



# Sound insulation test pre-test checklist

**Please make sure as many of the following items are completed to ensure a successful sound insulation test:**

- All windows / doors fully fitted and sealing correctly (including trickle vents etc)
- Separating wall / floor construction complete.
- Internal doors hung
- Any gaps holes or open joints in floors sealed.
- Boxing around plumbing, especially soil pipes insulated.
- Gaps between skirting boards and floor sealed, to prevent flanking transmission.
- All holes around incoming services sealed (meter box, gas etc)

## Things required for a sound test:

- A clear site, due to the sensitive nature of a sound test and in order to get reliable accurate readings it is best practice to have no other trades working on site at the time of test.
- Access to mains electricity, in each room liable to be tested.
- Access to all properties adjoining the element to be tested (separating wall or floor), generally for a minimum period of 1 hour.



**Should you have any further questions please don't hesitate to get in contact, we are always be happy to talk at length about the test.**

**Phone consultation is considered part of the test package and offered completely free of charge. We can also offer a pre-test site visit and consultancy with written report, as part of a complete package. This will help you get the best from your building and highlight any potential issues prior to the test. More on this can be found on the consultancy page of the website.**