The hole shebang

Dream up a gorgeous colour scheme for this pegboard then style away!

Minimise clutter with an artfully arranged pegboard in a contrasting two-tone colour scheme. Pop in some pegs, add a shelf or two and then have fun curating your display. When you get tired of it, change it all around!

YOU WILL NEED
Readymade pegboard (ours was 60cm x 90cm)
Ruler, pencil and eraser
Painter's masking tape
Small roller
Your choice of Resene colours – we used 1 litre each of Resene 'Triple Duck Egg Blue', and Resene 'Wild Thing'; and testpots of Resene 'Peace' and Resene 'Lazy River'
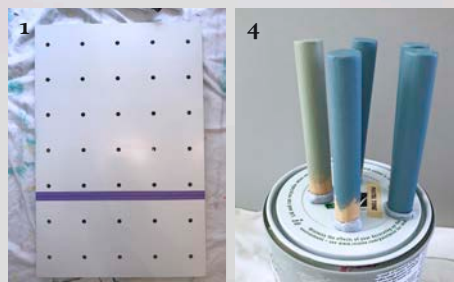Small paint brushes
Blu-Tack

1 Decide on a design and draw it on the board in faint pencil. For a two-tone look, mask off the dividing line, pressing tape down firmly, and paint the lighter colour using a paint roller.

2 When dry, remove masking tape and mask off the darker area. Paint darker area, let it dry then remove tape. You may need a few coats to get a good, even colour. If your design is more complicated, use the same method, painting a section at a time.

3 Paint the shelves in your chosen Resene colours. Paint the top and sides first, leave to dry, then paint the bottom. Repeat with another coat.

4 Hold a peg at a time and paint as much of it as you can using a small brush. Stick Blu-Tack on the end and stand it upright to dry. Once dry, place Blu-Tack on the other end and paint the unpainted end. Leave to dry. You may need 2 coats.

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Resene 'Triple Duck Egg Blue'

Resene 'Lazy River'

Resene 'Peace'

Resene 'Wild Thing'

Tips
> For a touch of bling, use Resene FX Metallic testpots on the pegs. They'll shimmer in the light.
> If you're after something different, cover the board in a Resene wallpaper, rather than paint, then carefully cut out the holes with a craft knife.

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