

# Look for the Hallmark, It's Your Guarantee

## What a Hallmark Looks Like

In the UK it is illegal to supply or offer to supply any item as Gold, Silver, Platinum or Palladium unless it is hallmarked.\*

*\*exemption weights apply: 7.78gm - silver, 1gm gold and palladium, 0.5gm - platinum*



## Who?

The registered mark of the company or individual who placed the items on the market.



## What?

The precious metal content in parts per thousand inside a specific shape for each metal.

Silver



Palladium



Gold



Platinum



## Where?

Each of the four UK Assay Offices has a separate mark.



London



Birmingham



Sheffield



Edinburgh



## International

International hallmarks must contain the scales of the Common Control Mark.



Any Metal



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