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# Editor's Note



We may see thousands of beautiful wallpapers throughout the year but we never lose the excitement of seeing a new collection and constantly marvel at the imagination and creativity of the designers. Bringing these patterns to life is such an art and the use of wallpaper transforms a room completely.

We always love seeing the decorating schemes our customer share with us on social media and how wallpaper adds glamour and a touch of luxury to any living space. I was at an event recently and it was lovely to hear the excitement of a couple that had decided to go for wallpaper on four walls, it was Morris Pure – they were anxious about the decision initially but were so delighted with the results they are now doing another room – great result!



I have been talking to our soft furnishing team and hearing your feedback on our beautifully made curtains and blinds. It seems the service we provide really does help to finish that design project, so thank you for engaging with them.

There is no decline in the use of colour this year, in fact it is brighter and bolder than ever, so get creative and enjoy your decorating!

**Melanie Adams**

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**Wallpaper:**  
Layla Faye,  
£39.50 per roll



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# COLOUR YELLOW



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£115 per roll



**Wallpaper:** Boråstapeter, Berså II  
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Crowe Hall Lane - Gilt £92.00 per roll

**Y**ellow be it mellow or bold is a true expression of warmth especially when used for your interior. Always a popular colour for kitchens, breakfast rooms, and utility areas it has a clean, fresh sunshine effect even in the most shaded rooms. We have noticed a trend for more and more yellow in hallways where the bright colour adds an instance welcome even on the coldest day. So pick a shade you love and add it to your home with confidence.

A pretty shade of soft yellow can work well with grey, black or white woodwork and is a perfect contemporary country look as shown here with this Farrow & Ball dramatic large scale floral design, Helleborus and the new colourway of the Crowe Hall Lane design from Little Greene.

Or if the current passion for mid last century design works in your home, then these designs from Layla Faye and Mini Moderns are just perfect (see overleaf).



**Wallpaper:** Layla Faye, Hex  
£39.50 per roll



- Farrow & Ball Dayroom Yellow
- Albany Sussex Gold
- Little Greene Carys
- Albany Witch Hazel
- Designers Guild Amalfi Lemon



Wallpaper: Layla Faye, Sunny Flower £39.50 per roll



Wallpaper: Petronella Hall, Goldfinch £160 per roll

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# Scion - Nuevo

*Welcome to the Fiesta!*

Scion has launched their 'Nuevo' wallpaper and fabric collections inspired by South American urban festival vibes and cool, contemporary textures. Meaning 'new' in Spanish, the collection has been heavily influenced by Mexican and South American designs.

An eclectic range of vibrant fabrics and wallpapers, Nuevo's graphic, interlocking geometrics and flat-colour motifs reflect a move towards an 'urban tribe' trend. Use them with textured, chunky weaves for a dry feel that reflects the woven quality of tapestries and kilim rugs - the earthy elements behind the inspiration of the collection.

Wallpaper: Scion, Nuevo, £41 per roll





Wallpaper: Scion, Nuevo, Pajaro, £41 per roll



Wallpaper: Scion, Nuevo prices from £41 per roll



Wallpaper: Scion, Nuevo, Arizona, £41 per roll

Nuevo is an interesting contemporary patchwork of designs.



Wallpaper: Scion, Nuevo, Sioux, £41 per roll

Scion designer, Hannah Bowen, explains how she created the look: "I really wanted to capture a festival-cool vibe. I created collages out of cut pieces of paper, blocks of colour - dramatic and fun, this is how Nuevo evolved. Slick geometrics sit alongside gorgeous chunky weaves to add some texture to your home. Experimenting with scale, texture and bold prints will instantly make an urban-sophisticated statement in your contemporary space".

Designs include the title design, Neuvo with its very contemporary patchwork of angular, geometric interlocking flat shapes and the geo motif Parajo, with its stylized representation of swallows in flight and a fun on-trend succulent cactus silhouette design, Opunita.

Get a jungle vibe with Arizona, this bold, large-scale motif, depicting chic cheese plant leaves in silhouette. Or for a subtler but still colourful design, Sioux with its wavy geometric lines reminiscent of the spiritual Aztec temples of South America has a pleasing effect.



Wallpaper: Scion, Nuevo, Opunita, £41 per roll



**Wallpaper:** Arthouse, Eastern Alchemy, Kyasha £40 per roll



**Wallpaper:** Arthouse, Eastern Alchemy, Meili £40 per roll



## TREND

# Rose Gold

The freshest new trend we have seen emerging is the variations in popular metallics, from gold and silver to copper and the rise of rose gold. The pink toned metallic has a softer, subtler look which is easy to use and co-ordinates well with a range of other colours, from lightest baby pinks to deepest charcoal greys.

Metallics have an enduring appeal and never really go out of fashion. The light enhancing quality of the designs, the way they help to reflect and augment the light in a room and the way they change the appearance of a room from daylight to evening, means your decor always has something new to admire. The clever use of metallic accessories, allows you to change the feel of the room from season to season too and create a look perfect for both contemporary city living and modern country styles.



**Wallpaper:** Erica Wakerly, Angles £89 per roll

# Made to Measure

## CURTAINS & BLINDS

As well as supplying a wide range of fabrics at Wallpaperdirect, for your own craft projects, many of which co-ordinate or compliment the wallpaper collections on our site too, we also have available a bespoke curtain-making service through our branches of Brewers and online here at wallpaperdirect.

