Resene

Games table

 \star Difficulty level \star easy \star moderate \star \star challenging

Weekend DIY with Mark Rayner - 9

You will need:

- 400mm x 400mm x 400mm MDF storage box (ours came from Mitre 10 Mega)
- Low tack masking tape
- Paintbrush
- Pencil

- Resene Lumbersider tinted to Resene Black
- Resene Quick Dry
- Resene testpots in the following colours: Resene Alabaster, Resene Bright Red, Resene Broom, Resene Elvis, Resene Kermit and Resene West Side
- Ruler

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Step one Apply one coat of Resene Quick Dry to the outside of the box and allow two hours to dry.



Step two Apply two coats of Resene Black to the outside of the box and allow two hours for each coat to dry.



Step three Measure and mask each side of the cube into nine equal squares, as shown, using low tack masking tape.



Step four Paint a few random squares on each side of the cube with one coat of Resene Elvis.



Step five Paint a few random squares on each side of the cube with one coat of Resene West Side.



Step six Paint a few random squares on each side of the cube with one coat of Resene Bright Red and Resene Alabaster.



Step seven Paint the remaining squares with one coat of Resene Broom and Resene Kermit. Allow two hours to dry and paint a second coat of all six colours.



Step eight Before the second coat has dried, carefully remove the masking tape. Allow two hours for the paint to dry. Keep the kids happy and create this fun cube style games table from a MDF storage box and a few Resene testpots.



Top tip:

Mark painted the background wall with Resene SpaceCote Low Sheen tinted to Resene Half Alabaster and the skirting board with Resene Lustacryl tinted to Resene Half Alabaster.



Other ideas:

Create a funky dice cube by painting a MDF box with Resene Nero and spots with Resene Alabaster.

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