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GRAPHIC DETAIL Retro graphics like these will add a bright shot of colour to a warm wood kitchen
Ochre Flower mug, £40 for four, Orla Kiely



GOLDEN LEAVES A sunny yellow lampshade is chic by day and casts a warm glow in a room at night
Glass leaf card shade, small, £69; large, £99; Jocelyn Warner



MODERN ORIENTAL The contrasting glossy yellow lacquer and bamboo of this bowl will look stunning on display
Lau small bowl, £4.50; large bowl, £6; Habitat



WELL LOW YELLOW This season's super-sized blooms in grown-up gold look stunning on a sofa, cushions or even curtains
Sofa and cushion: Sheraton fabric, £37.95 per m; Hamilton wallpaper, £34.95 per roll; all Manhattan collection, Monkswell

THE NEXT BIG THING

Yellow

Hot off the catwalk, yellow is the hippest new colour to hit your home



LUXE LOOKS Liven up a plain sofa by mixing two or three patterned designs like this with a few in solid colours such as cream, gold or taupe
From left: Rushes cushion, £79; Fireweed and grasses cushion, £99; Clarissa Hulse



LOVE BIRDS If these pretty plates are too sweet to eat from, why not hang the whole collection on a dining room wall?
Melamine dinner plates, £24.95 for a set of four with assorted birds and colours, Pedlars

GO FOR BOLD Introduce colour to a neutral scheme with a bright yellow chair or sofa
Portion chair in Bute Braemar fabric, £1,150, Naughtone



NEEDLE WORK Yellow embroidery on a cool white background is a subtle way to get the look
Kashmir embroidered throw (W260cm x L270cm), £150, ILVA



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