

Fun and Functional Kids Bathroom

The key thing to remember in a kids bathroom is you need to let your imagination do the work. Plus let the kids be a part of the design process and you're sure to end up with a great kid's bathroom.



Kid-friendly

The thing to remember in designing a kids bathroom is it has to be, functional. Make sure the right features are in place so the children will be able to use the space. Mount towel bars low enough for the smallest child to reach.

Install a one-hand faucet; they are easier for a child to use. Use baskets for storing their toiletries.

A pocket door is one way to save space and add the appearance of more room. Other idea for making room is a pull-out stool under the vanity and store the stool when not in use.

Most homes have a **tub and shower combination** it generally works the best. If the children are young you may want to use a shower curtain and add sliding glass doors later. Adding a rail that the showerhead can slide up and down will make the shower a perfect fit for all adjusting they grow.

Décor

Ages will have a large influence on the décor of the bathroom. Using a generic décor will end the need for change for several years.

Choose quality furnishings that can be **repainted** for a new look. Choose specialty hardware in fun shapes to match your decorating theme.

Create an adventure — complete with bright accessories. Both boys and girls will enjoy the look and it gives an opportunity for lots of color, funky designs and individual creativity. Use plain tiles and **add your own creative ideas** for a completely individual look.

Let the children have some say in the paint and accessories color selection and furnishings of the bathroom. It will give them a sense of pride and ownership of the space. Enjoy the time together in making the bathroom wonderful.

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