

Colour me Beautiful

Spring is a time to reflect on all things new. Take time out to consider the beauty of nature's colours and fuel your imagination. Create your own interior world of colour.

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There is nothing more uplifting than knowing spring is finally here and summer is just around the corner. The light nights have only faded that spring is here, but spring is more fully embraced when the first buds of May burst forth into an amazing array of colour. From Daffodils to Tulips and from Azaleas to Hydrangeas, the colours of the fresh new season inspire and delight us. They're vibrant colours that nature's eye-artist is devoted to generous abundance and for those bold enough to take full of colour and make it their own. Like a leaf and of nature's hand and who colour. Utilising it is simply adding a colour accent to your home or using

All vibrant colour statement pieces, consider colour. It may be used in a room, with a different of tone or hue, or an amazing all-encompassing and all-daring spectacle. Whatever it is, have some fun with it. Let's not break and either. For the heart inspired even a leaf of red cushion or 'feature wall' will get you started. If it ends up as just an inspiration, and you love it for just a season or two, at least you're experimenting, opening your eyes and not being fun. XS Interiors have highlighted a few specialties in this week's Spring issue of 'The Insider' to show their unapologetic use of colour and to kick-start your thinking. 'Oh My Room... Oh My Day'.

1. The lime green velvet sofa has been used and embraced using a secondary fabric colour orange.
2. Bold colours, stripes and polka-dot have been used to create the room setting, offering different textures. From the chunky knit used in the headboard to the smooth fabric of the seats, cushions and ottomans, all work in unison to make the atmosphere good between fun, funky and colours.
3. To best average for those fun with the designer suit.
4. Dark and striped fabrics, red, white and blue. Another fabric designer fabric, used with unusual vintage style fabric, is used in the Duvet sets and also in the window lining.
5. Good luxurious motifs with sandy stripe coloured silk on a bed made of pure wool.
6. Contemporary pieces is pumped up with the use of Shagreened, shiny red and teal blue. The fun and cool combination is very happy.
7. The end colour is Andy Warhol's famous Marilyn Monroe (and it's the highlight of the feature and



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