75 Small Upgrades You Should Spoil Your Home With This Year

Your home, like life, is a series of evolutions and special moments. Tackle these mini projects yourself — and sometimes with help! — and you'll create a space that's truly your own. Flaunt your "after" pictures on Instagram by tagging #MyHouseBeautiful — we'll publish our faves this spring!



- [ ] 1. Restyle your bookcase.
- [ ] 2. Wrap books in shimmery marbleized paper.
- [ ] 3. Good lighting changes everything.
- [ ] 4. Class up cabinets with knobs that wow you.
- [ ] 5. Visual mishmash out, big beauty moment in!
- [ ] 6. Upgrade your shower nozzle.
- [ ] 7. Paint the ceiling.
- [ ] 8. Add a little bling.
- [ ] 9. Restock your linen closet.
- [ ] 10. Contain your kitchen.
- [ ] 11. Invest in a great mattress.
- [ ] 12. Make an opening statement.
- [ ] 13. Find your crowning glory.
- [ ] 14. Dress your windows.
- [ ] 15. Add tassels and tiebacks.

- [ ] 16. Paint your muntins black.
- [ ] 17. When in doubt, go for linen curtains.
- [ ] 18. Switch up your switches.
- [ ] 19. Revive a dated fireplace.
- [ ] 20. Start fresh with new tableware.
- [ ] 21. Include a surprise in each room.
- [ ] 22. Dine better.
- [ ] 23. Buy a new front door.
- [ ] 24. Update all your bathroom fixtures.
- [ ] 25. Add a pendant to the entryway.
- [ ] 26. Revive the humble pantry.
- [ ] 27. Place carpet tiles yourself.
- [ ] 28. Get a new TV.
- [ ] 29. Sharpen up.
- [ ] 30. Grow! Give purpose to a lonely spot with a houseplant.
- [ ] 31. Add some knockers.
- [ ] 32. Bathe beautifully.
- [ ] 33. Adorn your bed with a bedskirt.
- [ ] 34. Make a splash.
- [ ] 35. Add new family photos to your old ones.
- [ ] 36. Shazam: It's glam! Paint a wayward piece of furniture with the glossiest enamel you can find.
- [ ] 37. Upgrade your cookware.
- [ ] 38. It's about time. Plug your living room lights into timers so it's bright when you wake and return home
- [ ] 39. Appliqués? Oui!Turn a basic chair or table frame into something heirloom-worthy with rubber cement and these latex ornaments of swags, pediments, rosettes, and more. Then paint and admire!
- [ ] 40. Let your faucet flow.
- [ ] 41. Perform a disappearing act.
- [ ] 42. Take on the junk drawer.
- [ ] 43. Splurge in the bathroom.
- [ ] 44. Call your electrician to add more outlets.
- [ ] 45. Shuffle your space.
- [ ] 46. Buy beautiful editions of your favorite books.
- [ ] 47. Aim to love everything in your house, even the trash bin.

- [ ] 48. Do a clean sweep.
- [ ] 49. Out with the old!
- [ ] 50. Don't forget your doorknobs.
- [ ] 51. Smartify your locks
- [ ] 52. Add dimmers to every lamp.
- [ ] 53. Change up your wall coverings.
- [ ] 54. Repurpose closet space.
- [ ] 55. Find new homes for stuff during a reno.
- [ ] 56. Invest in area rugs to make "rooms" in open spaces.
- [ ] 57. Slip it on.
- [ ] 58. You should wallpaper!
- [ ] 59. Clip on, plug in.
- [ ] 60. Switch it up in the shower.
- [ ] 61. Create order
- [ ] 62. Boost curb-appeal in one day.
- [ ] 63. Replace your surfaces
- [ ] 64. Don't let your headboard get tired
- [ ] 65. Corral forks and knives.
- [ ] 66. Hack your closet.
- [ ] 67. Dress up your rods.
- [ ] 68. Rethink your appliances.
- [ ] 69. Warm up underfoot.
- [ ] 70. Add natural light in a dark room or hallway with a skylight.
- [ ] 71. Make the book of you.
- [ ] 72. Shrink linens. Vacuum-pack seasonal items, like duvets, and win back major closet space.
- [ ] 73. Yay for pretty-smelling socks! The fragrance of the Laundress detergent lingers on linens and clothes.
- [ ] 74. Paint that blasé room already!
- [ ] 75. Jazz up your curtains.

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