We pride ourselves on having one of the best, quality, made to measure curtain and blind services. Handmade to your exact measurements, our crafts people provide an unparalleled service, for curtains and blinds made the traditional way, to enhance your home.



**Fabric:** Sanderson, Potting Room Fabrics, The Gardener £35 per metre



**Fabric:** Sanderson, Potting Room Fabrics, Maelee £30 per metre



**Fabric:** Sanderson, Damson Tree  
£30 per metre



**Fabric:** Prestigious, Animal Alphabet  
£28 per metre



**Fabric & Wallpaper:** Clarke & Clarke, Emma J Shipley  
range available from wallpaperdirect.



Wallpaper: Emilie £65 per roll



Wallpaper: Jourdain £65 per roll

## A 'Secret Garden' from Designers Guild this season

For Spring 2018, Designers Guild unveils beautiful new collections of fabric and wallpapers - The 'Giardino Segreto' and 'Mandora'. A celebration of the idea of a Muse in Art, be it a person, object or place which inspires the artist.

Dazzling collections inspired by Impressionist artists who use their gardens as creative spaces in which they can both practise their creativity and artistry and also paint the results; a truly romantic look for Spring.

The Mandora wallpapers combine a sophisticated elegance of design with luxurious and practical textures and geometric patterns. The awe-inspiring Giardino Segreto wallpaper panels (shown opposite) create a stunning secret garden effect. The wallpaper has a large-scale and comes in two separate panels which can be used together or alone to stunning effect. Combine them with gorgeous plains in aqua and jade tones for a truly serene living space.

Florals are given a fresh, new tailored edge with the delightful Emilie design, which is available in both fabric and wallpaper. Exquisitely drawn botanicals are shaded to stunning effect and are set against a geometric background for a distinctive layer of texture. Designers Guild recommend adding paint shades such as Soft Angelica or London Dove for a smart sensuality, perfect for Spring.



Wallpaper: Jourdain & Chateau  
£65 & £135 per roll

# DESIGNERS GUILD

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**Wallpaper:** Papillons £195 per panel

For a delicate and ethereal feel, look to the beautiful Papillons wallpaper panels depict a dream-like scene of ornate, hand drawn butterflies, florals and foliage with sublime washes of watercolour.

With 156 shades and four eco-friendly finishes, plus masonry paint, the Designers Guild paint collection ticks off just about

every colour and finish you could possibly want for your walls, doors, floors and everything in between.

So whether you are looking for a colour to complement your Designers Guild wallpaper or as a stand alone feature colour, this palette has everything you need. All colours available from [designerpaint.com](http://designerpaint.com) Priced from £44 per 2.5 litres.



Wallpaper: Chaneau £135 per roll

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London Dove

Cantucci Biscuit

First Wisteria

Palest Pink

Mother of Pearl

Soft Angelica

Eau De Nil

Stucco White

Chalk

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# A JOURNEY TO THE ISLES OF SCILLY

## THE TRESKO COLLECTION

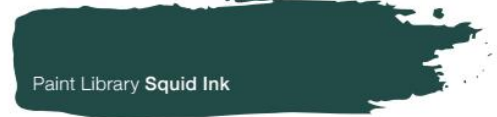
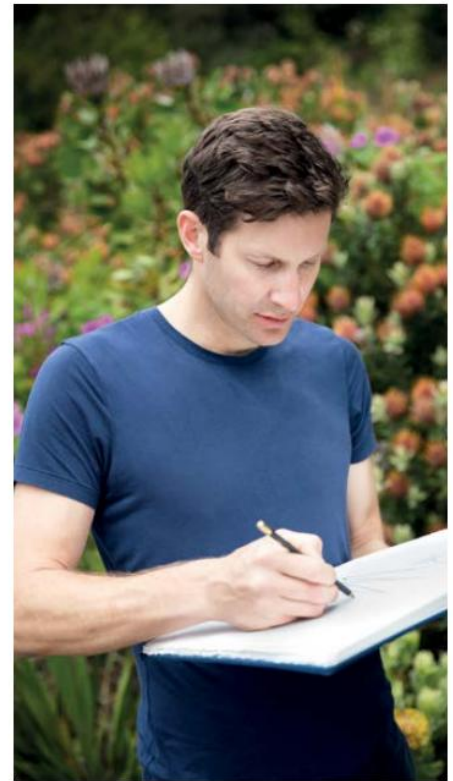
Wallpaper: Chart Mural £215 each

Paint & Paper Library was established in London over 20 years ago with a passion for colour. Their newest wallpaper collection is a mixture of traditional and digital prints, inspired by the Tresco landscape and the work of artist Hugh Dalton. Here they talk about the inspiration behind the collection.

“ We commissioned artist Hugo Dalton to design eight wallpapers. A firm believer in drawing directly from life, Hugo’s unique ‘line’ gives each artwork an innate charm and integrity. He is best known for his wall paintings, which have been exhibited in art museums and private residencies worldwide and, indirectly, this is how the collaboration came about.”



Photographer Emily Whitfield-Wicks



Hugo explains: "For my wall paintings, I need to use the highest-grade colours available. Once I discovered Paint & Paper Library, a relationship began that has now developed into the Tresco Collection of wallpapers."

The collection combines Paint & Paper Library's famed palette of Architectural and Original Colours, which have been used to colour designs by Hugo during his time spent on Tresco, a unique private island in the Isles of Scilly.

