



 Time
Afternoon

 Cost
Low

 Difficulty
Easy

Color Remix – Rectangle

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 7757
High Reflective White

 SW 6905
Goldfinch

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. Prime the body of the dresser and the four drawers with Premium Wall & Wood Primer. Let dry for 3-4 hours.
4. Once dry, paint the body of the dresser and the four drawers with your base color (we went with a classic High Reflective White SW 7757). Let the dresser frame and the drawers dry overnight.
5. Paint your knobs with your accent color and let dry completely. We chose a gorgeous, rich yellow (Goldfinch SW 6905) to contrast against the white dresser.
6. Measure and mark your design with a pencil. Use ScotchBlue Painter's Tape to create an outline and ensure clean lines. We went with a rectangular design that frames the knobs in the center.
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. Using Goldfinch SW 6905, paint your design on both the drawers and the dresser frame using an angled Purdy brush to keep your lines clean.
 - *For best results, remove the tape while the second coat is still tacky. If you decide to remove the tape after the paint has dried, you may want to use a craft knife and a straightedge to score the line before pulling the tape.*
9. Carefully replace the drawers into the dresser frame and screw the painted knobs back into the dresser to finish the look.

The BEFORE & AFTER...



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