

GOOD VIBES ONLY

With maximum time being spent indoors, it's important to explore newer ways of designing your home in a positive and safe way. Here's how you can do it with pantone colour of the year 2021

2020 has been revolutionary in many ways, our lifestyle changed, everyone has cocooned into their homes and spending more time indoors. We all somehow learned to maintain a balance between staying calm and aspirational. Inspired by this phase, Pantone announced

'Illuminating' which is a bright yellow colour and 'Ultimate Gray' which assures feelings of composure and resilience. Today, with maximum time being spent at home, it's important to brighten our nests to be able to rise and shine. As we constantly crave encouragement and upliftment,

how about we bid farewell to gloominess and splash merriment of Pantone 2021 colours to our homes?

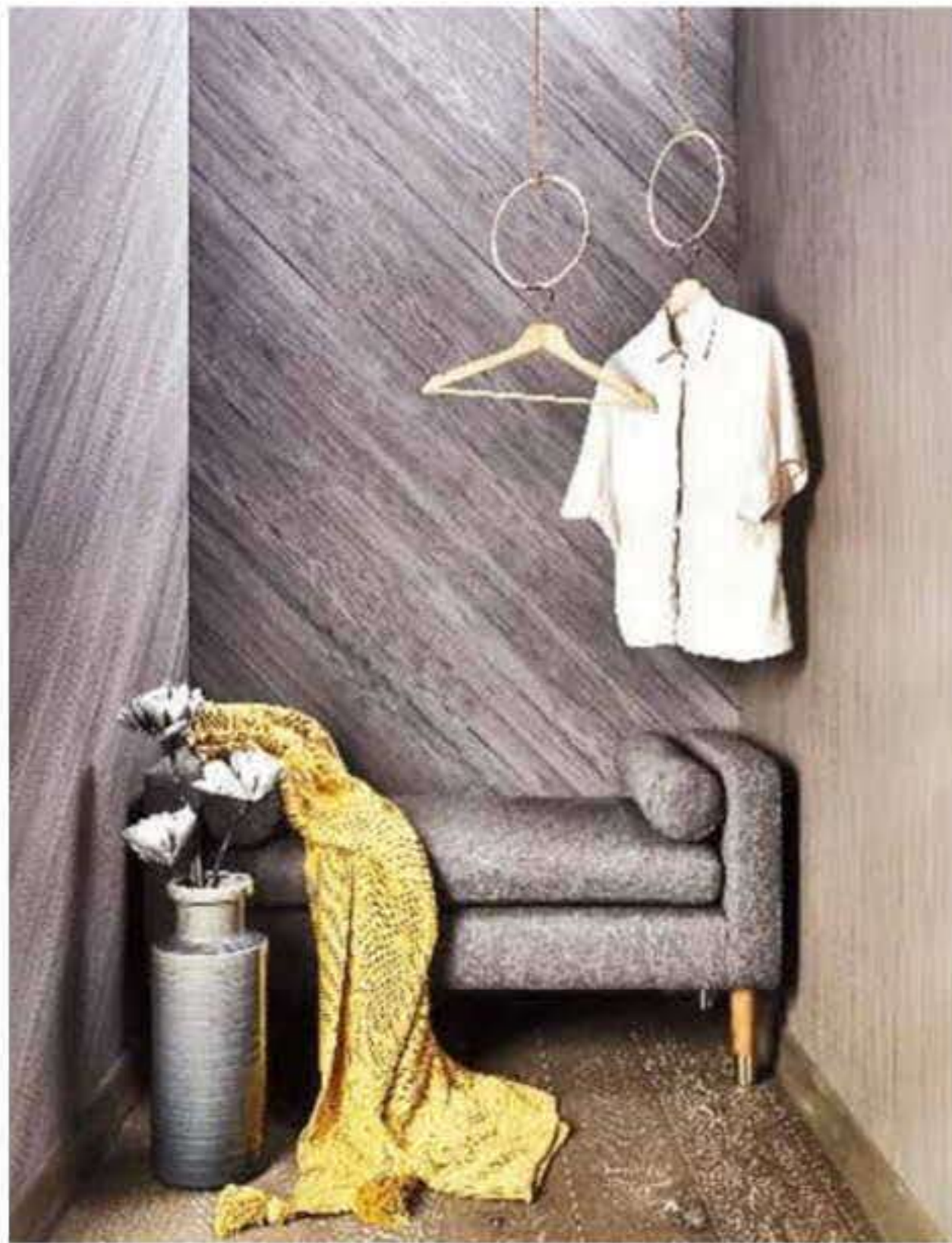
Read on to explore newer ways of designing your abode that speaks the language of positivity, hopefulness, vibrancy and safety.

