

The Small Bedroom Makeover Planner

Measure, Budget and Plan a Makeover That Fits a Tiny Room

1. Measure Your Room First

Write each measurement down before you shop, so nothing arrives too big.

What to measure	Your number	Why it matters
Room width and length		Plan the walkway around the bed
Bed clearance (floor to bed frame)		Under-bed bins need 7 in or more
Wall space behind the bed		Wallpaper, panels or frames
Window width and ceiling height		Curtain rod and panel length
Door gap at the top		Over-door racks need about 2 mm
Nearest outlet to the bed		Sconces and string lights

2. Set a Budget and Pick Your Priorities

Idea	Budget	Priority (1 to 3)	Done?
Under-bed storage			
Wall sconces or lighting			
Mirror			
Accent wall or headboard			
Bedding and curtains			
Rug			
Total			

- Spend first on storage and light, then on decor.
- Set aside a small buffer for hooks, anchors and tape.

3. Suggested Makeover Order

- Declutter and clear the floor.
- Add storage: under-bed bins, door hooks or a bench.
- Fix the light: sconces or string lights.

- Add one focal point: accent wall, mirror or headboard.
- Layer soft things: bedding, curtains and a rug.
- Finish with frames and a plant.

4. Renter Checklist

- Read the lease for rules on nails, paint and wallpaper.
- Test peel and stick on a hidden spot for a few days.
- Use a stud or wall anchors for anything that holds weight.
- Keep the receipts so you can return what does not fit.