

**GARDEN BIRD INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS**

Blue	Great Tit, Blue Tit, Coal Tit, Tree Sparrow Check if nest is occupied before cleaning Clean the nest in October every year by removing side screw and pull face out.	Nest to be fitted to a tree. Unscrew the side screw, pull the nest box face out, drill a 6mm hole in the tree, using the screw provided fit the box to the tree, making sure the nest is level. Replace face and side screw – add a few feathers or a bit of straw
Green	Starlings Check if nest is occupied before cleaning Clean the nest in October every year by removing side screw and pull face out	Can be fitted to trees but best suited against a house very high under the soffit. Remove side screw and pull the nest box face out, using a 6mm masonry bit drill into the wall. Using the screw provided fasten the box to the wall. Make sure box is upright and nest is level. Do not overtighten screw. Replace nest box face and side screw. Add some feathers or straw
Purple	House Sparrows Check if nest is occupied before cleaning Clean the nest in October every year by removing side screw and pull face out	To be fitted to the house, just under the soffit. Sparrows will not nest in trees. Remove side screw and pull the nest box face out, using a 6mm masonry bit drill into the wall. Using the screw provided fasten the box to the wall. Make sure box is upright and nest is level. Do not overtighten screw. Replace nest box face and side screw. Add some feathers or straw
Yellow	Robin Blackbird Wagtail Check if nest is occupied before cleaning Clean the nest in October every year by removing side screw and pull face out	To be fitted deep into a hedgerow, this is important. As the nest is very open the birds are vulnerable to attack from predators (cats, Magpies, Crows) We have drilled extra holes at the back and supplied cable ties, as most hedgerow branches are relatively thin and not suitable for screws. Secure thoroughly, make sure box is upright and nest is level. Do not overtighten screw. Replace nest box face and side screw. Add some feathers or straw