

VAN-X TAILGATE CURTAIN FITTING INSTRUCTIONS

Before You Begin Fitting Your Product, Please Ensure You Have Received the correct Curtain Kit(s) By Checking Your Order Invoice(s) With The Packaging Labels. Please Read These Instructions Very Carefully Before Fitting.

What is included in your Van-X Curtain Kit:

- 2 x Van-X Curtains (with 3 poppers to the outer side of each curtain)
- 2 x Van-X Curtain Rails (1 x Flat & 1 x L-Shaped)
- 4 x End Caps
- 2 x Van-X Curtain Tie-Backs
- 6 x Male Poppers
- Screws (for attaching Van-X Rails)
- 1 x Bending Tool

You will need the following tools:

- Drill
- Phillips Screwdriver 🛘 Tape Measure 🗀 Hacksaw.
- 1. Carefully unpack the curtains Please do not use a knife or a sharp blade.
- 1. Measure the window frame and cut the top (flat) rail accordingly. The rails are slightly flexible and can be bent to fit the contour/corners of the window if required but please allow for this in your measurements. Our Plastic Bending tool can help you with this. Simply screw the tool down to a piece of wood or a workbench. Then feed the rail through and gently pull to bend.

THE FLAT RAIL MUST FIT, JUST ABOVE THE GLASS, WITHIN THE WINDOW FRAMES.



2. The L-Shaped rail fits along the bottom panel below the window for the tailgate door. (Refer to the image below.)

Please Note: Leave some clearance for your bottom rail if the vehicle has a wiper motor fitted.



3. Decide where you would like your screws to go and drill the holes accordingly. These holes need to be made in the widest channel of the rail. For the bottom (L-Shaped) rail screws fit on the flat area with the track above ready for the curtains to slide along.

Now fix your screws into the rails and the metal frame. We recommend that you use 4-5 screws per rail. Please Note: When attaching the rails to the metal frame please make sure the edge with the widest channel is facing the window (refer to the images above if not sure).

- **4.** You are now ready to attach your curtains. We recommend that you slide 4-5 hooks along your top rail making sure that the poppers are on the outer side of the material. You may want to attach one end cap to each rail at this point to stop the curtain sliding out.
- 5. Gently stretch the curtain and fit the 4 or 5 opposite hooks to the bottom rail. It is easier if you have someone to help you by holding the top end of the curtain in place. (These van-x curtains are designed to stretch Please refer to the image below for an example of the process.)



- **6.** Continue the process until all the hooks are fitted and then fit the second curtain through the rails exactly the same method but make sure the second curtain has the poppers facing the opposite side of the window.
- 7. At this point, make sure that you have fitted all of the end caps to the rails. (ALL end caps must fit like the image example below.)



8. Now that the curtains are fitted, look at the end of the curtain with the poppers facing the outer edge as these need to be attached to the side of the window frame. To fit the 6 male poppers please fix where necessary with a rivet or the last remaining 6 screws included in this kit. (Please view the image below for an example how the male poppers on the window frame align with the female poppers off the curtains.)



9. There are 2 tie-backs supplied within the kit, these are used to attach around the curtains so they stay in place on their own.



10. Your new Van-X Curtains are now ready!

If You Still Have Problems/Difficulties Fitting Your Curtains, Please Contact Us:

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