"This archipelago has been a place of joy and inspiration throughout my career. The clarity and calm of the Island has guided the creation of each individual wallpaper."

Digital highlights for this new collection include Abbey Gardens, with a contemporary



take on a traditional Toile design with this montage of Hugo's watercolour sketches of the gardens, while Aloe Walk, with its dramatically scaled agapanthus and aloe vera plants creates an amazing mural design.

Ruth Mottershead, Marketing Director of Paint & Paper Library, is delighted with the collection: "Having successfully relaunched the brand last year with a revised palette of paint colours, it felt as though the natural next step was to explore the idea of a wallpaper collection. Hugo was already a devotee

of our paint so it seemed a perfect symmetry to commission him to create designs that would not only be works of art in themselves but also translate well to covering walls and to interiors. It has been an enlightening and enjoyable process, watching his line drawings evolve into wallpapers, and I am delighted with the result – truly art for walls!"

All these wallpapers are available at wallpaperdirect, paints at **Designerpaint.com**



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# Albany Meadow

We put together the Albany Meadow collection  
with busy family lives in mind



Wallpaper: Albany Lagoon Flamingo  
£29 per roll

Our Albany Meadow collection has been put together with busy lives in mind – simple designs in a soft palette of versatile colours. Inspired by the natural world with leaf and flower designs the wallpapers have a comfortable retro feel, but are also fresh for modern homes.

We have included some stunning dark colourways too for those looking for the perfect feature wall or to add a touch of drama to all four walls, perfect for a dining room!

We just love the 'lagoon flamingo' design with its elegant birds stepping through lily pads and jungle foliage. Perfectly combining two recent popular trends (a passion for flamingos and the love of



Simple designs in a soft palette of useable colours.

Wallpaper: Albany Dandelion, £29 per roll



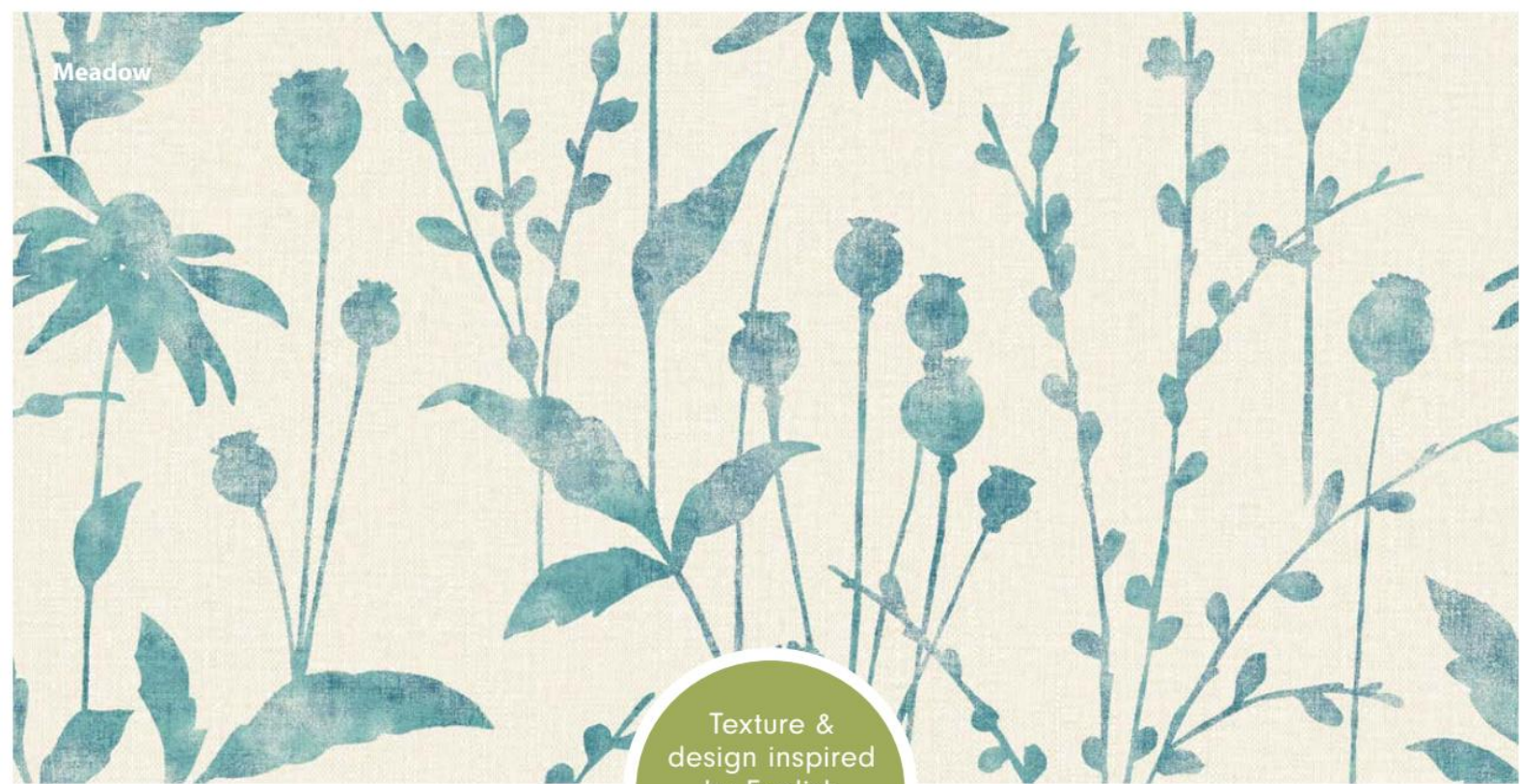
Wallpaper: Albany Bold Floral £29 per roll

all over jungle leaf patterns) in a stylish, timeless pattern which creates a pleasing background effect.

