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BRUSH UP

The latest on-trend paint shades offer a rainbow of choice – we've asked the colour experts which hues are on their palettes

FEATURE JAMES CUNNINGHAM



Wall painted in Parasol, £51, Paint & Paper Library. For similar furniture, try Graham & Green

Yellow 01, £38, Lick

Yarn, £35, Crown

Earth Notes EN.06, £35, House Beautiful Collection at Homebase

YELLOW

Cheerful and bright, the right shade of yellow can actually feel restful too. Take into consideration the amount of light you have in your space as well as the pieces inside it – a pared-back look will feel more natural and let the optimism of the shade shine through. Yellow hues with hints of orange will have a warming effect, while any containing more green pigment will seem a little cooler.



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★ Yellow is, of course, evocative of sunlight and nature. For those areas of the home where there is much activity and socialising, such as the kitchen and dining room, the shade can bring energy and vitality.

★ Our Parasol shade, shown here, is a wonderful buttery yellow that is intense with a great depth of colour. It also has a softness, which fills a room with light without being too saturated or lurid.

★ Don't feel limited to using yellow on the walls alone. Move away from traditional white woodwork and skirting and embrace the 'colour drenching' trend to add an instant mood boost that feels bold, fresh and contemporary.

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Smashed Avocado, £42,
Graham & Brown

Green Apple, £52,
Designers Guild

Guatemalan Jungle,
£51, Andrew Martin

Walls painted in Moss from the Tenth Collection, £28.50/1L, Francesca's Paints. Kitchen designed by Retrouvius. Bar stools, to order, Dirk van der Koij

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GREEN

From zesty lime to deep shades of pine and moss, green is a colour deeply rooted in the botanical world. This makes it a natural choice for walls, especially in rooms with a view of the landscape, where boundaries between inside and out can be blurred. Soft shades, such as sage and mint, are ideal in rooms dedicated to relaxing, while bolder hues will set a more dramatic tone in social spaces.



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- ★ Green's appeal lies in its lush, calming and uplifting feel. It brings a sense of serenity and peace to our minds and our homes.
- ★ When creating Moss, the colour on the wall above, I wanted to capture the verdigris hue of the plant itself. It truly brings the outdoors in.
- ★ Certain shades of green can act as a neutral as they work well with and complement numerous other colours. There are so many varying shades of green, from blue-green to yellow-green, and some will work better in certain spaces than others.
- ★ Take into consideration the amount of natural light within your space, as many greens will showcase different tones depending on the way the pigments react to light. →