

★★★ Difficulty level ★ easy ★★ moderate ★★★ challenging

Weekend DIY with Mark Rayner – 25

You will need:

- Clean cloth
- Damp sponge
- Filler
- Old wooden door
- Paintbrush
- Putty knife or similar for filling
- Resene Quick Dry
- Resene Lustacryl tinted to Resene Flourish
- Sandpaper
- Screwdriver
- Stiff-bristled brush



Step one

Take the door off its hinges. Remove any surface dust and dirt from the door and surround using a stiff-bristled brush.



Step two

Wipe down the door and surround with a damp sponge and allow to dry.



Step three

Fill any holes in the door and surround using an exterior filler. Allow to dry.



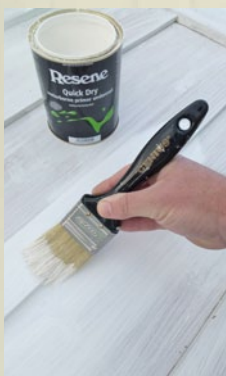
Step four

Sand the filled holes with sandpaper.



Step five

Wipe off any sanding residue with a clean cloth.



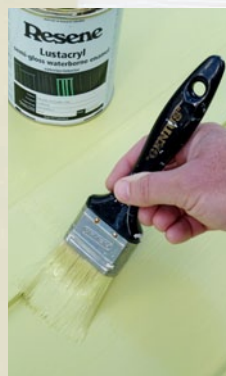
Step six

Apply one coat of Resene Quick Dry to the door and surround and allow two hours to dry.



Step seven

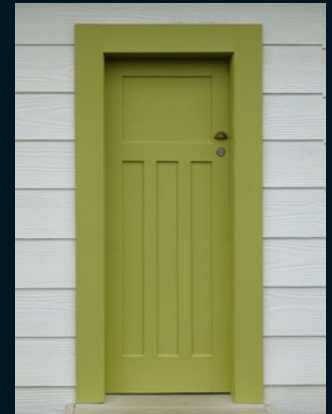
Apply one coat of Resene Lustacryl to the door and surround, and allow two hours to dry.



Step eight

Apply a second coat of Resene Lustacryl to the door and surround. Allow to dry and re-hang the door.

Give a tired old front door a fresh new lease of life with a little bit of help from Resene.



To get the look:

Mark painted the surrounding wall with Resene Lumbersider tinted to Resene Black White.



Other ideas:

For a darker, more traditional green try Resene Lustacryl tinted to Resene Black Forest.

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