

Home work Task Designing my new bedroom



Preamble

As you will start Y5 soon, your parents have decided that you can re-decorate your bedroom and furnish it to your hearts content.

You could for example:- paint the walls in your room a groovy colour, use wall paper, put up new curtains, get a new bedroom suite or furniture to create a space just for you and your friends to relax in.

Your parents have one stipulation: Your budget is £1000.00

Lets get started:-

Step 1

Go home and make a detailed drawing of your bedroom's floor plan.

Mark out where the windows and doors are on your plan.

Do not forget to mark out on your plan the space needed for them to open.

At this stage decide if your room is going to have fixed built in cupboards

or whether you intend to purchase a free standing wardrobe.

Step 2

Walls are generally 2.3m high.

Windows can measure 230cm x 120cm, 180cm x 100cm, 120cm x100cm or 90cm x 100cm.

Step 3

2.5 litres of paint covers approximately 30sq.m. (You will need to buy enough paint for two coats)

Wall paper measures 52cm x 10.05m long.

You should allow extra paint to paint the wood work around the windows and doors.

YOU ARE UNDER NO OBLIGATION TO EITHER PAINT OR WALLPAPER YOU CAN CHOOSE TO LEAVE THE ROOM AS IS.... BUT EXTRA CREDIT IS EARNED IF YOU AT LEAST DISCUSS A POSSIBLE COST.

Step 4 Curtains/blinds need to cover the windows fully. Do not forget to purchase curtain rails.

Step 5 Now its time to look at the furniture. Seek out brochures from Ikea or furniture websites... Try to obtain a picture of the furniture you intend purchasing.. will you choose a rug, wall hangings, mirror, clock, coat rack, shelving, desk, chair, television,

Look at not only the prices for furniture items but their measurements, try to fit them into your room.



Step 6 You may decide to purchase a new duvet and pillows, new cushions or throw blankets..... watch the budget these little extras are quite expensive.

Step 7

You should now be at the end of the project. You should have written a detailed report including:

- ✓ Prepared a scale drawing of your bedroom, with measurement details of your doors windows and where light fittings are located.
- ✓ Description of how your decorated your room...did you use paint/wallpaper or did you decide to throw all your budget on furnishings
- ✓ Detailed list of furniture and furnishings, the costs and an upgraded floor plan that fits your new furniture into the room.
- ✓ Images or pictures of your purchases will enhance your overall presentation
- ✓ Total costs of expenditure should be in evidence as your parents will be keen to see what you spent your money on and more importantly did you keep to the budget.

