Resene

Bedside unit



Difficulty level ★easy ★★moderate ★★★challenging

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You will need:

- Artists' brush
- Clean cloth
- Old set of drawers (ours was varnished with a bare particle board top)
- Paintbrush
- Resene Lustacryl tinted to Resene Double Resolution Blue
- Resene Lustacryl tinted to Resene Point Break
- Resene Quick Dry
- Resene testpot of Resene Hi Jinx
- Resene Waterborne Smooth Surface Sealer
- Sandpaper



Step oneRemove the drawers from the unit.



Step two
Lightly sand the old
varnish with sandpaper
to 'key' the surface and
wipe off any sanding
residue with a clean
cloth



Step three
Apply one coat of Resene
Waterborne Smooth
Surface Sealer to any
varnished areas and
allow to dry.



Step four
Apply one coat of
Resene Quick Dry to the
particleboard top and
allow to dry.



To get the look:

Mark painted the background wall with Resene SpaceCote Flat tinted to Resene Rich Cream.

Transform an old set of drawers

into a colourful bedside unit with a little bit of help

from Resene.



Step five
Apply two coats
of Resene Double
Resolution Blue to the
top, sides, edges and legs
of the unit, allowing each
coat to dry.



Step six
Apply two coats of
Resene Hi Jinx to the
recessed drawer handles,
allowing each coat to dry.



Step sevenApply two coats of Resene Point Break to the drawer fronts, allowing each coat to dry.



Step eightReplace the drawers back into the unit.

Other ideas:

Create a rich green look using Resene Kaitoke Green and Resene Amulet with a contrasting strip of Resene Bright Red.

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