

# Japandi

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Japandi is a key interiors trend which is growing in popularity. As the name suggests it cleverly balances Japanese minimalism with the soothing natural textures and clean lines of Scandinavian home design.

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# Calling the colour lovers

While Japandi naturally leans towards pale neutrals and the greens and browns of nature, print is also key from the Japanese influence. Take a look at Scion's beautiful and bright range of wallpapers and fabrics in their Japandi collection. Block prints, geometric designs and fun colour-ways enrich and enliven a space.



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*'Blonde and white woods complement white walls and pale grey, which have become the neutral staples of our homes in recent years'*

Helen Winter | Coral Interiors

Cookes Collection Fino Scandi Oak



Sits Stella



Ligne Roset



Break up large expanses of wood floor with oversized shaggy or Berber style rugs, with their nod to texture and coziness. Texture is key, especially in the cooler months, oversized knitted or faux fur throws bring a tactile softness and comfort, and avoid the look being too stark or sterile.

Arabella Bedstead



## Contrasting wood tones

Whilst Scandinavian style lends itself more to pale and mid-tone woods such as ash, birch and oak, with the Japanese furniture element we think of lacquered or black woods. Ercol presents both these tones in many of their collections to stunning effect.



Ercol Lugo

Hypnos



Ercol



Ercol Forli



## *Top Tip:*

As 2020 has so far had us all spending a lot more time in our homes, putting additional stress on family life. Japandi style also touches on biophilic design. Biophilic means 'love of nature' and is all about incorporating plants and the natural world in our living and working spaces.

Plants cleanse our indoor environment, increasing the oxygen and reducing carbon dioxide and as the temperature drops, we're more likely to keep the windows closed and central heating cranked

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