

What?

- An interpretation board is a form of displaying information in a vibrant and inviting way whilst educating and influencing visitors.
- A finger post is a traditional type of sign post used in the UK consisting of a post with one or more arms, known as fingers, pointing in the direction of travel.



Why?



- Interpretation boards are found in nature reserves, parks and public open spaces. They can help educate and inform visitors about the environment around them and can cover both natural history and archaeological themes.
- Finger posts can be found in the countryside as well as urban settings and are used to mark the beginning of a footpath, bridleway or similar path.

Do ✓

- ✓ Transport materials in the minibus safely to prevent movement during the journey
- ✓ Check the site where the posts or boards are to be installed for any dangers
- ✓ Use appropriate tools for the job e.g. fencing pliers, hammers, drills and saws
- ✓ Be aware of sharp ends to staples and nails
- ✓ Use appropriate lifting and handling techniques
- ✓ Wear gloves to avoid getting splinters
- ✓ Keep a tidy work space, and check for dropped nails
- ✓ Ensure sharp ends of staples and nails are hammered in thoroughly
- ✓ Clean tools at the end of the day and check for damage

Don't ✗

- ✗ Don't breathe in deeply when emptying postcrete
- ✗ Don't wear a glove on the tool hand when using a swinging tool



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