The collection also includes a range of delicate, romantic floral designs with 'cornflower', 'meadow', 'wild flowers' and 'dandelion' already proving to be popular especially in the soft beige and grey colourways. For those seeking that deceptively simple but classic effect at an affordable price, the vertical tree patterns 'Birch' and 'silhouette' are proving to be real winners.

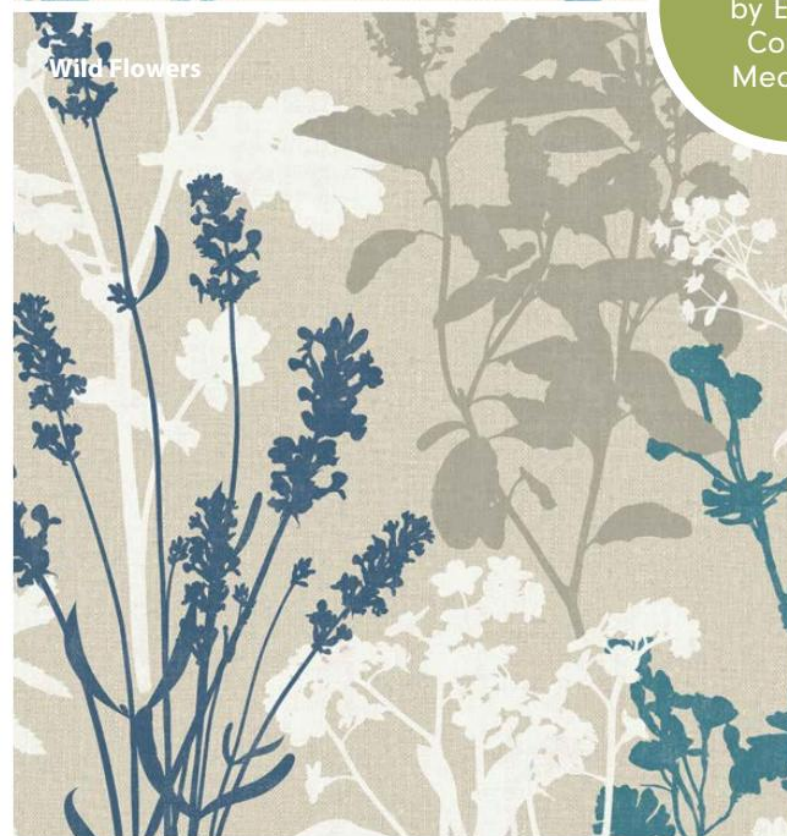
Complete with a range of stripes and simple textural plains, we are very proud of this latest addition to the Albany home brand.

Meadow



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Wild Flowers



Bold Floral





Albany Cote D'Azur

Albany Lovely Lawns

Albany Puddle Paddle

Albany Cave Moss

Albany Walk on the Downs

**Wallpaper:** Albany Silhouette Tree  
£29 per roll

You can find more Albany Meadow wallpapers at [wallpaperdirect.com](http://wallpaperdirect.com)

# Celebrating 50 Years of Design



**Wallpaper:** W7213-01PORTOVENERE  
£85.00 per roll by Osborne & Little

**Wallpaper left-hand side:** MANAROLA STRIPE  
W7214-01 £65 per roll by Osborne & Little

2018 is an exciting and busy year for Osborne & Little as they celebrate their 50th anniversary. In 1968 Peter Osborne and Antony Little launched their first collection of hand printed wallpapers. With a showroom in Chelsea's King's Road, they were in the heart of the London trendsetting scene. The pair became renowned not only for iconic and original design but also for their pioneering style of witty and whimsical advertisements, reflecting the creative and eclectic character of their collections.

They have worked on a number of collaborations with renowned names such as Zandra Rhodes, Quentin Blake, Nina Campbell and Matthew Williamson and have an association with the Royal College of Art. They also regularly commission designs from talented young designers whose names will no doubt be well known in the future.

One of the centre pieces of the 50th anniversary collection, Manarola, is typical of Osborne & Little's individual and quirky style. In a collection which celebrates the English love of Italy the Portovenere fabric and wallpaper design features a tumble of painted houses on the Italian Riviera with shuttered windows and terracotta tiled rooftops, interspersed with palm trees facing out to sea.

**Wallpaper:** PALMARIA W7210-01  
£65.00 per roll by Osborne & Little

The collection also includes the decorative British Isles Damask wallpaper – this design, originally commissioned as a fabric unique to British Airways, marks Osborne & Little's 50th Anniversary. It features emblems of the four countries of the United Kingdom; the rose for England; the thistle for Scotland; the daffodil for Wales; the flax for Northern Ireland.



**Wallpaper:** BRITISH ISLES DAMASK W7219-01  
£65.00 per roll by Osborne & Little

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Wallpaperdirect are delighted to bring you all the wallpapers from the Osborne & Little stable.



