



On the wall *If you have lots of quirky trinkets that you don't know what to do with, then investing in 'The Dorm' – a brilliant shelving concept by Scandi brand Ferm Living – could be the answer. Give each of your treasures the space it deserves, or use the unit to display children's toys.*

'The Dorm' plywood shelving unit by Ferm Living, £89, 95% Danish (95percentdanish.com)

Do it now! Arrange blooms in 19th-century garden designer Gertrude Jekyll's simple glass vases, which have just been reissued. There are five designs, each tailored to show off a different type of flower. From £25 (gertrudejekylldesigns.com).



COOL COOKWARE

We're big fans of Le Creuset, so it's great news that five new colours – Rose, Kiwi, Classic Green, Pastel Blue and Dijon Yellow – are being added to its range of stoneware 'Petite Casserole' dishes this month. One just isn't enough!

'Petite Casserole' stoneware dishes, £15 each, Le Creuset (lecreuset.co.uk)

FORM AND FUNCTION

When is a postcard not a postcard? When it's a calendar, too! Pictured below is the first in a series of 'useful postcards' by Italian designer Sara Ferrari. The magnetic ring means you can stick it easily to a fridge or desk lamp.

'The Fridge Calendar' postcard, £4.99, Sara Ferrari (saraferrariadesign.com)



IN WITH THE OLD

Looking for vintage pieces? Here are a few good places to start.

Sunbury Antiques Market
Held twice a month at Kempton Park racecourse, French dealers cross the channel to sell here. Arrive early – around 6.30am – for the best bargains (sunburyantiques.com).

Crystal Palace Antiques & Modern Based in south London, there are dealers here with various areas of expertise. Try Designs of Modernity for 20th-century pieces (crystalpalaceantiques.com).

Emma Mason British Prints
Visit this Eastbourne gallery for originals by British printmakers working from the post-war period to the present day (emmamason.co.uk).

Lucy Bates Vintage Fabrics
Fabrics on sale here were mostly made for Hull Traders or Heal Fabrics in the 1960s and 1970s (lucybatesvintagefabric.co.uk).

Skin Flint Design Specialises in reclaimed and salvaged lighting (skinflintdesign.co.uk).

Pure Imagination A great place to pick up Danish-designed ceramics and glass (pureimagnations.co.uk).

Trainspotters Deals in vintage lighting and reclaimed industrial fittings (trainspotters.uk.com).

Circa 20th Century Antiques & Design Try here for post-war furniture (c20c.com).

Dad Design A husband-and-wife team selling mid-century homewares (dad-design.co.uk).

Fears and Kahn Dealer in 20th-century posters and furniture (fearsandkahn.co.uk).

Mark Parrish Mid Century Modern Furniture, decorative art, ceramics and collectables from the 1950s to 1970s (markparrish.co.uk).

The Modern Warehouse Mid-century furnishings from the US, Scandinavia and the UK (themodernwarehouse.com).

Twentieth Century Antiques Edinburgh-based Modernist furniture dealer (twentiethcenturyantiques.co.uk).