

Shetland Steel Pedestrian Stile

Installation procedure

The steel pedestrian stile is supplied in three parts comprising of the stile frame and the two steps (it is important to note at this stage that the steps are handed).

The positioning of the stile is usually determined by the position of an existing stile or gap.

The stile frame must not be used as a straining post for the adjacent fencing.

- Following factors must be considered:
- the exact line of the path
- the desirability of level ground through the stile
- the avoidance of any damp/marshy ground
- the position of overhanging branches and exposed roots
- the requirement of clear space either side of the stile for users with room to manoeuvre

Install as follows:

- 2 holes to be dug – centres @ 750mm, to a depth of 600mm
- ensure that the top bar of the frame is level and the posts are vertically aligned from all sides using a level to ensure accuracy
- backfill the post holes using concrete to avoid movement from future usage
- fix the two angled steps to the brackets on the cross bars with the bolts and shear nuts provided
- finally tighten the bolts and shear the security nuts to prevent theft of the steps

Steel Dog-way Stile Installation procedure

The steel dog-way stile is supplied assembled comprising of the outer frame and the sliding gate.

The dog-way stile can be positioned either side of the pedestrian stile and is normally installed at the same time. The outer frame must not be used as a straining post for the adjacent fencing.

Following factors must be considered:

- the exact line of the path
- the desirability of level ground through the dog-way stile
- the avoidance of any damp/marshy ground
- the position of overhanging branches and exposed roots
- the requirement of clear space either side of the stile for users with room to manoeuvre



Install as follows:

- 2 holes to be dug – centres @ 320mm, to a depth of **580mm** leaving a gap no greater than 50mm below the sliding gate when fully closed
- ensure that the top bar of the frame is level and the posts are vertically aligned from all sides using a level to ensure accuracy
- backfill the post holes using concrete to avoid movement from future usage
- finally tighten and shear any security nuts to prevent theft of the gate
- Always ensure that the posts are vertically aligned and are left clear to prevent misalignment. It is very important that the posts are not used for fence posts etc, these must be installed alongside the stile posts.
- Installer must carry out necessary Risk Assessments and comply with current Health & Safety legislation; this includes the use of required tools and machinery and the relevant PPE.
- If you have any questions relating to the installation of this stile, please do not hesitate to contact us on the number shown below

