

# ARTIFICIAL GRASS FOR LESS

## HOW TO INSTALL ARTIFICIAL GRASS

### Materials you'll need

- Skip > For removed turf, soil and vegetation
- Spade
- Vibrating Plate > For compacting the sharp sand
- Turf Cutter > The easiest method of removing your old lawn
- Sharp Stanley Knife
- Large pair of scissors
- Sharp Sand > We suggest 1 Ton per 10m<sup>2</sup>
- Treated Timber
- Hammer and Nails
- Weed Membrane > For compacting the sharp sand



### PART 1 Ground Preparation for Gardens

- Remove all turf, vegetation and rocks down to bare earth.
- Remove enough soil to be able to add a 25-40mm layer of sharp sand.



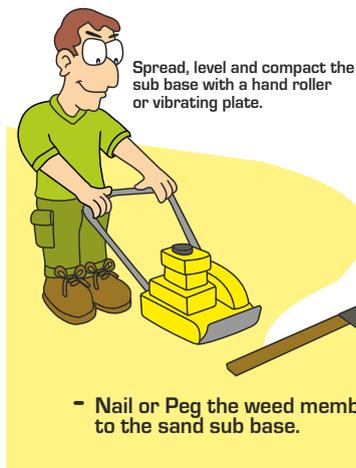
Hire a turf cutter to make turf removal far easier.



Use a weed killer to kill the weeds down to the roots.

### PART 2 Installing sub base and weed membrane

- A 25-40mm sub base of sand is installed



Spread, level and compact the sub base with a hand roller or vibrating plate.

During dry conditions wet the sub base a day before installation

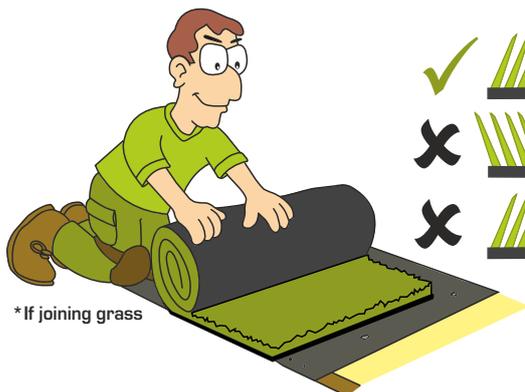


- Nail or Peg the weed membrane to the sand sub base.

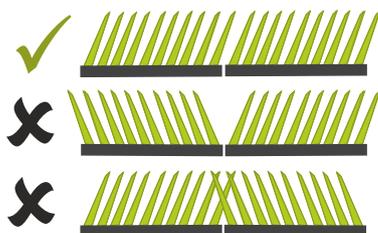
In certain circumstances you may need to use a treated wooden border.

### PART 3 Installing the grass

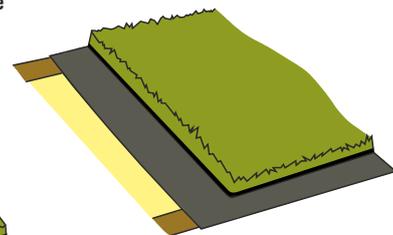
- Roll out the grass. As all rolls have a directional pile, ensure that all rolls are laid out in the same direction\*.



\*If joining grass



Cut carefully into the backing and trim the artificial grass.

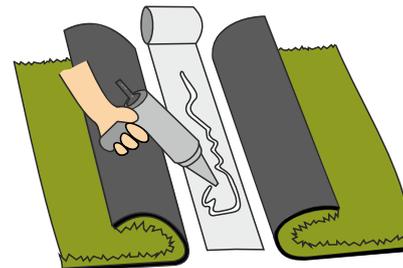
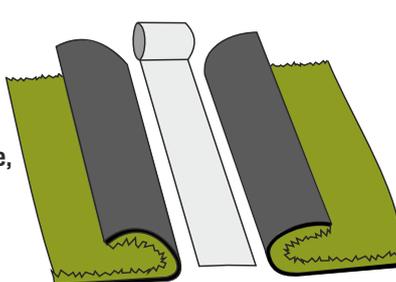


Fix with adhesive or stainless screws to treated wooden timber edging or with stainless nails into the sub base.

Once the grass is layed brush in 4kg of kiln dry sand per 1m .

### PART 4 Joining the grass

- Seaming tape is used to join rolls together.
- Unroll the seaming tape along the seam line, ensuring equal tape laid centrally along the seam.
- Before applying the adhesive, fix the seaming tape to the sub base with stainless steel nails.



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