

# PLAN TO DECORATE

What you should know  
when planning to  
decorate your home.



# How do YOU choose paint colour?

When you decide to decorate your home you will normally have a good idea of what colour or colours you would like to use.

But how do you know which colours compliment each other?  
How do you know if those colours will match any furniture you have?

How do you even know that once completed, your room will look good?



# Use a colour wheel

A colour wheel is a very simple device that shows the best colour matches for individual colours.

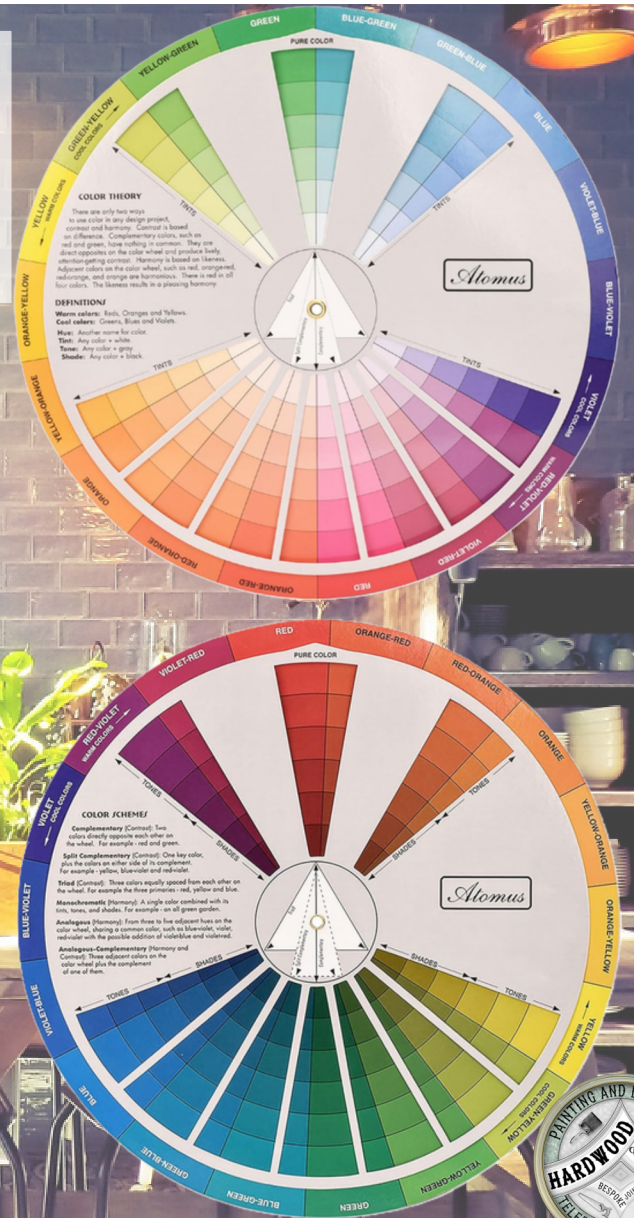


# Why use a colour wheel?

A colour wheel is a fantastic tool that will help you choose paint colours, yet very few people use them.

They can help open up so many possibilities that you never considered and guide you to colours that compliment each other.

This could be crucial if you want to add a second or third colour to the palette but not sure where to start?



# What do colours mean...

## ...and how do they affect your room?

Colours have a huge impact on how we use a room. Knowing how they will make you feel is crucial in achieving the perfect result.

Some colours are calming whilst others are energetic. Some inspire, aid clear thoughts and boost efficiency - think about your office.



Take a look at these 3 bedrooms - can you imagine yourself in each one? How do they make you feel?



# Change your room size...

...by using darker and lighter colours

By using lighter and darker colours we can create an illusion, making a room look bigger or smaller.

Large rooms can be made to look smaller, more cosier, whilst small or narrow rooms can be made to look larger or wider.



# Plan to decorate...

...in summary

Before you go rushing off to buy a tin of your favourite coloured paint, stop and think about exactly what you want to achieve?

Think about:

- Main colour
- Complimentary colour
- Furniture
- Room use
- Room size



# Still not sure?



If after reading this you're still a little unsure where to start, then please do get in touch.

I always carry a colour wheel and colour cards with me and can help you.



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