

HINTS FOR HOMEOWNERS

A New Decor Can Be Just A Click Away

(NAPSA)—Now, with several new home technologies, decorators and do-it-yourselfers can shop for the home—in the comfort of home! Here are a few tips to make the most of the at-home shopping experience:

Browse Around. Read up on decor and design trends. Check out magazine Web sites to get up to speed on what's new and hip to stay on top of the trends. More of a visual learner? Browse design blogs and sites to get inspiration for the look of your room.

Picture This. Use a digital camera to take photos of the space you're shopping for or pull online images and save them in a folder titled with the name of your project for easy access. These can serve as your inspiration while you are browsing online and be a great reference to help you focus on your theme and plan for the room.

Digital Decorating. Try using a photo-editing computer program to alter existing room shots. Take digital pictures and change the color of furniture or walls to visualize how the room might look in different shades and hues.

Plan It Out. Having trouble putting it all together? There are several room planners available online that can help you conceptualize the look of the room—and make sure everything will fit. For



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example, the La-Z-Boy room planner lets you customize your own blueprint for the room. Online room planners may have options to upload digital pictures, colors and swatches to get a clear picture of the whole room put together.

Online Offerings. Several home furnisheers are now online selling customizable furniture over the Web. La-Z-Boy offers the option to purchase select reclin-

ers, sofas and chairs online with the support of the local La-Z-Boy Furniture Galleries. This is just one more convenience for the customer who wants to take advantage of all the Internet has to offer and who prefers to shop from home!

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