

# COLLECT & DECORATE

*Take style notes from these five interiors looks that are guaranteed to suit your treasures*

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Punchy primary hues and plenty of floral decorative details combine to embody the essence of Folk Art. This is the perfect decorating choice for those who enjoy a painterly style and joyful brushstrokes.

Vintage screen-printed floral **linen**, £15, Parna. Knitted **beaded fringe**, £44 per m, Osborne & Little. **Cushion cover**, £32, Parna. Emerald Green Estate Emulsion **paint**, £46.50 per 2.5l, Farrow & Ball. **White bowl and paintbrush**, stylist's own. **Yellow Clouds fabric**, £110 per m, Bethie Tricks. **Miniature ale bowl**, £750, Robert Young Antiques. **Skittles and ball**, £45, Ark Angel. **Vintage painted plate**, £17.50, Parna. **Wooden eggs**, £350 for a collection, Lorfords. **Yellow garland**, £6, Artique.

**RIGHT**

The rich, earthy tones of natural materials imbue this look, which can be summed up simply as Arts and Crafts meets tribal. The handcrafted printer's tray, abacus, spoon, plumber's dollies and rattle provide strong anchor points for the bold fabrics and tiles.

20th-century printer's **letter block** made for Liberty, £195, Lorfords. **African bowl**, £15, Focus on the Past. Cappuccino Cream **sheepskin**, £69, Skyeskyns. Brown and black **Kuba cloth** (275cm x 58cm), £750, Anne Fowler. **Cow Parsley fabric**, £99 per m, Cole & Son. **Chelwood fabric** by Nina Campbell, £68 per m, Osborne & Little. **Antique treen sycamore cawl ladle** c1860, £95; **antique Japanese abacus** c1880, £165; **antique treen lignum vitae plumber's dollies** c1860, £65 for three, all J Collins & Son. **Alhambra white tile**, £6.48 each, Fired Earth. **Opium fabric**, £130 per m, Bethie Tricks. **Oval braid**, £53 per m, Osborne & Little. **Handmade Classic Hexagon tile**, £2.47 each, Fired Earth. **Castle Mail Skye Classic Matt paint** in dish, £46.50 for 5l, Isle of Skye Paint Company. **Artist's brush**, £15, Lorfords. **South African tribal rattle**, £38, Trilogie. **Terracotta tile** with mustard motif, £68 for three, Ark Angel.







**ABOVE** Moody Victorian is given a refresh with this season's rust and monochrome palette. Tie an eclectic collection of classical busts, plaster models and Victorian silhouettes with patterned fabrics in a charming colourway to make your treasured finds take centre stage.

Isla velvet in Fox **fabric**, £55 per m, Neptune. Freemasons' Hall **architectural sculpture**, £150, Chisel & Mouse. **Framed music print**, £950 for set of 10, Lorfords. Scala black **trim**,

£65 per m, James Hare. Classical **plaque**, £220, Lorfords. Pair of mini **Beswick dogs**, £35 for the pair, Rachel's & Michael's Antiques. Little Cress Raspberry **fabric**, £45 per m, Tori Murphy.

Scallop Stripe Black **fabric**, £45 per m, Tori Murphy. Rajapur velvet **fabric**, £179 per m, Cole & Son. **Plaster fragment** (part of a collection), £240 for the set, Lorfords. Bark **fabric**, £130 per m,

Bethie Tricks. **Silhouette**, £175 (for three members of Sullivan family, only one shown), Ray Best Antiques. Victorian **silhouette of a young lady**, £125, Graham Smith Antiques. **Emulsion paint**, £86 for 5l, Little Greene. **White dish and paintbrush**, stylist's own. Victorian **silhouette of a gentleman**, £120, Graham Smith Antiques.

Drummond Intelligent Matt





**LEFT**  
The classic colour scheme of blue and white never fails to feel fresh. Pair ornately detailed wallpapers and Delft tiles with touches of gold for a luxe effect that's understated yet glamorous.

Atlas by Neisha Crosland **tile**, £34.94, Fired Earth. The Transylvanian Manor La Voliere Indigo **wallpaper**, £150 for three rolls, Mind The Gap. **Sunburst mirror** with original convex glass, £180, Lorfords. Blue **paperweight**, £22, Rachel's & Michael's Antiques. Antique French ormolu and glass table wedding **casket** c1880, £325, Regent Antiques. **Swan Delft tile** c1640, £270.33, Regts Antique Tiles. Kiko **brass foliage** artwork, £16.95 for a set of three, Nkuku. Muette **braid** by Nina Campbell, £35 per m, Osborne & Little. Rare **Flower Delft tile** c1630, £292.86, Regts Antique Tiles. **Buttons**, from 15p each, The Button Queen. **Kingfisher Delft tile** c1630, £202.75, Regts Antique Tiles. **Brass pandan box** from Rajasthan c19th-century, £125, Indigo Asian Antiques & Interiors. Swan lapis blue **fountain pen** 1930, £250, Vintage and Modern Pens. Tapestry cotton jacquard **fabric**, £150 per m, Tori Murphy. Parker 61 Presidential 9ct gold **fountain pen** 1959, £675, Vintage and Modern Pens. Blue air bubbles **paperweight**, £22, Rachel's & Michael's Antiques.





**ABOVE** Keep the promise of an Indian summer alive with Paisley-inspired textiles, plenty of teak and hand-carved elements alongside intricately decorated caskets and containers. Complete with turmeric yellow walls for everyday sunshine.

Almora by Kravet **fabric**, **£72** per m, *GP & J Baker*. Knitted **beaded fringe**, **£44** per m, *Osborne & Little*. Hand-carved wooden **bracket**, **£65**, *Artique*. Dutch Orange **paint**,

**£46.50** for 2.5l, *Farrow & Ball*. White **dish**, *stylist's own*. Artist's **brush**, **£15**, *Lorford's*. Uchiwa Ochre **cushion** (only cover shown), **£95**, *Designers Guild*. Brass **Buddha**,

**£45**; **embroidered braid**, **£6** per m, both *Artique*. Hand-carved **marble dish**, **£48**, *Indigo Asian Antiques & Interiors*. Old Indian **coins**, **50p** each, *Artique*. Gilded

mirror-work **octagonal box** from Rajasthan c1900, **£395**; antique Indian **bowl**, **£68**, both *Indigo Asian Antiques & Interiors*. **Wooden printed block**, **£3**,

*Artique*. Clouds **fabric**, **£110** per m; Inky Spots **fabric**, **£110** per m, both *Bethie Tricks*. 19th-century Indian parcel-gilt **silver comb**, **£1,550**, *Michael Backman Ltd*. Small gold

**buttons**, from **15p** each, *The Button Queen*. Jahi **gold bowl** (containing peppercorns), **£7.95**, *Nkuku*. Vintage **embroidered floral cushion**, **£25**, *Artique*.