Our Favourite Design



**Wallpaper:** PENGUIN LIBRARY W6498-01  
£79.00 per roll Osborne & Little



**Wallpaper:** CERVO  
W7211-01 £65.00 per roll  
by Osborne & Little

**Wallpaper:** PARAGGI W7218-01  
£65.00 per roll by Osborne & Little

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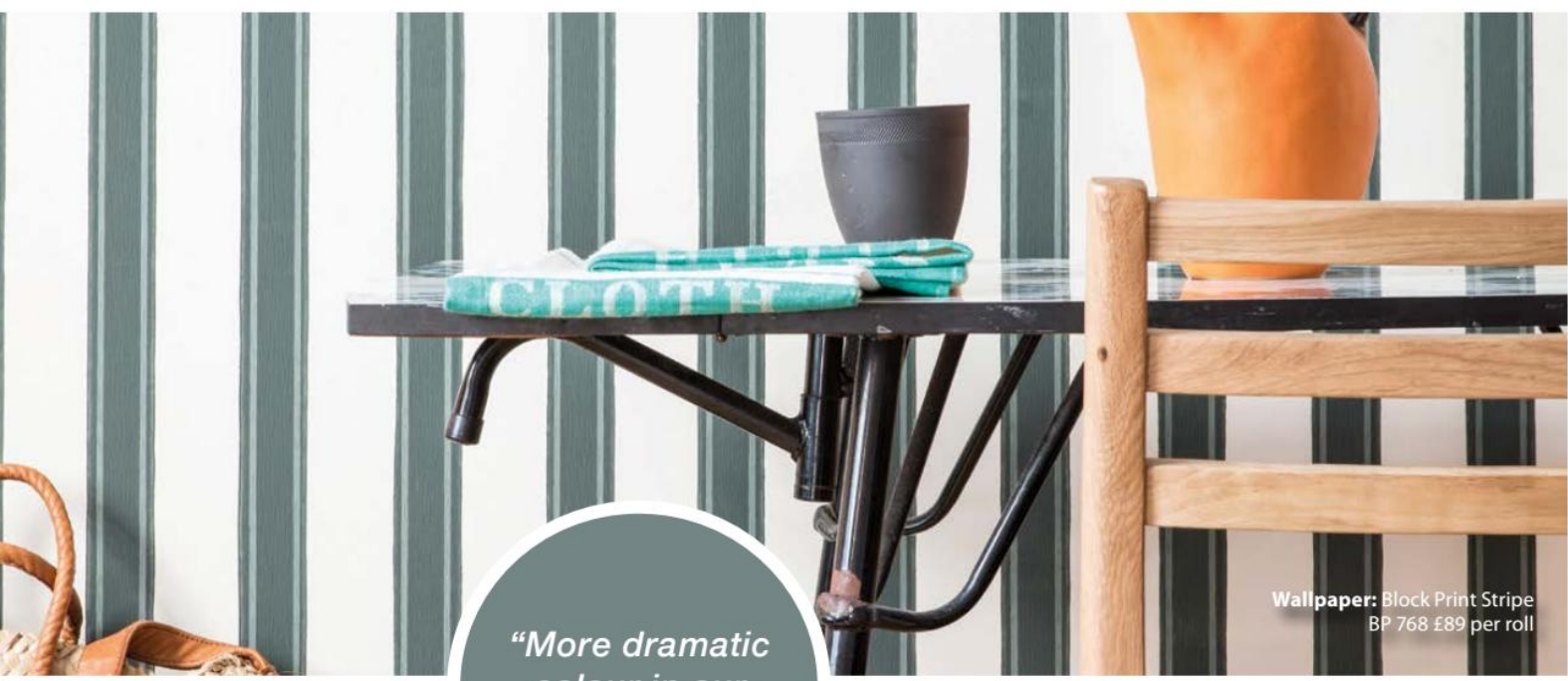
BRITISH CRAFTSMEN IN PAINT AND PAPER

YES SAINT LAURENT



Wallpaper: Lotus BP 2064  
£115 per roll





**Wallpaper:** Block Print Stripe  
BP 768 £89 per roll

*“More dramatic  
colour in our  
homes”*



**Wallpaper:** Wisteria BP 2222  
£115 per roll



**Wallpaper:** Block Print Stripe  
BP 769 £89 per roll

**Farrow & Ball have delighted us this season with a release of some of their iconic wallpapers in striking new colours for 2018.**

We have seen a trend developing for more dramatic colour in our homes; and Farrow & Ball have developed a collection of thrilling new colour combinations for their designs. Their bestselling Lotus design with its delightful Arts & Crafts inspired symmetrical pattern, lends itself to so many different styles and its historical familiarity makes it perfect for contemporary homes. Giving the design a modern twist

without losing that 'homely' feel which is so important to make your home a sanctuary in the busy world we live in.

The classic English floral pattern Wisteria, is often copied but seldom bettered and these stunning new colourways are beautiful. We just love the blossom detail with its copper metallic highlights set against the dark 'Stiffkey Blue' of the background. (Remember all the colours are paints too and can be ordered from our [designerpaint.com](http://designerpaint.com) website!) The perfect country design for both traditional and up-to-date interiors; Wisteria has a place in every home!

And finally some new colours for their archetypal Block Stripe design with a strong 3 line stripe softened by the hand-printed effect of the rich paint colours.

