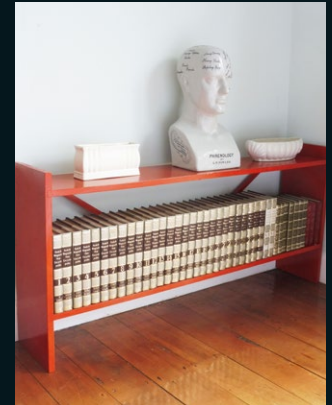


★★★ Difficulty level ★ easy ★★ moderate ★★★ challenging Fun with furniture with Mark Rayner – 45

Brighten up a plain pine bookcase using a vibrant orange from the Resene Colorwood range.



### You will need:

- Clean cloths
- Paintbrush
- Paint stirrer
- Resene Aquaclear gloss
- Resene Colorwood tinted to Resene Satin Orange
- Rubber gloves
- Sandpaper
- Unpainted pine bookcase



**Step one**  
Clean the bookcase with a damp cloth and remove any stickers.



**Step two**  
Lightly sand the entire bookcase with a medium grade sandpaper.



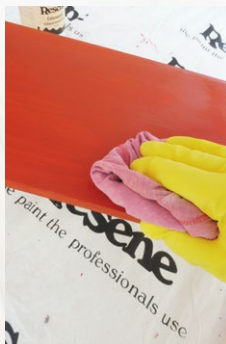
**Step three**  
Wipe off any sanding residue with a clean cloth.



**Step four**  
Carefully stir the Resene Colorwood tinted to Resene Satin Orange.



**Step five**  
Apply one coat of Resene Colorwood tinted to Resene Satin Orange to the bookcase.



**Step six**  
Leave the Resene Colorwood for up to fifteen minutes before wiping off any excess with a clean cloth. Allow to dry.



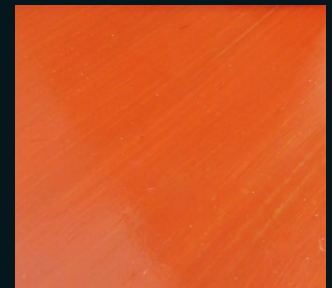
**Step seven**  
Carefully stir the Resene Aquaclear.



**Step eight**  
Apply three coats of Resene Aquaclear to the bookcase, allowing two hours for each coat to dry.

### To get the look:

Mark painted the background wall with Resene SpaceCote Flat tinted to Resene Half Duck Egg Blue.



### Other ideas:

For a more traditional look stain the bookcase with Resene Colorwood tinted to Resene Mahogany. Use Resene Aquaclear semi-gloss or satin for a lower sheen finish.

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