

(IN)SIDE HUSTLE

Flexible Home Office

Turn a closet into a tucked-away workspace with help from Dutch Boy® paints.

You'll Need:

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| Dutch Boy® Platinum® Plus interior paint (4 colors) | Painter's tape |
| Dutch Boy® Platinum® Plus Cabinet, Door & Trim paint | Fine- to medium-grit sandpaper |
| Cub brush | Drop cloth |
| Mini woven roller cover and roller frame | Clean, damp cloth |
| Mini trays | Two filing cabinets, approximately desk height |
| | Cut-to-fit wood desk top |

Here's How:

- Step 1** Wipe wall, shelves, and doors with clean, damp cloth to prepare painting surfaces and let dry.
- Step 2** Lay down the drop cloth to protect floors; affix painter's tape to baseboards, ceiling and any molding or trim.
- Step 3** Using the cub brush, apply first paint color just inside the taped areas, then paint the remaining wall, from baseboard up to the level of the desk top, with the mini woven roller.
- Step 4** Repeat step 3 for the next two colors, painting each shelf and the wall between them a different color for a dark-to-light ombre effect.
- Step 5** Remove painter's tape while paint is still damp; allow paint to dry, following suggested dry time on paint can label.
- Step 6** Affix painter's tape around doorframe, handle, and over hinges; apply pressure to tape to ensure a tight seal.
- Step 7** Using the cub brush, paint door panels and any hard-to-reach areas; paint remainder of the door with the mini woven roller.
- Step 8** Remove painter's tape while paint is still damp; allow paint to dry, following suggested dry time on the can label.
- Step 9** Prep cut-to-fit desk top by sanding edges smooth; wipe with the clean, damp cloth to remove dust or debris.
- Step 10** Paint both sides and edges of the desk top with the first paint color using a mini woven roller; allow paint to dry, following suggested dry time on the can label.
- Step 11** Place desk top on cabinets.

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See paint can labels for application instructions and dry times.

Use Dutch Boy® paint to ensure precise color match. Refer to the actual color chip for accurate color representation.

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Wall: **Baltic Gray 437-1DB**
Trim: **Simplified White 020W**
Bottom Wall and Desk Top: **Midnight Bliss 338-6DB**
Middle Wall and Shelf: **Brookside Blue 338-5DB**
Top Wall and Shelf: **Seabrook 338-4DB**
Closet Doors: **Peridot Sparkle 427-2DB**



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