



**Moody hue** • A daring choice for a bedroom, this blue-black wall creates a dramatic effect. Basalt Absolute matt emulsion, £35 for 2.5L, Little Greene • Soft pink linens and a pale grey upholstered headboard ensure the deep colour stands out. Lazy Linen Pink Bundle double bedlinen set, £225, Loaf • Bright coral is a gorgeous accent shade. Tolix stool, £145, Graham and Green, painted in Orange Aurora Intelligent eggshell, £25 for 1L, Little Greene



**Pick-and-mix** • Make a feature behind the headboard with a showstopping wallpaper then pile on more pattern by using a contrasting smaller design either side. Inspired (left), £35 a roll, By Lindholm; Leopold, £42 a roll, Clarke & Clarke; both wallpaperdirect.com • Keep the bed simple with a pale grey headboard and plain dye bedding • Black furniture is a perfect foil to all the bright colours. Similar Wishbone chair, £564, Nest



**Garden inspiration** • This upholstered bed in a bold floral fabric makes a beautiful centrepiece. Sophie double storage bed and valance in Wisteria, £1,295, sofa.com • Panel the lower two-thirds of the wall and paint it a deep blue. For a similar shade try City Blues Easyclean matt emulsion, £26.49 from Crown • Introduce an accent colour to break up the rich blues and greens. A cushion or lamp in zingy yellow works well



**Faded grandeur** • A rustic plaster wall, left bare after being stripped, strikes the right note behind an ornate carved headboard in this eclectic bedroom • Mix a richly coloured floral duvet and pillowcases with smart striped pillows. Romany double duvet cover, £89; Oxford pillowcases, £35 a pair; all Christy • Vintage suitcases, stacked up at the end of the bed, are ideal for bedroom storage

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