

In the home

Seasonal decorative touches to bring the outdoors in



WELCOME SCENT

Growing a highly fragranced climbing plant next to a window allows the early summer breeze to carry its scent into the home. Easily trained up house walls, English roses are delightfully perfumed climbers. Flowering with greater regularity and abundance than most, they produce blooms all the way from the top of the plant to the base. The meadowsweet and vanilla fragrance of the double flowers of rose 'Claire Austin' is particularly prized.

JAR OF STRING

A ball of string is a useful thing to have handy in the home. One way to make sure it does not get tangled in a drawer is to make a container for it. A clean jam jar is ideal. A hole is pierced in the lid, with the edges filed smooth.

Then the string is threaded through the hole, leaving the ball neatly in the jar.



BIRDS ON THE WALL

Growing up near the River Wharfe in Otley, West Yorkshire, designer-maker Kate Broughton developed a love of wildlife which continues to influence her work. This print features 19 of her British garden birds illustrations, including the bullfinch, jay, chaffinch and several tits. Available in two sizes, A4 (210 x 297mm) and A3 (297 x 420mm), it is created using high quality archival print onto archival matt heavyweight paper. Each print is supplied unmounted and unframed, and is signed by Kate.

British garden birds print from £20,
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