maintain and durable, you don't have to worry about the wear and tear of your walls.

Adding 2021's Pantone shade will add a positive element in the room. So, you can add this shade in smaller elements like cushions and lamps to oomph the look. Place a soft and warm rug in the Pantone shade 'Ultimate Gray' so that your child too feels the encouragement and steadiness of this shade. Go for wood pattern laminates in natural light brown shade for keeping all the toys and other hobby stuff arranged at one place. Trust us, this fun and frolic space will make your child go super happy.

This new year, Pantone 2021 colours are here to spread hope and good vibes that are essential to the human spirit. Since, we truly need to feel positive inside out, these distinct home decor ideas will take care of your indoor safety and elevate your mood at the same time.

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CHILL FOR CHILDREN

Now that kids are bound to stay at home for a longer time, make their space more fun, cheerful, and lively. They should have a space where they can have their play dates, study, or even just scribble. This space should be designed like a blank canvas where your child can explore themselves freely and feel upbeat to match their energy levels. For the walls, one can opt for natural veneer from Decowood Veneers whose neutral light shades are perfect for distinguishing other vibrant colours in your space. Since, these veneers are easy to

UP AND WORKING

While offices usually remind of boring tiny cubicles, working from home has given an opportunity to state your style using all your creativity. Also, the coming year will see work from home to continue to be a part of our lives for few more months. How about we give a quick makeover to your study desk? Some like to keep their desk spick and span while some prefer to keep all the office essentials or non-essentials together. Whatever your calling is, go for a study table and chair in the refreshing yellow shade 'Illuminating'. Now pair a book stand or case in the earthy shade of 'Ultimate Gray'. This marriage of Pantone 2021

colours will instantly infuse zeal and cheer.

To make this natural look in sync with other interior elements, go for light brown wooden flooring options. For instance, this Oak Topaz from Mikasa Floors seamlessly blends with your colour scheme. Moreover, these floors are composed of three stability providing layers real hard wood, a stabilising core and a balancing layer, you don't have to worry about the climate change. As finishing touches, just place a white lamp and a pen holder to complete the look. This vibrant and simple decor set-up will help you boost your thought process and give your best performance.



THE CLOSET CHARM

As we welcome a new year with optimism and strength, let the same spirit get reflected in your dressing space. After all, that is where you start and end your day. We can't deny that too many shades, textures, and prints can sometimes look complex and unpleasing, this is where a calm colour paired with a bright

undertone can help you create a soothing space. An urbane closet with subtle shades and a hint of light truly rejuvenates your mood.

Laminate your wall panels with the soothing essence of light grey shade that can also help you keep health and hygiene intact. For instance, go for grey colour laminate decors from

Greenlam Laminates which offers a safeguard plus technology with health & hygiene features – antivirus, antibacterial, antifungal that retard and kill up to 99 per cent of viruses and bacteria which come in contact with the surface. These laminates are proven effective against COVID-19 virus with 99 per cent efficacy in 30 minutes of exposure to

the laminate surface, so that you and your family can stay stress free and healthy. As you will go about showcasing your clothes and other precious collections, make some room for a seating arrangement in one corner. Here, you can use a bright yellow throw along with some flowers by the side to make it look effortlessly flamboyant.