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Farrow & Ball Red Earth

Farrow & Ball Breakfast Room Green

Farrow & Ball Stiffkey Blue

Farrow & Ball Arsenic

Wallpaper: Lotus BP 2065  
£115 per roll

Wallpaper: Wisteria BP 2223  
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GP&J BAKER

# GP & J Baker 'Signature' Wallpaper

**G**P & J Baker has taken some of its most beautiful and iconic designs and translated them into a superb new collection of wallcoverings for this season.

Bringing us exquisite adaptations of archive Chinoiserie patterns include Nymphheus an enduring design drawn from a 16th century Ming dynasty painting and Peony and Blossom,

inspired by an original hand painted Chinese wallcovering. Whilst Herons is a serene portrayal of wading birds and scattered blossoms, derived from an original print dating from 1917.

In contrast, 'California', a stylised floral, has a fabulous contemporary feel as does 'Ferns' one of GP & J Baker's most famous designs.



Heron



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# Mulberry Home 'Modern Country' wallpaper

Renowned for its spirit of individuality, Mulberry Home's latest collection of distinctive Modern Country wallpapers includes many much-loved designs now creatively re-imagined in brilliant new colours illustrating its inspiring and eclectic approach to design.

Flying Ducks, one of its most celebrated patterns, is now printed in darker shades as well as light neutrals, with the handsome flock of mallards highlighted in splashes of vibrant

colour. Torridon, a striking depiction of deer in a highland woodland setting, and the classic Shetland Plaid, reflect Mulberry's countryside heritage as does the fun dog head motif in On the Scent which is printed on a vintage leather effect background.

Completing the collection is a grand version of the founder's original, iconic Mulberry Tree on backgrounds ranging from deepest indigo to soft stone.



Flying Ducks

Modern Country  
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# Add some Spanish cosmopolitan flair to your home



Wallpaper: Auguste, £50 per roll

Based in the beautiful city of Barcelona, Coordonné is a family run company with 40 years experience in the creation of high quality wallcovering and fabric collections. The company is led by a team of young, creative minds who are looking to revolutionise the wallpapers we use in our homes by introducing us to the very best in Spanish design and designers.

This season they have brought us 'Core' a collection of classic designs inspired by the Japanese Zen-like concept of bringing the outdoors inside, to promote a sense of calm and wellbeing.

A gorgeous hand-painted all over tree design 'Claude' is the highlight of the collection, complimented by a range of small scale patterns and textured plains, perfect for all four walls.

Whilst the collection 'Anima' is a celebration of individual designers, each of



Wallpaper: Claude, £50 per roll

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Wallpaper: Chumbera, £64 per roll





Wallpaper: Max, £64 per roll

whom bring their very own style and passion to wallcoverings, with designs loosely joined by a love of nature and full of delightful detail.

Andrea Zarraluqui brings us fun, quirky designs with a strong, controlled geometric feel. She is inspired by the heat and exotic feel of the jungle and brings us beautiful tropical leaves, toucans and this year's latest craze-cacti.

Whilst the New York trained artist Brianda Fitz-James Stuart also reflects the natural world but with a delicate, subtle symmetry to her designs and motifs, as seen in her Cheetahs pattern, above.

Abraham Menéndez brings his love of mid 20th century ceramics to wallpaper design, with some lovely bird and floral patterns. Our favourite is the cute El Baile De Pato, with its amusing take on the classic flying duck ceramics, perhaps your grandmother used to have on her walls. If you are looking for something different but exquisitely designed, then the Coordonné brand is the perfect place to explore.

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Wallpaper: Cheetahs, £64 per roll



Wallpaper: El Baile De Pato, £64 per roll



ROMO

# FLORIS WALLPAPERS

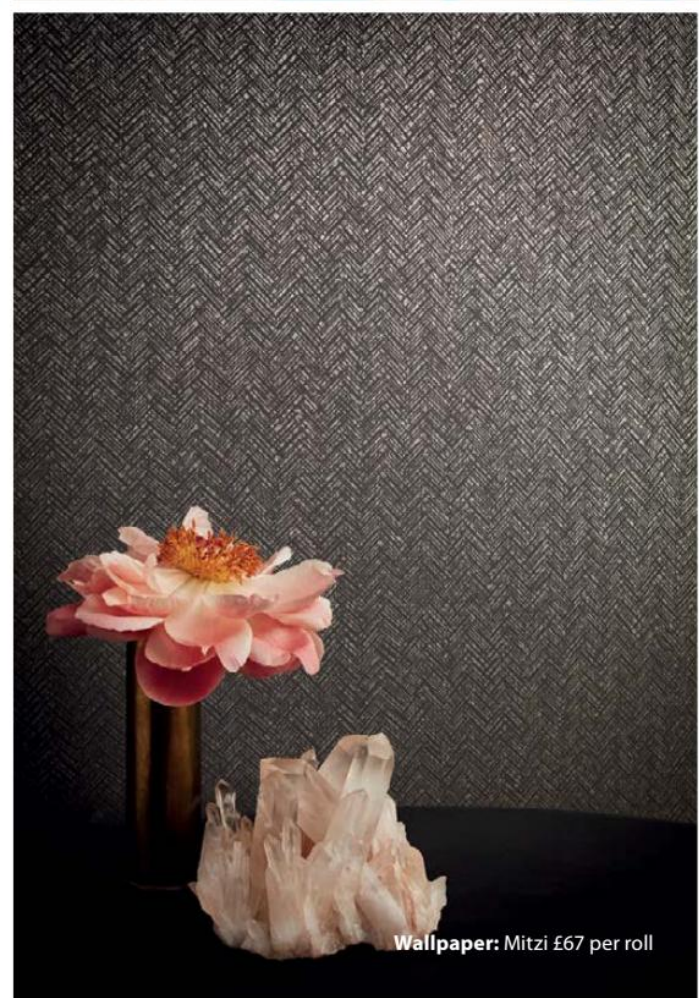
The Floris collection from Romo is simply beautiful; elegant florals and botanical designs with an Oriental hand-painted effect combine with smart textural plains and geometric patterns.

