



DESIGN IN COLOUR

Surprising jolts of colour enliven white-on-white, the backdrop to a lovely collection of art and furniture.

At first glance, you'll pick up that this house – a renovation of a grand old dame in St Mary's Bay, Tāmaki Makaurau Auckland – shows a predominantly white palette. The walls are Resene Half Barely There, while ceilings and details are Resene Quarter Alabaster – a pure white designed to show off fine period timber work.

But take a closer look – the ceiling of the en suite is soothing in Resene Blanched Pink from the Karen Walker Paints collection, while the downstairs bathroom and a bedroom are painted in Resene Soulful, a gentle apricot with a tinge of pink. And the hall sings in Resene Ronchi, a warm, weighty yellow. A grand dame indeed.