

Solution two

The designer



Perri Ash has worked for Willbond Bathrooms for seven years and has a passion for interiors and a commitment to using her creative flair to produce beautiful rooms.



Perri began her design with a natural, calming theme in mind. "By using a turquoise and green colour palette," she says, "I thought we could create a soothing room but also give it a cool, fresh, uplifting feel."

Despite the room being on the small side, Perri wanted to make sure a WC and basin were both included, not only for the Richardsons and Joy's mother Pam to use but also for any visiting guests. "A dramatic look was needed to turn the ex-cloakroom into a wow-factor wetroom," explains Perri. "Parcel-Thin large-format art tiles were chosen to create a captivating focal point and, while this piece of art dominates one wall, the image is beautifully calm and natural. With today's digital printing techniques, almost any image can be reproduced onto these tiles. The WC is a Duravit SensoWash wall-hung model – a hygienic shower toilet, which is a combined WC/bidet with remote control, heated seat and night light."

Impey wetroom tanking has been used over the entire floor, together with underfloor heating to ensure a warm, cosy feel at all times. A modern Bisque Archibald heated towel rail has also been included.

"We would build a half-height stud wall," adds Perri, "and use a Kohler wetroom glass panel to help enclose the shower. Although we are creating a wetroom, it is always a good idea to give some protection to help stop water escaping. This glass panel ensures the natural light from the window reaches the entire room."

Taking centre stage within the wetroom is a large Crosswater deluge ceiling shower with integrated

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LED lights, while a recessed Keuco integrated mirrored cabinet has been used above a curvaceous Utopia Symmetry unit to give a modern yet natural look. The added storage also helps to keep the room clutter-free.

A selection of large-format tiles, Mermaid acrylic panels in Mist and Accord Ice Cube mosaics have been used to zone areas, emphasising tones and textures. Perri has also used LED lighting, mirrors, glass and high-gloss reflective surfaces to help bounce light around the room as well as letting in as much natural light as possible. "This all adds to the wow factor," she concludes, "so the family can smile every time they use the room and also make visitors green with envy!"

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The specifications

Shower, wet floor tanking and screen	£5500
WC, frame and cistern	£2500
Basin unit, mirrored unit and mixer	£3300
Heated towel rail and accessories	£1425
Tiles and acrylic panels	£4560
Lighting	£600

Total	£17,885
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The verdict

"We are really spoilt for choice!" says Joy. "This solution gives us a whole new perspective on what can be achieved in a small space. We really like the idea of the digital print tiles and have some holiday photos in mind for this already. I like the storage options with the curved basin cabinet and niche behind the WC. And speaking of that, I had no idea such a high-tech toilet existed! This wetroom would really impress our guests."

