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High

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Advanced

## Color Remix – 3D Angled Pattern

Turn a plain piece of furniture into a statement piece! Share your color remix with [#SWColorLove](https://www.instagram.com/SWColorLove).

### Supplies For This Project:

**Dresser with Removable Drawers**

**New Knobs (optional)**

**Sherwin-Williams Emerald Interior Acrylic Latex**

**Paint Water + Detergent**

**Tack Cloth**

**Medium Grit 3M™ Sanding Sponge**

**Fine Grit 3M™ Sanding Sponge**

**Purdy Paint Roller Cover for Smooth Surfaces**

**Paint Roller Frame**

**Purdy Paint Brush (2")**

**Exacto-knife**

**ScotchBlue Painter's Tape**

**Premium Wall & Wood Primer**

### Colors Used:



SW 6610  
**Koral Kicks**



SW 6239  
**Upward**



SW 9179  
**Anchors Aweigh**



SW 9147  
**Favorite Jeans**

## Instructions:

1. First, select your dresser. We recommend one with drawers that fully remove, and a dresser body that frames each drawer to maximize color contrast.
2. Remove the knobs and clean the dresser with warm water and detergent. Once it's dry, sand the dresser and clean off dust with tack cloth.
3. Decide on the geometric pattern that you want to paint your dresser. Measure and mark your design with a tape measure and a pencil.
4. Select the color combination that you want to use. We chose a blend of blues and pinks: Coral Kicks SW 6610, Upward SW 6239, Anchors Aweigh SW 9179, and Favorite Jeans SW 9147. We chose Emerald® Interior Acrylic Latex Paint.
5. Before painting, prime both the entire dresser and drawers using Premium Wall & Wood Primer. Let dry 3-4 hours.
6. We recommend starting with your lightest color first. Use ScotchBlue Painter's Tape to create an outline for your first color.
7. Using an exacto-knife, cut the tape along the edges of the drawers so that they can be removed. Remove the drawers from the dresser.
  - **Tip:** *You always want to paint on the drawers separately from the dresser in order to avoid painting the drawers shut. However, when you put the drawers back into the frame, the pattern should line up perfectly.*
8. First use a paintbrush to carefully paint the edges of the shapes closest to the tape. Use a roller to fill in the shape (the roller will give the dresser a consistent texture). Remove the tape at a backwards 45 degree angle while the paint is still tacky. Let dry for four colors.
9. Replace your drawers and then use the painter's tape to tape off the outside border of the shapes for your second color.
10. Repeat steps 3-4, and then repeat for your third and fourth colors until your final geometric pattern is created.
11. Carefully replace the drawers into the dresser frame and screw your knobs back into the dresser to finish the look.

## The BEFORE & AFTER...



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