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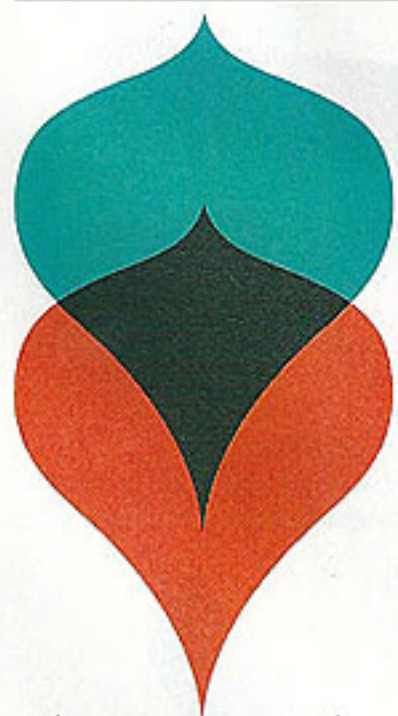
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HOW TO

ONE *Bedroom* THREE WAYS

The power of color is never more evident than when it's used to transform a room in your home. Case in point: The bedroom, shown on these pages, gets a serious change of mood thanks to three very different palettes



RETRO COOL WITH A BLUE WALL

Peacock blue walls evoke old-school glamour—and provide a dramatic backdrop for a red grass-cloth side table, a whimsical pagoda-inspired lamp, and graphic pillows in blue and crimson. Together they hint at a vibrant, sophisticated 1930s style while still maintaining a modern feel. 6494 Lakeshore paint, Sherwin-Williams, from \$35/gallon; sherwin-williams.com for stores. Opaque paper drum lamp shade in black, Gracious Home, \$50/16" x 13"; gracioushome.com. Square pagoda lamp, Emissary, \$630; livelikeyou.com. Parsons side table, Bungalow 5, \$585; claytongrayhome.com. Cashmere throw in red, Umrao, \$600; 212-473-3000. Linen Starburst pillow, Peter Dunham, \$285/18" square; 310-273-6200. Cotton Albert pillow, Sister Parish, \$245/24" square; sisterparishdesign.com.



LUXE OASIS WITH A GREEN WALL

Taking cues from nature, this bedroom conveys tranquility in a spectrum of easy-going greens. The sage wall—accented with a rustic wood side table, beach-glass lamp, and seaweed-toned blanket—evoke a relaxed, zenlike vibe. A cheerful goldenrod yellow pillow is a vibrant touch.

234 Vert de Terre paint, Farrow & Ball, from \$85/gallon; farrow-ball.com. Seeded recycled-glass vessel lamp, Regina Andrew Lighting, \$285; zincdoor.com. Striped bottle vase, Anthropologie, \$48; anthropologie.com. Velvet notebooks, Velvet Raptor, \$50 each; burkedecor.com. Pedestal salvaged-wood side table, Restoration Hardware, \$895/26" round; restorationhardware.com. Baby alpaca throw in teal, Ochre, \$285; 212-414-4332 x210. Linen scroll-print pillow, Layla Grayce, \$78/pair; laylagrayce.com. Alpaca Dakar pillow in Steel, D. Bryant Archie, \$265/22" square; shop.dbryantarchie.com. Cotton stitched pillowcase in moss, John Robshaw, \$75/2; johnrobshaw.com.



TRY IT NOW A BOLD CABINET

"Floor-to-ceiling color can be a bit overwhelming in the kitchen," says New York designer Amy Lau. "Instead, paint a single cabinet in a bright hue. It will liven up the space and make the room feel much more personal." Her paint of choice is oil-based, flat-finish Benjamin Moore, which "has a high saturation of color, doesn't chip, and is really easy to wipe clean."



PRETTY UNFUSSY WITH A PINK WALL

"Everyone looks better surrounded by pink," declares New York designer Matthew Smyth. Why? It casts a soft, flattering glow. "It feels especially soothing in a bedroom," says Smyth. To give the delicate seashell-like shade a more grown-up edge, add traces of champagne tones along with black and geometric details. A jet black table lamp and Greek key-embroidered bedding do the job nicely.

2-2 Pink hibiscus paint, Pratt & Lambert, from \$30/gallon; prattandlambert.com for stores. Framed Jean Baptiste Geometrics 7, Natural Curiosities, \$985; atchisonimports.com. Dodecahedron Dustin table lamp, Lauren by Ralph Lauren, \$380; circalighting.com. 5½" black glass vase, Jamali, \$9; jamaligarden.com. Parsons side table with glass top, Crate & Barrel, \$349; crateandbarrel.com. Merino and cashmere waffle-weave throw in camel, T. Lockman, \$480; 404-748-1031. Velvet ombre pillow in mango, Kevin O'Brien Studio, \$170/14" x 20"; 646-602-3344. Cotton block-print Brooke pillow, Madeline Weinrib, \$350/18" square; 212-473-3000 x3780. Cotton bespoke Fiorentina pillow shams, Matouk, from \$138; 800-338-7809.

IN EVERY ROOM Twill Big Bay headboard, Lands' End, \$900/queen; landsend.com. Cotton Huntley bedding collection in white, Lauren by Ralph Lauren, from \$75; ralphlauren.com. Cotton Clara blanket in white, Area, from \$275; arealinenshop.com. Jute rug in Clay, Sisal Rugs Direct, \$238/5' x 8'; sisalrugs.com.

