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Magazine table revamp



This upcycled project is great for making a bedside table – use up a collection of old magazines to achieve this unusual look. If you're anything like us, you'll have quite a lot of them at home...

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MATERIALS

- \square 24-30 magazines of the same size
- ☐ Top and bottom parts of an old table (if you can't get hold of these, you can use two round cut pieces of MDF wood instead)
- ☐ Extra-wide sellotape
- Wallpaper glue
- ☐ Strong bond PVA glue

EQUIPMENT

 \square Scissors

- ♥ STEP ONE Roll the magazine up, as tightly as possible. Fasten it with extra-wide sellotape.
- ♥ STEP TWO Repeat this process until you have around 24 to 30 rolled up magazines.
- ▼ STEP THREE Put these to one side. Use the sheets of another magazine to cover the two pieces of wood as you would with decoupage. Put aside to dry.
- ▼ STEP FOUR When it's completely dry, glue the bottom part with PVA glue and arrange the rolled magazines in a vertical position to form the base of your table.
- ♥ STEP FIVE Glue the top part of the table and place it on top of the vertical magazine base.

TOP TIP

You can mix up your magazines for a varied look, but if you'd like to match your room scheme then you can always select similar colours.

