

[fun decorating]

bench + art

always works

Chic combos to style up any bare spot in your home—100% success guaranteed!



modern charm

Abstract shapes in the trio of prints and on the terrazzo-pattern bench pair playfully. The bold colors don't totally match, and that's a good thing—it looks more casual. White backgrounds tie them together.

BENCH Wrought Studio Gila 39"W x 19"D x 19"H cotton and wood storage bench, \$280, wayfair.com
ART *Abstract Shapes* unframed digital downloads, \$12 for a mixed set of 3, diamoderndesign.etsy.com
RUG Loloi Juneau 5' x 7'6" viscose rug in silver, \$619, highfashionhome.com
PLANTER Bishop Pedestal 15½"-tall earthenware planter in terracotta, \$130, westelm.com
HANDBAG Zippered 14¼"W x 6½"D x 11"H leather satchel in cappuccino, \$295, cuyana.com



geometric chic

When you want to go classic...but have a little fun, too. Four different color-block prints of shapes within shapes, along with a pillow that has a watercolor-esque pattern, invigorate a sleek leather bench. (See, even pillows can be artsy.) A small stack o' books balances the whole scene.

BENCH Director's 49"W x 17½"D x 17½"H leather and iron bench in antique brass finish, \$449, cb2.com **ART** *Forever's 1* by Stephanie Henderson 16" x 20" framed prints, \$599 for a mixed set of 4, chairish.com **PILLOW** Cora 18" x 18" cotton and viscose pillow, \$40, cb2.com **RUG** Glen 2'6" x 8' wool rug in RA-EK05 and RA-AN09, \$1,240, rugartisan.com



natural luxe

Flowers, leaves, and butterflies get fancy! The trick to making this mix of art live so nicely together: contrasting black-and-white backgrounds and just one style of frames. A mod bench, with a color cue taken from what's on the wall, adds the fab.

BENCH Modway Guess Channel 53½"W x 20"D x 17½"H velvet bench in dusty rose, \$286, houzz.com **ART** Clockwise from bottom left: *Butterfly Species 3* by Sabina Radeva 8" x 10" unframed print, \$24, and *Yves Botanical* by Katherine George 10" x 12" unframed print, \$37, both artfullywalls.com; *Still Life with Flowers and Insects* by Jorey Hurley 24" x 30" unframed print, \$225, joreyhurley.com **PILLOW** For a similar look, try westelm.com **RUG** Elimina 5' x 8' bamboo silk rug, \$1,500, anthropologie.com



beachy casual

Create your very own great escape. What better match for an ocean vista than a wood bench in a sandy shade? The art's wood frame in a similar tone offers even more texture, while a seafoam green coatrack makes style waves.

BENCH Skogsta 47¼"W x 13½"D x 17¾"H acacia bench, \$79, ikea.com **ART** Beach Summer Blues by Helen Makadia 30" x 40" print with natural wood frame, \$168, minted.com **RUG** Dash & Albert Cleo 5' x 8' polyester rug in navy, \$998, annieselke.com **COATRACK** Cari 74"-tall galvanized-steel coat tree in mint, \$200, lumens.com **TOTE BAG** Boat and Tote Open-Top 13"W x 6"D x 12"H canvas tote in mineral red, \$30, lbean.com



tropical cool

The sizable print (it's 27 inches by 37 inches) in bright, cheerful hues makes a big impact—one and done. A dark green bench with a caned top nods to the imagery in the art. For extra vacation feels, there's an orange pillow with palm fronds.

BENCH 42½"W x 15"D x 17¾"H cane and ash wood bench in green, \$585, industrywest.com **ART** Afrique by Kazumi Yoshida 27" x 37" unframed print, \$550, tigerflowerstudio.com **PILLOW** Granada 12" x 21" cotton and linen pillow cover in terracotta, \$88, serenaandlily.com **RUG** For a similar look, try Adelia 5'2" x 7'6" polypropylene rug in mustard, \$256, allmodern.com **HAT** Day to Day Continental raffia hat with navy stripe mini tie, \$115, hatattack.com **SNEAKERS** Sunrise Sunset leather sneakers, \$139, soludos.com