1. Choose Recess or Face Fit
A Recess Fit (Inside Mount) fits on the inside of the window casing. A Face Fit (Outside Mount) hangs on the architrave above the window, or on the wall above the window. We recommend a Recess Fit whenever possible.

Choosing Recess Fit
Number one mount type chosen, higher aesthetics than face mounted
Give your window a clean, simple look
Highlight attractive window architraves
Make your windows appear slimmer and your walls more spacious

Choosing Face Fit
Minimise light gaps and offer more privacy
Make your window appear larger
Hide windows that are crooked or unattractive
Clear obstructions in the window recess (like winders, knobs, etc) that would interfere with a Recess Fit

2. Measuring for 50mm Aluminium Venetian Blinds
If you need to ask any questions, call, talk with us via live chat, or send us an e-mail, we’ll be happy to help

Recess (Inside Fit) 50mm Aluminium Venetian Blinds
First, determine if you have enough depth to mount the blind.
70mm is Sufficient, less will result in the blind protruding out of the recess.
Watch out for any obstructions within the recess such as window winders, knobs, handles, etc.

A. Measure the width in mm on the inside of the window frame from left side to right side in three places (Top, Centre, Bottom) and use the smallest of the three measurements
B. Measure the drop in mm from the top of the inside recess to the base of the inside sill in 3 places – Left, Centre, Right and take the smallest of the three measurements

Important: DO NOT make any deductions or allowances on your Recess Fit measurements as our factory will do this to ensure a perfect fit
More on window winders and obstructions:
Some window winders have the ability to be collapsed on themselves, creating more space. If your window winder protrudes into your required depth clearance, we recommend face mounting your blind
Face (Outside Fit) 50mm Aluminium Venetian Blinds
Watch out for any obstructions such as a protruding window sill, desk, beds, etc when deciding where your blind will drop too
For Face Fit, we will make your blind including brackets to your exact measurements you give us

A. Measure the width in mm from the outer edge of the architrave to the to the opposite edge
B. Measure the drop in mm from the top of the architrave to where you want the blind to finish in 3 places – Left, Centre, Right and take the smallest of the three measurements
For shorter drop windows we recommend that you take the blind 30-100mm below the sill
For full length windows we recommend that you measure to 15mm off the floor

If you are putting our Custom Soft Padded Pelmet over your face fix Venetian blind, the blind will actually need to be fixed into the roof of the pelmet, so order it as a recess fit. Add the necessary drop to your blind if you are raising the pelmet above the architrave.

If you do not have Architraves around your Window
A. Measure the width of the opening and add 30-100mm to allow the blind to go past the opening, this will provide better light and privacy control
B. Measure the drop of the opening from the top to where you want your blind to finish, in 3 places – Left, Centre, Right and take the smallest of the three measurements
For shorter drop windows we recommend that you take the blind 30-100mm below the sill
For full length windows we recommend that you measure to 15mm off the floor then add 60mm so that the blind can be mounted above the opening