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10 WEEKEND PROJECTS UNDER

\$30

GUIDEBOOK

Give your home some speedy and cost effective sprucing up with these ten budget-friendly ideas.

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1.

Replace a Window Treatment

Has the window covering above your kitchen sink been marred by repeated exposure to the sun, splashes, and cooking liquids?

Replace a stained window covering with an inexpensive fabric treatment and see your kitchen in a whole new light. Apply this idea to other rooms in your for an instant update.



2.

Make a Message Center



A large picture frame with glass pane can serve as a message center wherever it's needed.

To make a design like this, paint the back of a glass pane to complement your kitchen colour scheme. Use dry-erase markers to write notes and reminders.

3.

Brighten a Bookcase

Give a bookcase an exciting backdrop by applying contact paper, scrapbook paper, or fabric to its back. If you don't want to commit to a particular design or color scheme, measure the piece's back panel and mount the background material on poster board. Cut to the size of each shelf to inlay it against the shelf back.



4.

Paint your Front Door



You might not be able to replace the front door of your home for \$30, but you can make improvements to what you already have. Select a paint colour in a fun and coordinating shade to your exterior. Grab a brush and let the power of colour take your exterior to the next level.

5.

Organize the Entry

Keep dirt and mud contained with a boot tray near your home's entryway. Buy one that's easy to clean, or create your own from a rimmed baking sheet. If storage space is limited, tuck the tray beneath a slim console table.



6.

Update House Numbers



All it takes is a screwdriver and few minutes to give your exterior front entrance a personality-filled facelift. Change out your existing numbers with a modern font to make house numbers more readable for a pretty, practical update on the won't break the bank.

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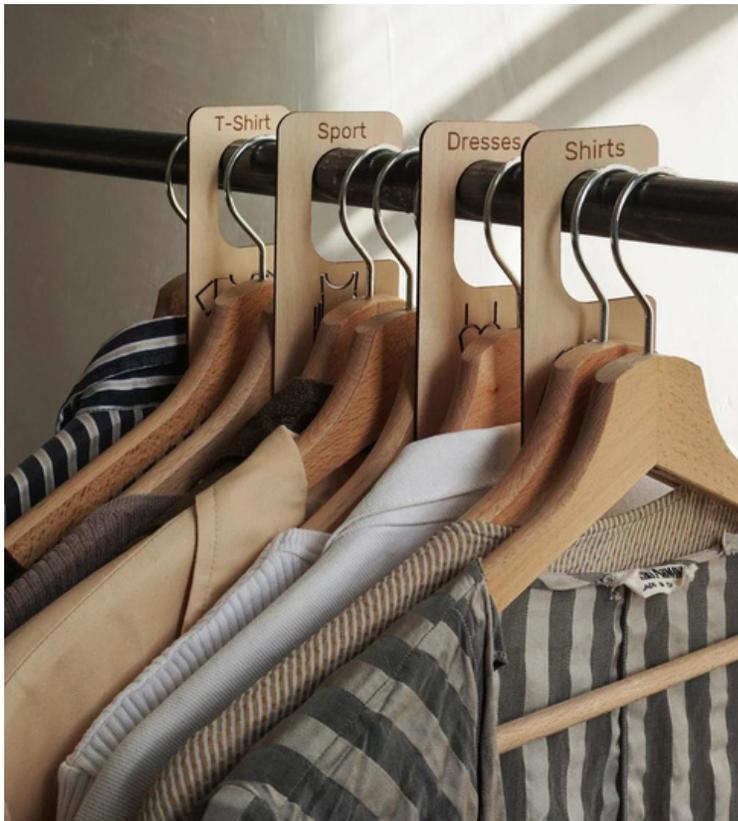
Replace Switch Plates

Replace a plastic switch plate with a wood, metal, ceramic, or decorative cover to make a visual statement. Some switch plates are even textured to blend in with marble, tile, or stone surfaces. Do this for light switches, electrical outlets, and phone and cable jacks.



8.

Elevate a Closet



Coax function from a messy closet with thoughtful accessories designed to elevate organization. Categorize hanging garments by type, day of the week, or clothing type with hanger dividers or tags. Using slim, slip-free hangers will have your closet looking uniform and will maximize space.

9.

Step Up Storage

Plastic bins are a versatile and inexpensive way to restore order in almost every in-home trouble spot. Using clear bins for storage in a pantry or for a closet gift-wrap station, for example; is an easy way to take inventory and identify items at a glance. Use labels to ensure everything stays tidy and easy to access.



10.

Designate a Drop Spot



Enhance the style and storage of your entryway with a designated place for important drop-zone items. Create a mini hang-up station for house keys, loose change, and outgoing mail in your entryway or on the back of a cabinet or closet door to store items in one convenient location near your entrance.

I hope you have enjoyed these fun ideas as much as I did! I like to remember that updating and organizing your home is best done one step at a time and is a task that is never finished!

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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