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DECOR TIPS ON A DIME

on Their Minds

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Why We Love...
replacements.com
Our source for filling in missing tabletop pieces (it stocks 342,000-plus patterns!), Replacements also makes damaged goods, such as garbage disposal-mangled forks, look like new

FINE PRINT

MAKE IT!

This just in: wall-art-worthy silhouettes made with newspaper and paint. To DIY, find shapes you like online (search for "free clip art"). Trace each outline onto a sheet of acetate; cut it out with an X-Acto knife. Spray the back with low-tack spray mount; place it on the paper, sticky side down. Thinly and evenly coat with matte-black spray paint. Let dry, then carefully peel off the acetate. Use black frames with white mats to make your prints pop.

Try This Trend



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HOUNDSTOOTH

Named for its resemblance to a dog's tooth, this versatile pattern is easier to incorporate than plaid, yet a step up from standard checks.

- Black, white, and shapely, **Room & Board's club chair** (left, \$900) will be your sofa's new best friend—and your favorite spot to curl up in
- With its oversize update on the print, Blissliving Home's **rose linen pillow** (left, \$75) can add whimsy and punch to a neutral chair
- In2Green's **throw** (top right, \$105) comes in six hues (wisteria, avocado, and slate blue are shown) to match nearly any space's color scheme
- For a subtle touch, try Etsy's laser-cut **bamboo coasters** (middle right, \$30 for four)
- Quickly class up a bathroom with crisp **bath accessories** (bottom right, \$25 each) in durable resin from Kohl's



Large and small prints play nicely together

