

8 MUSTS FOR NAILING THE 'JUNGALOW' LOOK

When it comes to effortlessly cool boho style, Justina and Faith Blakeney reign.



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Courtesy of Justina Blakeney



Justina Blakeney's literally written [the book on new bohemian style](#). Two times over. She's proven that your home can be your greatest escape—even coining the term "jungalow," based on her love of patterns, color, and plants—through her bold, free-spirited designs. So, when her parents told Tina (as she's known by her fam) and her sister, Faith, that they were planning on moving into an old apartment that'd been in the family for decades, the sisters knew they couldn't let their parents settle for a dated rental.

"It was last updated in the '80s, I think," Faith says. "At first, I thought, 'oh god, my parents are going to spend the rest of their days in this dreary apartment!' The more I talked to my sibs, the more we realized what an opportunity this was to work our magic and create their dream forever home."

Faith and Justina achieved just that, and in the process, shared some takeaways you can take home to make your space the ultimate getaway—that you never have to leave.



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DON'T BE IN-TEAL-MIDATED.

Justina's known for mixing teal into her designs, but the bold color doesn't have to overwhelm a space. The cool tone's mellow enough to work as a focal point, and it's great to balance out with warmer colors, like terracotta or coral.

You'll see the shade throughout the house, and it's often evened out with warm wood tones, orange-y hues, and copper accents.

GET OVER THIS HUGE MISCONCEPTION ABOUT VELVET.

"People consider it this luxe fabric and get concerned with wear and tear, but in this day and age, velvet's often synthetic, and it wears really nicely," Justina says. "It's easy to clean, if you get the Perennials kind."

She recommends mixing velvet with less luxurious fabrics, like textured cotton and linen, so it doesn't feel too formal.

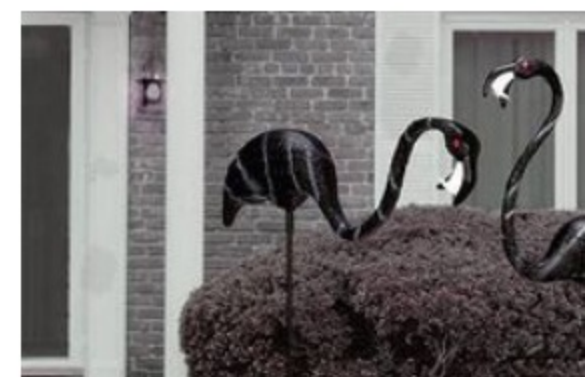


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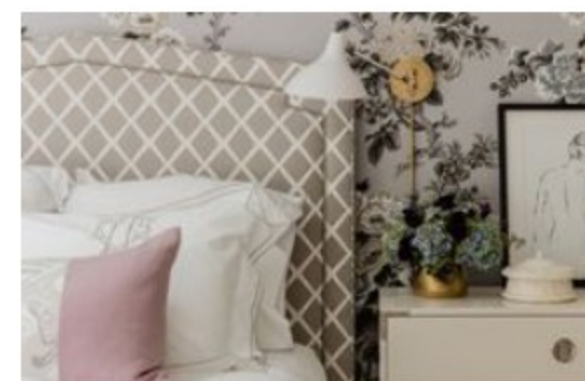


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