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Use a pincushion stencil and Tjhoko Paint Stencil of Paris to update a raw wood cupboard.

Say it with flowers

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EASY

QUICK PROJECT GUIDE
Hard labour 2/10
Skill level 2/10
Time needed 1 day
 (including sanding time)

Pendant light and stool from Mr Price Home; cake stand, cups and Country Road vases from Woolworths; Beni Ourain Rug from Herringbone



You will need

SHOPPING LIST

- Flower Stencil from Tjhoko Paint
- Stencil of Paris from Tjhoko Paint
- repositionable spray adhesive

TOOLS

- sander
- scraper
- masking tape

PROJECT NOTES

- If the surface still feels oily after sanding it, first seal the entire cupboard with Woodoc Water-Borne Floor Clear Matt before applying the Stencil of Paris; this will prevent the Stencil of Paris from discolouring.
- Seal the cupboard (including the Stencil of Paris) afterwards with Woodoc Water-Borne Floor Clear Matt.

Get started...

- 1 Remove any sealant or varnish from the wood to create a raw wood look.
- 2 Spray the back of the stencil with the spray adhesive.
- 3 Position the stencil and apply the Stencil of Paris with a scraper; wipe off any excess Stencil of Paris as you go along.
- 4 Remove the stencil carefully, whilst the Stencil of Paris is still wet. Be careful not to smudge it.
- 5 We used the entire stencil on the bottom left of one door, but for the rest we isolated the pincushion flower by covering the cut-outs next to it. Apply spray adhesive and position the stencil; smear Stencil of Paris over the pincushion motif. 🏠

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