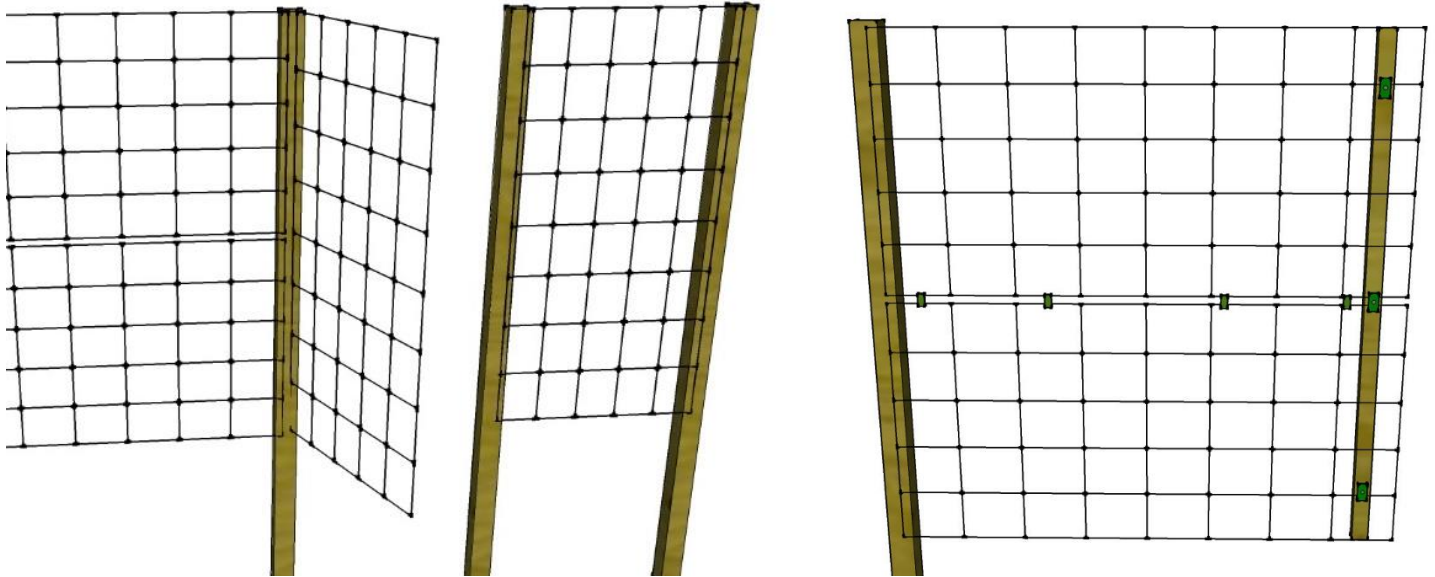# Building your 1m Permanent Flexipanel Dog Fence

First stake out the perimeter of your fence being it straight, L shaped or square using string with pegs or canes. If you are having the gate option we suggest placing the gate first and working away from it. If you don't have a gate please skip to the next page.

We supply all the fittings to enable you the have a half meter wide gate or a one meter wide gate.

Attach the metal parts of the hinges to the posts you are going to hinge your gate from spacing them as equal as possible with the gaps in the panels. Once happy with the location put the plastic hinge inserts around the panel and them slot them into the metal parts and secure with the bolts, nuts and washers provided. Next using the gate panel as a guide knock in the next post ensuring you have enough space to fit the vine eyes on the outside.

For a meter wide gate use the two panels in the same way as you would the fence panels using the joining clips and the post clips. Only this time you use the post clips the other way up and screwing them to the piece of batten provided. The batten should be placed approximately 50mm in from the end of the gate panels so that the gate panels sit flat against the second gate post.

Next place a post in line with the string at the beginning of your fence and knock the post into the ground upright and plumb, leaving about 1m above ground level if possible.

If your ground is stony you may require a crow bar to make a pilot hole for the post. It is recommended that you use post-crete or concrete if you are unable to get the posts firm.

Next take a Flexipanel and secure it to the post as per the photo (but only using one side of the clip on the end posts), with the thicker outer wire against the posts using the securing clips and screws. Then take another post and line it up at the end of the first panel with the end wire at just less than the centre line of the post as per the photo below. For the panels to fit correctly there needs to be space for the screw in between the two panels. Once happy with the placement, knock the post into the ground. Then check that the panel is level and plumb, before securing with the clips as before. Continue until you have all your required panels on the lower level and posts are in place.

If your fence is on sloping or uneven ground, the fence panels will have to be set in steps so they are all level on the top edge. If not your panels will not join on the posts correctly

If the fence is on a very steep slope the panels may require digging into the ground at the high point. This can be done by using a spade to prise a gap in the ground for the panel to sit in.

If the fence is going to be erected in a straight line and the end panel is to long simply bend the panel at right-angles to the exact length, do NOT cut the panel down.

Once you have completed the bottom half of your fence, stand the top panels in line with the base layer and secure together with two green joining clips per set of panels, then hinge the new panels upwards and onto the posts and secure with clips as per the base panels.

Due to the nature of the material the joining clips are made from it is advisable they are soaked in a cup of warm water while assembly is taking place. This will make them a lot easier to snap onto the panels.

Check the fence for alignment and level. You can now trim the fence posts level with the top of the panels if you require but this is up to your own preferences.

Your fence is now complete.

If you require your fence posts to be a different colour to plain tanalised timber just use normal wood stain of your choice.

If at any time your fence panels get damaged, rub the affected area down with emery paper and spray or paint with green paint.

Suggested Tools:
Philips screw driver
Heavy 2lb+ lump hammer
Spirit level
Saw
13mm spanner

1m High Fence Contents List:

Customer/Order No:	Fence Size:	Gate Y/N
Item	**Number Required**	
Panels		
Posts		
Joining Clips		
Panel Fixing Clips & Screws		
For Gate Option Add the Following:		
Panels	2	
Posts	1	
Joining Clips	4	
Panel Fixing Clips & Screws	3	
Hinges & Screws	4	
Gate Fixing Eyes	2	
Gate Locking Peg	1	
1m Wide Gate Battens	1	

If you are not satisfied with your Flexipanel dog fence then please let us know.
However, if you are happy with this product, then please tell your friends.