

Installing Readyleaf tiles on a concrete or masonry wall

Tools and fasteners

Masonry drill, masonry bolts or screws for fixing the battens to the concrete.

20mm stainless steel screws or 19mm galvanised staples for fixing the tiles to the battens.

We recommend applying a dark background before fixing the foliage to some surfaces. This will blend the leaf with the background and give it more depth. How you do this depends on the surface.

Fixing to a 2.0m high by 3.0m long concrete wall using timber battens

The tiles are 50cm x 50cm (some varieties are 48cm x 48cm). Instructions here refer to the 50cm square tiles. The tiles are joined using the push on connectors on the rims of each tile.

1: Fix a level line of 50mm x 25mm timber battens along the top line of the wall using masonry bolts or screws.

2: Fix horizontal lines of battens at 50cm centres down to the base of the wall.

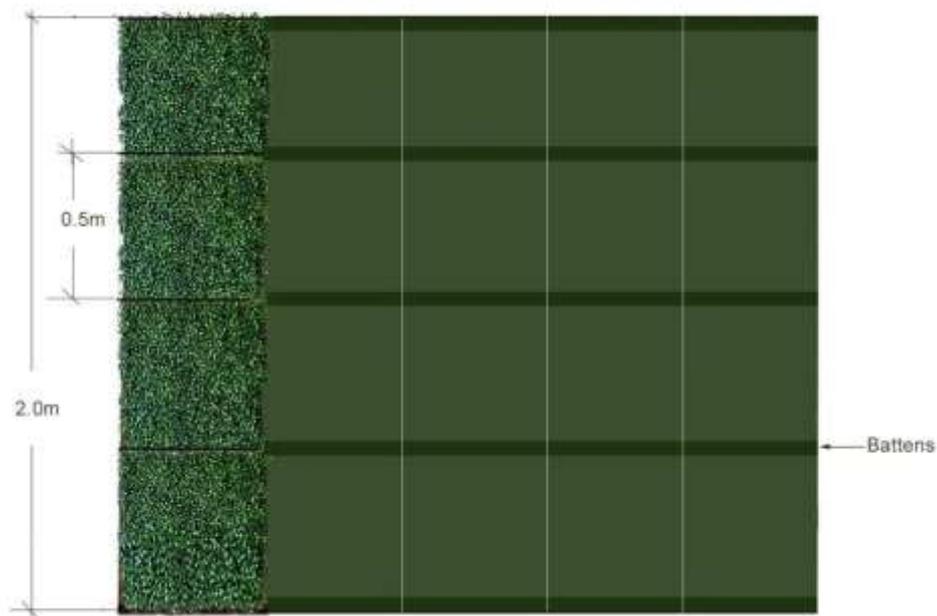
3: Tack the first tile to the top batten, connect a second tile to the tile below this repeating the process down to the base batten. There is now a 2.0m strip of tiles hanging from the top joined at 50cm centres.

4: Check that the line is plum and mark the points on each batten going down as reference points.

5: Tack a second strip of tiles alongside the first strip and join these two strips to form a 1m wide panel hanging from the top batten. Check the line of the second strip is plumb.

6: Now is a good time to fix the tiles to the battens all the way down. Make sure the strip is tight then fix the tiles to the battens down to the bottom of the wall.

7: Repeat steps 1-5 along the wall until it is covered.



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