

# Email Marketing Technical Specification

## Dimensions

- > The email should be 600px wide on desktop
  - > We advise header images should be no more than 400px in height
  - > Ensure the file size is no larger than 100kb
- Mobile** - The HTML should be 320px wide for mobile phone screens

### Think Mobile!

On average, 62% of emails sent by Rightmove are opened on a mobile phone\*

## Structure

- > The email creative should be provided as a **HTML document**
  - > Use **<table> <tr> <td>** rather than **<div>** tags to structure your email
  - > Do not use images to show blocks of text - always hard-code writing
- Mobile** - Single column layouts appear best on mobile - stack or hide content as necessary

## Images

- > All images should be sized correctly before loading to the HTML
- > Ensure **style="display:block; border:none"** is included on all images
- > Apply 'alt' text on all images to ensure your email can be understood with images switched off
- > Avoid using background images as these can be unreliable

**Mobile** - Make sure any text on images is large enough to read on a mobile phone screen

## Styling & special characters

- > Ensure all font styling & background colours are applied within the relevant **<td>**
  - > Hard-code special characters such as bullet points **&bull;** and pound sign **&pound;**
  - > Always define alignment within the **<td>** as some platforms default left, others will centre align
- Mobile** - You can also change your font styling for mobile only if coding a mobile responsive HTML

## Miscellaneous

- > Avoid using words that could trigger spam filters such as 'free', 'discount' and 'guaranteed'

## Other resources available from your Account Manager

### Text Content Guidelines

Make sure your content complies with CAP codes & Rightmove Guidelines

### Template Guide

Decided against coding your own email? Take a look at our mobile responsive templates

\*Based on circa 1.8m email opens in Q1 2015