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# Bedroom flooring ideas – 10 new design trends to add both comfort and style

Bedroom flooring ideas to update your decor, from classic carpet and rugs, to on-trend hardwood and tiles

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Out of all the floors in your home, your bedroom floors are quite possibly the most important choice you'll make. The best bedroom flooring ideas need to get that all-important balance between looking great and also feeling lovely and adding warmth underfoot. We know all the trends right now lean towards hard surfaces, clean lines, and keeping things minimal, but if you're going to embrace softness and comfort anywhere, the bedroom is the place to do it.

So what are the options? Well, they are endless really and range from classic wool carpet to more unusual options like tile (don't knock it till you've seen it), so choosing the perfect bedroom flooring is mostly about your style and how you use your space. Is your bedroom not a particularly high-traffic area and do you want that really soft luxurious feel underfoot? Or would you rather stick with the classic hardwood/rug combo? Do you want your flooring to bring in color and pattern, or more to just sit quietly in the background?

Whatever your vibe, we've pulled together plenty of [modern bedroom ideas](#) to get you inspired.

## IS CARPET OR HARDWOOD BEST IN A BEDROOM?

This depends on the look you are after and how you use the space too. If the bedroom is a really high-traffic space in your home, say a [kid's bedroom](#), carpet might not be the best flooring option, and they can be tricky to clean, so hardwood would be a clear winner. You can always throw down a rug for comfort. Equally hardwood (or hardwood look a likes) lends itself well to more minimalist or rustic styles and you know it's a classic look that's never going to date and can adapt if your tastes change too. And if you are considering underfloor heating hardwood flooring works best.

Ah but carpets. Nothing beats the squishy feel of a carpet in a bedroom. And as we've said if you're going for carpet anywhere in your house the bedroom is the place to do it. Carpet will add extra warmth, it reduces noise and it's often cheaper than hardwood options.

## WHICH COLOR FLOORING IS BEST FOR A BEDROOM?

'A neutral color palette is best suited to rooms you spend a lot of time in, such as a bedroom or living room, where relaxing tones are key to creating a happy space. Neutrals are versatile with the ability to provide a platform and set the scene.' explains Lisa Conway, Marketing Manager at [Brintons](#).

'The texture of the carpet is key to preventing a neutral scheme from looking dull. An alternative flooring like wood or tiles can make a room feel stark and bare, whereas a soft woven wool carpet, layered with accessories in cashmere, mohair and linen will all work to soften a look and create an inviting scheme.'