

Top tips for creating a study area for your child

As you and your children prepare for a new school year, now is an ideal time to plan and prepare for any changes or updates to a study area, ready for the homework to come.

Start with the basics! A desk, a chair and some simple storage are sufficient initially. Try adapting existing items you may have around the home before investing in anything new, but get your child to 'test' any choices to ensure they will be comfortable in the long term.

Can you fit a study area into your child's bedroom?

This is preferable to an area in the home required for other tasks and means that unfinished projects can be left safely.

Platform beds are ideal for freeing up valuable space in a small room.

Make the space inspiring for your child by getting them involved in the design, whether it be using their favourite colours or selecting a range of accessories.

That way they'll be more encouraged to use it.

Consider what lighting is needed. Do you have enough available sockets for table lamps? Maybe wall lights are a better option.

Storage! Plan for more than you think you'll need and use options that your child will use; boxes, plastic containers, shelving, filing cabinets, etc.

Ideally, keep it as simple as possible for last minute tidy-ups.

Planning and preparing what your child needs at this early stage means the opportunity to get things in place and gives your child time to get accustomed to their new space before the start of school in September.



Collect ideas for your ideal kid's room study space from the Internet.