

4. Attach two more, evenly spaced, brackets inside the outline. Bend the bottom flange of both these brackets flat against the post.

Step C: Attach Fence Panels

1. Working from above, slide the panel into the brackets until it rests on the bottom flange of the lowest bracket.

2. Attach the panels from each side by driving 1" galvanized deck screws through the holes in the brackets.

Step D: Attach the Gate Hardware & the Gate

1. Align three evenly spaced hinges on the gate frame so that the pins are straight and flush with the edge of the gate. Attach the hinges to the gate frame with the screws provided with the hardware.

2. Shim the gate into position between the gate posts, with the hinge pins resting against one post. Attach the hinges to the post, using the screws provided by the manufacturer.

4. Attach the latch hardware to the other gate post and then to the gate, using the screws provided by the manufacturer.

5. Open and close the gate to make sure the latch works correctly, and adjust if necessary.

Step E: Trim & Decorate Post Tops

1. Use a reciprocating saw or handsaw to trim the tops uniformly.

2. Cover flat post tops with decorative wood or metal caps, attaching the caps with galvanized casing nails. If you're not going to use post caps, trim the posts to a point to help them shed water.

3. Paint the fence or coat with wood sealer/protectant.



D. Attach three evenly spaced hinges to the gate frame. Shim the gate in place and attach the hinges on the gate post. Attach the latch hardware to the gate and then to the opposite post.



C. Slide the fence panels into the brackets from above, until they rest on the bottom flanges of the lowest brackets.



E. Trim the post tops to size, using a reciprocating saw. Cover each post top with a decorative post cap, or trim it to a point to help shed water. Paint or coat the fence with sealer.