Gentle Japanese blossoms and a stylistic pear leaf motif, are inspired by fauna found in the gardens of Chatsworth House, home to the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire. Delicate florals sit alongside the bold geometric, united through a sophisticated, subtle colour palette of blush pinks, peacock blue and smoky greys with flashes of shimmering metallics, and delicate

pearlescent finishes, combine with subtle embosses to add dimension and texture to small scale designs on luxurious vinyl.

Design Director Emily Mould explains how the Floris collection evolved: *"The wonders of nature and its effortless beauty are a continual source of inspiration for Romo. Floris is an original collection that marries a quintessentially British style with oriental influences, elegantly brought to life through botanical designs and expertly translated into intriguing wallcoverings using shimmering effects and textural embosses."*

Wallpaper: Floris £95 per roll



Wallpaper: Mitzi £67 per roll

*Spring  
designs and  
metallic inks*



Renzo Wallcoverings  
[villanova.co.uk](http://villanova.co.uk)

VILLA NOVA



Wallpaper: Estuary Birds  
£65.00 per roll

# Sanderson launch Embleton Bay

An elegant collection of timeless printed fabrics, weaves and wallpapers

Step away from the stresses of everyday living and take a moment to contemplate the horizon, where the seemingly endless sea meets the safety of the shore.

The latest collection from Sanderson has been inspired by and is a celebration of the nature found along the vast and varied coastline of the British Isles. Using hand-drawn sketches of natural elements from around the idyllic North East Coast hideaway at Embleton Bay, they have created a range of beautiful wallpapers. Speckled eggs, dune hares, dragonflies and puffins are carefully depicted alongside a modern toile design of wading birds.

“I was inspired by the rugged, wild coastline of the North East.”



Wallpaper: Nest Egg £65.00 per roll



Wallpaper: Sycamore Trail  
£65.00 per roll



Wallpaper: Sea Houses  
£65.00 per roll

"I was inspired by the rugged, wild coastline of the North East, and relish the ever-changing yet calming and timeless nature of the surroundings, I wanted to interpret them in a collection that would restore inner calm and infuse interiors with a sense of tranquillity and escapism." Rebecca Craig, Design Manager, Sanderson.

Our favourites at wallpaperdirect include the pretty, Estuary Birds design with its hand-drawn effect of the birds grouped in little scenes with soft colours. And the William Morris like feel of the pretty Sycamore Trail design, with its elegant seed pods should make it an instant favourite, whilst the delicate placed motif effect of the pastel colour egg shapes, make a pretty contemporary pattern, in the Nest Egg design.

'I must go down to the seas again, to the lonely sea and the sky,...' Sea Fever by John Masefield.

The full range of co-ordinating Sanderson paints are available from [designerpaint.com](http://designerpaint.com)





# Ask Richard...



Let our resident decorating expert help with your decorating dilemmas.  
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## Q **Are metallic wallpapers difficult to use?**

Michael – Milton Keynes

A No, so long as you take care of them. Metallic wallpapers are usually non-woven (also described as paste-the-wall) which means they are perfect for the home decorator, because there is no need to allow them to stretch. You just apply the paste to the wall (or the back of the wallpaper) and hang the wallcovering straight up on the wall, quick, easy with minimum fuss.

The most important thing to remember with metallic wallpapers, is to not get paste on the front of the wallpaper, as it can damage the surface of the wallcovering. This is why pasting the wall is best, for these wallcoverings as there is less chance of getting the paste on the surface. Just take your time, keep equipment like scissors and knives clean and wipe any surplus paste off quickly and carefully.



## Q **A**



## ***I have been advised to use a primer when decorating. What is a primer?***

Elizabeth – W2

Primer / sealers are products which help the application of wallpaper to a surface ie. they make it stick more securely! Ideally for use on gloss surfaces such as painted walls or unstable surfaces, porous plaster etc and also help you remove the wallpaper at a future date, without damaging the wall.

There are a number of brands, including our own Albany and Zinsser. It is just a case of picking the right primer / sealer for your wall surface.

TIP

For best results always use a good quality lining paper.

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Wallpaper: Bosham £63 per roll

# WALLPAPER TRENDS WITH Elizabeth Ockford

We asked wallpaper designer and creative director at The Paper Partnership, Elizabeth Ockford, for her top tips on bringing your walls up-to-date with the latest looks for paper.

## *What big trends can we expect to see in 2018?*

One of the big trends for walls in 2018 is the appearance of surface texture, which simply cannot be achieved with a flat coat of paint. This will instantly add depth, space and interest to a wall and enhance the visual appearance of the paper. A texture effect will also deflect light, which will introduce subtle colour changes and shadowing across the wallpaper for more depth to the finish. Patterns come in a multitude of colourways and designs, so there really is something for everyone this year.

