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Modern Mudroom

This made-by-you mudroom gets the hookup with decorative wall hangers and Dutch Boy® paint.

## You'll Need:

Dutch Boy® Platinum® Plus interior paint

Precut vertical wooden boards (approximately 1" thick x 2" wide)

Decorative hooks

Angled paintbrush

Cub brush

Woven roller cover and roller frame

Paint tray and liners

Painter's tape

Flexible joint knife

Wood filler

Fine- to medium-grit sandpaper

Tape measure

Level

Pencil

Hammer

Finishing nails Screwdriver

Drop cloth

Clean, damp cloth



Wall and Furring Strips: Whispered 239-1DB Trim: Simplified White 020W Side Wall: Dust Flats 414-1DB

## Here's How:

- **Step 1** Lay down the drop cloth to protect floors; use painter's tape to cover trim, molding, ceiling and the edges of any adjacent walls.
- **Step 2** Using the angled brush, apply paint just inside taped areas, then paint remaining area with the woven roller; remove painter's tape while paint is still damp; allow paint to dry 24 hours.
- **Step 3** Prep vertical wooden boards by lightly sanding any rough surfaces; wipe with clean, damp cloth to remove dust or debris.
- **Step 4** Using the angled brush, paint all sides of each board; allow paint to dry completely.
- **Step 5** Using the tape measure, determine the center point of the wall by measuring wall to wall and lightly marking with a pencil.
- **Step 6** Install vertical boards using a precut jig and mark the end points; level and secure boards to the wall with finishing nails and hammer; install remaining boards to the wall.

Tips: Use a stud finder to locate studs. If you don't have a stud finder, know that most light switches and outlets are attached to a stud, which are typically spaced 16 inches apart.

A 16 inch precut jig is recommended. You can adjust the length based on the length of your wall.

- **Step 7** Use wood filler to fill in all nail holes and gaps; sand and use the clean, damp cloth to smooth wood filled surfaces and allow to dry.
- **Step 8** Use the flat brush and paint to touch up wood filled areas.



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**Step 9** Using measuring tape, determine placement of the hooks across the vertical boards; screw hooks into vertical wood boards.

Tip: In order to screw in the hook easier and reduce the risk of splitting wood, drill pilot holes in the boards.

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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.

