

12 Guest Bedroom Ideas That Visitors Are Sure To Love



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If your guest bedroom has become the space where random furniture lives and the storage area for the items you don't quite know what to do with—it's time for a room refresh. Before you have company over to stay, let these guest bedroom ideas inspire you to create a space that is calming, cozy and will have your guests wanting to stay longer. From bedding, decor and even giving your guest bedroom a test run, these 12 guest room ideas will transform your extra room from storage to stylish.

4. Add a Bold Color



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To make a dramatic change in a plain guest bedroom, choose a bold **color** that will wrap the room in warmth and style. From paint, wallpaper or an accent wall, the guest room is the perfect space to try out colors that you've wanted to use, but haven't found the right space. Just be sure to choose colors that allow guests to relax when it's time to end the day.

5. Spend the Night in the Room



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If you've never spent the night in your guest room—now is the time. You'll be able to test out the mattress, know if you need to add blackout shades for early morning sun, or know firsthand if the room gets chilly at night. Once you know the conditions of the room, you can make any changes that are needed so your guests get the best experience each and every night of their stay.