

NEW B&Q TRADEPOINT BARKING STORE NOW OPEN



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27TH MARCH 2026: B&Q TradePoint has opened its first standalone flagship trade store on Ripple Road in Barking, creating over 30 local jobs.

The 32,000 sq ft store has been designed exclusively for trade professionals and offers 6am opening*, 15 minute click and collect, load and go collection, same day delivery in as little as two hours and next day bulk delivery.

TradePoint Barking stocks more than 5,500 products to take away, with a further 25,000 available for collection or delivery, including trusted trade brands such as Milwaukee, DeWalt, Makita and Johnstone's Trade, alongside B&Q's Erbauer and Site ranges.

The store also features two cutting saws for timber and plasterboard cutting, paint mixing, Speedy Tool Hire and dedicated trade business development managers to support customers in store and online.

The opening celebrations for customers and colleagues, included a ribbon cutting and live radio broadcast from the Bald Builders at Fix Radio, free giftbags for the first 300 customers, a spin the wheel giveaway, free Greggs sausage and vegan rolls, as well as free hot drinks.

Further promotions and product demonstrations are planned throughout the opening month, including:



- Exclusive promotions between 27th March and 10th April, including a Henry Hoover for £99 (worth £119) and Makita 18V Li-ion Brushless Cordless Combi Drill for £90 (worth £109).
- TradePoint Members can enjoy 10% off every Monday until 4th May.
- Product demonstrations from DeWalt, Leyland & Johnstone's Trade, Bostik and many more. A full schedule can be found at <https://www.trade-point.co.uk/store/3113>

Jagjit Kalsey, Store Manager said: "We're proud to have opened TradePoint Barking today, giving local tradespeople a store designed first and foremost around how they work. My team and I are looking forward to supporting the trade community with early opening, fast collection and delivery, and expert support."

B&Q TradePoint Barking opened at 6am on Friday 27th March TradePoint Barking, Unit A, Ripple Road, Barking, London, IG11 0SR

Opening times:

Opening day only: Friday 27th March - 6am-8pm

Monday - Friday: 6am-8pm

Saturday: 6am-6pm

Sunday: 10am-4pm

For more information about TradePoint, visit www.trade-point.co.uk.

Ends

*Monday to Saturday.

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About B&Q TradePoint

TradePoint is B&Qs trade brand. Whilst you do not need to be a member to shop at TradePoint, membership brings the benefits of the TradePoint loyalty discount scheme, whereby members spending £250 a month can qualify for a 5% discount or, if spending £1,000 can qualify for 10% discount for the rest of the month and the following three months. For full terms and conditions see www.trade-point.co.uk/loyalty

Dedicated TradePoint areas are currently offered at over 200 of B&Qs 300+ stores nationwide. At 77 larger B&Q stores, TradePoint members have access to trade business development managers, and at all stores access to exclusive services such as:

- Delivery of goods direct to site or other preferred location
- Ongoing exclusive TradePoint promotions and offers
- Free services such as timber cutting, kitchen, bathroom and bedroom planning and free Valspar trade paint mixing



- Dedicated trade counters in most stores

B&Q TradePoint Barking is the first standalone B&Q TradePoint store.

B&Q is the UK's leading home improvement and garden living retailer with over 300 stores throughout the UK and Ireland, offering great prices, and over 2 million products available to order at [diy.com](https://www.diy.com) for home delivery in as little as 25 minutes via Deliveroo or click and collect within as little as 15 minutes.

B&Q is part of Kingfisher plc, the international home improvement company, operating over 2,000 stores in seven countries across Europe.