



Top tip!
 Paint a dark blue border on the bottom half of walls to add some visual interest.

TRANQUIL BLUES

A palette of deep blues and greys has a grown-up, slightly masculine feel. Keep patterns minimal with timeless striped bedding and layer up with a chunky knitted throw for those chilly autumn nights. Choose inky blues for your bedding, but go for simple, unfussy furniture in light grey or white to complete the look.



Maboneng Indoor Wall Light in Concrete, **R999**, The Lighting Warehouse

‘Golden wood tones, such as oak, provide a contrast to these cool blues and greys’



Sylvia Cushion Cover in Mist, **R359**; Tobias Cushion Cover in Pewter, **R310**; both Knus



Present Time Snog Seat in Pink, **R3 499**, Superbalist

Aqua Monica Side Table, **R1 335**, Knus

OPULENT BRIGHTS

Create a palatial but lively scheme with an array of vibrant jewel tones and lavish textiles. Make your bed the star, picking a curvaceous velvet headboard and footboard (try browsing at Cielo). Add bold bedding in contrasted but equally rich shades. Which hues should you embrace? Purple, pink and teal. Include plenty of sumptuous velvet fabrics elsewhere (think rugs, throws and scatters), along with tactile embellishments like pompoms and embroidered details.

