

SOURCEBOOK

Bring touches of Ann-Sophie's nautical style to your kitchen



INTERIOR DESIGN

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Founder and director of her own interior design company, Interiors at 58, Sallie believes in creating luxurious, elegant and original schemes at affordable prices

PICTURE PERFECT

Including one large image is a great way to bring life and colour to a large kitchen as well as defining a specific space and giving the room personality. Sallie explains how to make the right choice

Match the scheme For a feature wall that's striking but not overwhelming, go for tones and a style that will complement your existing decor. In a period home, a style featuring vintage art or photography will be dramatic as well as looking authentic and natural.

Plant power Think about the balance within the room – if you have highly detailed tiles or curtains, a simple mural might be best, but in a neutral kitchen you have free rein to pick a daring style. Designs with botanical themes bring the outdoors in and suit most schemes.

Premium finishes For a more luxurious feel, choose a style printed on textured linen paper (great for imperfect walls) or try a vintage design printed on Oriental paper, which has a softer finish and feels handmade. Both types are best kept away from high traffic and wet areas, and will need to be applied by a professional decorator. If there's a chance your mural might get damaged, choose one that's scratch resistant.

Full works Before you buy, order a sample and allow it to sit in the space for a few days so you can see how it looks in all lights. A mural will always be at its most inspiring on a full wall, but also works well for tricky areas when created in bespoke sizes – just be sure to measure twice so you order the correct size and go for one with a low-tack adhesive backing, so it can be easily removed if needed. Alternatively, if you prefer the flexibility of artwork over a mural, several statement pieces in similar styles grouped together will create an impressive feature wall that can be updated as often as you like.



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- 1 Pelios pendant light, £234, Dar Lighting 2 *Sailing Boat print* by Dave Thompson Graphic Art, from £13.99, Wayfair 3 Infinity matt emulsion, £38/2.5L, Graham & Brown 4 Deep Metro white tiles, £25/sq m, Tile Giant 5 Tourbillon throw by Olivier Desforges, £75, Amara 6 Consec metal bar stool, £59, Cult Living
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