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Your bathroom is one of the easiest rooms to re-decorate...

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With help from D4 Construction

Helpful Tips for Re-decorating Your Bathroom

Before starting you need to know that your bathroom is in good shape...

It's important to make sure there are no leaks in your bathroom and that all the caulking is tight.

You don't want to complete redecorating your bathroom only to find a leak that means you'll have to re-decorate after it's been fixed.

Unfortunately, although the bathroom is one of the easiest and least expensive to decorate, it's often the most neglected.

For many of us, redecorating our bathroom consists of replacing an old shower curtain with a new one and that's it.

Hopefully, by using the tips provided below, you'll be able produce a new and inviting look to your bathroom.

Let's get started...

⇒ You can make a huge impact on this room by getting rid of any dark wood and old hardware on cupboards. By using some paint and replacing the handles on the doors, you can give your bathroom a completely different look.

- ⇒ Add some plants—they'll thrive in this environment.
- ⇒ Use light. Bright colors will create the illusion of space even in the smallest of spaces (which many bathrooms are).
- ⇒ Change the light fixtures. The right type of lighting can make a huge difference to any bathroom.
- ⇒ Consider replacing the taps of your bath and sinks. Replacing the tired, old looking taps of your bath is an inexpensive way of updating an old room.
- ⇒ Instead of buying a new shower curtain, why not choose to use a regular curtain. This can be hung from a tension rod and backed with a shower curtain liner. Such liners come in a variety of colors and are inexpensive to buy.
- ⇒ Get a few candles. Not only are they attractive, but they instantly add warmth to a space, even when not lit. There's so much variety in colors, shapes and sizes of candles available, that you're likely to find it difficult to choose exactly what you want. It's best if you buy candles which coordinate with the décor of your bathroom. Add a few bars of scented soap and your bathroom will soon feel warm and luxurious.

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Add a scented oil diffuser and change the scents with the seasons...

- ⇒ Add something new on your counter-top by replacing your toothbrush holder, soap dish, and tissue box with something new and exciting. Try a vase with colorful flowers to add a touch of elegance.
- ⇒ Replace ratty towels with fresh, new, colorful towels. Co-ordinate their colors with your shower curtain and other bathroom accessories.
- ⇒ Add some framed pictures or art work. Frame some of your favorite pictures, a verse of poetry, or inspirational verses and arrange them artfully on your focus wall.
- ⇒ Add a fashionable new rug. They now come in some pretty amazing colors, patterns and themes. Rugs can give you a lot of decorative bang for your buck
- ⇒ Get rid of clutter. Take a few hours to pitch out old jars of face cream and shampoo. Then sit back and enjoy your 'new' clean countertops.

- ⇒ Introduce a great new scent to your bathroom with some potpourri, scented candles, or scented oil reed diffusers. Change the scents with the season so that there's always something new and fresh.

By using the tips provided above, your bathroom will soon be looking fresh and bright.

Not only this, but you'll know just how easy and inexpensive it is to do. Soon you'll be ready to start decorating another room in your home!

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