

8 things you can do to create a wet bar feel in your home with minimal effort



Entertaining at home has become the new going out, and to create the same feel as our favorite bar, we've turned our attention inwards and have started getting creative with DIY wet bars to host our guests. Whether it's the festive season or the balmy summer months, a home bar, no matter how big or small, is a welcome little addition to your living room or dining area that can bring that touch of class.

You don't need a fully installed all-singing, all-dancing [wet bar](#) either, a drinks cabinet or a space with installed plumbing. Sometimes, just the suggestion of a wet bar can add that feeling of elegance and sophistication to your home and help create a cozy feel to the space. Think floating shelves above an existing kitchen cabinet or a beautifully placed tray containing brassware and beautiful bottles on a countertop.

Read on for our tips for creating a wet bar mood in any unused corner of the home.

3. THINK ABOUT THE DECOR



If you're creating the home bar feel in a small corner of a room, it all comes down to decor. Handmade bowls, beautiful [glassware](#), a beautiful shaker, appetizer plates, crystal champagne glasses, or cocktail napkins make for beautiful [console table decor ideas](#) and are all items you can use to reinforce the idea that this is a designated bar area.

'Let the bottles and other items like fresh lemons, limes, rosemary, and pomegranates be your decor,' says Kristin Bartone, creative director and principal designer of [Bartone Interiors](#). 'Fresh is always best! Add a rosemary plant, oranges with cloves, and other fresh fruits that add color and are edible and functional for the space. This is a sustainable approach by using edible decor. Whatever doesn't get used can be juiced or composted the next day.'