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# All The 2020 Allure

From a retro revival with a twist and sparkling metals to natural accents and a nod to the Pantone Colour of the Year 2020, Classic Blue... Five industry experts unveil the top trends in interior design and decor for the new year.

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While 2019 saw decor trends rapidly evolving in terms of colours and textures, 2020 is expected to bring new themes to update home interiors. The Pantone Colour of the Year, Classic Blue, is a calming, timeless and elegant hue. This shade will provide an anchoring foundation upon which the rest of the decor can be developed. It will add serenity to your space and make it the perfect refuge. After a brief hiatus, geometric patterns will make a comeback. They give a sense of symmetry to your space and create a subtle contrast that complements your existing decor while making it look exceptionally modern. Mikasa engineered wood floors also give you a break from regular, mainstream designs. Choose a pattern that fits in with your existing colour scheme. For example, create a herringbone pattern with Mikasa floors to add a sense of dynamism to your space and make your room appear larger. Emerging as the dark horse, metals will be all the rage in the coming year. Be it silver, gold, bronze or copper, metals add sheen and panache to your space. Silver works with dark browns and copper looks spectacular with pastel pinks. You can add metallic tints such as a mini table clock, overhead lamps or flawless wall art and create a subtle statement throughout your home.





While colours and patterns can make a statement, textures add dimension to the room. They have distinct visual and tactile appeal, add definition to your space and are in great demand for wooden floors and decorative veneers alike. We believe distressed veneers will add a dramatic finesse to your space and will be the highlight of 2020. Today, textures are not just limited to matte or gloss but come in a variety of options like suede, rugged, distressed, satin etc. These add a hint of sophistication to your decor. Be it rugged texture or highlighting the natural imperfections of wood, veneers come in a variety of textures that enhance their look and feel. Decowood veneers are made with real wood shavings and add a touch of nature to your space. Additionally, eucalyptus, mahogany, walnut and rosewood are some of the premium wood species that will help you make your space exude class and poise.

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