

# Hold me closer

If it all gets a bit much, retreat to a space where moody blue and smoky grey create a calming cocoon.

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**INSPIRATION** *Blue* photographic print by Billie Culy, \$500, parlourprojects.com.

## Hero colours:



Resene Zinzan



Resene Steam Roller

## Supporting palette:



Resene Half Gunsmoke



Resene Half Bokara Grey



Resene Coffee Break



**ABOVE Walls** in Resene SpaceCote Low Sheen in Resene Zinzan; **floor** in Resene Lumbersider in Resene Half Gunsmoke, prepped with Resene primer/sealer and sealed with Resene Uracryl 402 Clear; **shelves** in Resene SpaceCote Low Sheen in Resene Steam Roller; resene.co.nz. **TOP SHELF** Papier-mâché **bowl**, \$39, indiehomecollective.com. **MIDDLE SHELF** Sumba **statues**, \$79 each, indiehomecollective.com. Vintage English **earthenware jug**, \$35, flotsamandjetsam.co.nz. Mottle **vessel**, \$35, freedomfurniture.co.nz. Stone **bowl** by Homeground, \$95, thepoiroom.co.nz. **BOTTOM SHELF** West German Lava **vase**, \$165, mrbigglesworthy.co.nz. Amber Glass **lidded jar** by Bloomingville, \$54, tessuti.co.nz. **ON CONSOLE, FROM LEFT** Curator **console**, \$1099, freedomfurniture.co.nz. Enamel **candlestick**, \$20, flotsamandjetsam.co.nz. **Candle** \$4, indiehomecollective.com. Jodhpur **urn**, \$109, freedomfurniture.co.nz. Serpentine **bowl**, \$98, tessuti.co.nz. Turkish **olive oil pot**, \$245, flotsamandjetsam.co.nz. **IN CONSOLE** Tribal Deco **bowl**, \$40, freedomfurniture.co.nz. **Books** and **flowers** stylist's own. **OPPOSITE, FROM TOP LEFT** Coast *Serene* **artwork** by Greer Clayton, \$3900, parnellgallery.co.nz. Pare 02 **floor lamp**, \$1560, douglasandbec.com. **Lounge chair** by Fritz Hansen, \$2900, karakter.co.nz. Sanna **rug**, \$649, freedomfurniture.co.nz.



**In the zone** Don't be afraid to venture to the dark side in your living areas – a jewel-toned paint such as Resene Zinzan will have a restful effect. Offset the deep wall shade with in-built shelving in a soothing mid-grey, such as Resene Steam Roller. Choosing hues with similar undertones allows for contrast yet keeps the look cohesive.