## *Are there certain colours we should be looking out for?*

Metallics will continue to prove popular in paper with warm metal finishes, such as gold, featuring a return to favour for the sophisticated home. Subtle metallic motifs or lines and curves in this colour will help to reflect light around a space, making this the perfect choice for a room without much natural daylight.

## *What print styles should we consider?*

Retro designs are big news in wallpaper and these currently range from 50s and 70s-style geometrics to blousy, full-blown prints of the 70s and 80s. Take your pick from large-scale graphic prints if you are looking for a more contemporary finish to smaller, more subtle patterns which will work well in a classic or period-style home.



## *What can we expect from your new collection?*

Highbrook is one of The Paper Partnership's newest collections, which has been carefully curated to reflect various elements within these trends. With a comprehensive range of 52 papers and eight original ranges - Hurst, Sackville, Coleton, Milne, Vita, Knole, Bosham and Fontwell - these are available in a multitude of colourways. Offering large and small-scale motifs for a feature wall with the wow factor, you



Wallpaper: Vita £63 per roll



Wallpaper: Coleton & Milne Stripe  
£63 per roll



Wallpaper: Bosham £63 per roll



can team each with a coordinating plain or small stripe paper on the three remaining walls to complete the look. Or simply choose one design and cover all four walls for dramatic impact.

**So what further trends can we see in your new collection?**

Diamonds of all sizes are now big news in interior design and, within this collection, you can choose from Bosham, a small, retro-inspired, two-tone diamond pattern with a nod to the geometric designs of the 50s and 70s. However, with Fontwell, we have achieved a beautifully complex, large-scale coloured harlequin design with a surface texture featured within each colour. I actually hand-painted the design in the studio to create this dramatic effect and a gold thread, the metallic colour of the moment, runs through this design.

See all of the Paper Partnership wallpapers at [wallpaperdirect.com](http://wallpaperdirect.com).



Wallpaper: Fontwell £63 per roll

# Highbrook

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# Feed your imagination...

WITH ALBANY COLLECTIONS FROM HOLDEN DECOR

Holden Decor is a proud partner for the Albany brand and Wallpaperdirect; a successful relationship which we established with Derek Holden more than 25 years

ago and continues to flourish. Holden Decor has brought us most recently the delightful Lemur design, which has become a really popular design for our customers and our social site.



Wallpaper: Pugs Life



Wallpaper: Lemur



Wallpaper: Aloha



Wallpaper: Dash



Wallpaper: Primrose

Albany Imagination is a fabulously eclectic collection of designs at the affordable price point of £12.98. Pretty florals, birds and butterflies, together with quirky animal motifs and montage designs and a range of simple textural patterns - there is something here for everyone and every room, so let your imagination run free.



For nursery designs and early years' bedrooms, Holden Decor gave us the brand new Albany Once Upon a Time collection. Affordable and fun designs for the young and young at heart, with friendly dinosaurs, woodland and jungle animals and the cutest Dachshund pattern combined with classic stripes, spots, stars and alphabet patterns.

This collection offers something for every interior style with a price point that means you can choose accessories to co-ordinate your new look without breaking your budget.

See our range of Albany wallpapers and Holden Decor collections at [wallpaperdirect.com](http://wallpaperdirect.com)



Wallpaper: Lollipops





## ALL THINGS BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL



It is all about jewel-like colours this season. To view the latest designs from our portfolio of great British brands Zoffany, Harlequin, Sanderson, Morris & Co, Scion and Anthology, visit [wallpaperdirect.com](http://wallpaperdirect.com)

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# THIBAUT

Established in 1886, Thibaut is the oldest continuously operating wallpaper firm in America. We are delighted to be able to offer their wallpapers on wallpaperdirect. With a wealth of experience, and an archive of design inspiration to draw on, they can offer us a broad variety of wallcoverings, coordinating print fabrics, embroideries and woven fabrics. Thibaut is renowned for its stunning use of colour. In fact, colour is the hallmark of Thibaut's long lasting collections. Bringing us the very best in American style; Thibaut has become synonymous with beautiful patterns in their signature colour palettes, particularly on white backgrounds.

**Wallpaper:** Turkish Damask  
£264 per roll



**Wallpaper:** Cornelia £84 per roll



Michael Poliza



Wallpaper: Benedetto £90 per roll

Interlocking  
geometric chain  
pattern printed on a  
very subtly textured  
ground

“The US are great users of true white background for wallpapers, creating a beautifully fresh effect. Thibaut applies a fine coating on their papers that stops any yellowing of the white background.” *Tim Burles - MD Europe, Thibaut & Anna French*

This season we love early European elegance with Thibaut's Chestnut Hill: a classic collection of sophisticated wallpaper, embroidery, print and woven fabrics. The painterly and illustrative patterns come in a soft and traditional colour palette, embraced with warm neutrals and hues of peacock blues, graceful greys, and deep crimson reds. Many designs were printed to give an antiqued effect to give the feel of the original artwork.



Wallpaper: Royal Toile £144 per roll



A range of Grasscloths available

Taken from an antique document, Royale Toile's novelty scenes depict 17th century royalty at leisure with their dogs and music.



Wallpaper: Macbeth £90 per roll

Cornelia Wallpaper. Lauderdale Chair in Sheridan Stripe. Curtains in Bleach from Anna French.



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