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Female-founded Block Design began in 2000. Company owner Tara Ashe now leads a team of creatives, designing and making products with depth and authenticity. Based in Cornwall, UK, the Block studio is a collaborative hub of creativity and colour.

This year we received certification as a **B Corporation**, joining a growing group of companies reinventing business by pursuing purpose as well as profit. We have been certified as having met rigorous social and environmental standards which represent our commitment to goals outside of shareholder profit.

As part of **1% For The Planet** we are also committed to donating 1% of our annual sales to environmental organizations.

We stock many of the world's most prestigious museum and gallery gift stores. We also pride ourselves on appearing in independent and multiple retailers internationally alongside other industry brand leaders.

We have two distinctive collections - each designed to inspire creativity and spark joy.

ColorLab celebrates the interaction of colour and material. Every piece allows the user to experience the joy of colour in their home.

Idle Hands is designed for users to build, create and be mindful, a range of beautiful design-inspired puzzles, games and creative tools.

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NEW - PABLO GLASS WATERING CAN

Abstract shapes and bold colours are combined to ensure your plants are watered in style. Divided into three distinctive parts, the sculptural watering can displays beautiful exaggerated curves. Rich in color and composition, the design creates a striking piece for the home once plants have been tended to.



DIMENSIONS 10 x 7.8 x 5.5 inches | 255 x 198 x 140 mm

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NEW - LARGE GLASS PABLO JUG

Our sculptural jug displays beautiful exaggerated curves, divided into three distinctive parts. Rich in color and composition, the design also acts as a unique vase once the drinks have been served. The design is also available in a smaller size, great for serving milk or sauces.



DIMENSIONS 7.5 x 6.5 x 5.5 inches | 192 x 167 x 140 mm

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NEW - SMALL GLASS PABLO JUG

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DIMENSIONS 4.3 x 5 x 3.6 inches | 110 x 127 x 92 mm

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BUBBLE GLASS VASES MINI

Our Mini Bubble Vase sits neatly in the palm of your hand, as you choose the perfect spot for the charming tiny vessel. The reversible design creates a charming vessel for favourite florals, from a single bud to a pleasing posy. The vase also makes a sweet incense stick holder.



DIMENSIONS dia 2.1 x 1.9 inches | dia 55 x 49 mm

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BUBBLE GLASS VASES MEDIUM

Our new Bubbles Vases add an organic softness to our glass collection. Use the globe vase one way for a bouquet or turn over to create a single stem vase. Handcrafted from borosilicate laboratory glass.



DIMENSIONS dia 5.5 x 4.9 inches | dia 140 x 125 mm

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REVERSIBLE GLASS VASE

The perfect vessel for arranging your favourite florals, from a single bud to a full bouquet. A beautiful geometric object whether filled or empty. Use one way for a full arrangement or flip to create a single stem vase. The dual-purpose vase allows you to make the most of your bouquet. As flowers start to fade, flip the vase and breathe new life into the remaining stems.



DIMENSIONS dia 3.14 x 94 inches | dia 80 x 240 mm

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SMALL REVERSIBLE GLASS VASE

The perfect vessel to arrange short stem florals, from a single bud to a bunch of wildflowers. As with the large version, the Small Reversible Glass Vase offers two coloured vases in one, designed to let creativity flourish. The smaller size makes a beautiful table centre piece when arranged in a set. They are also designed to sit neatly on the windowsill, celebrating foraged flowers.



DIMENSIONS dia 2.5 x 4 inches | dia 65 x 100 mm

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DUO TONE CANDLESTICK HOLDER

The perfect pedestal for creative candlesticks. Candlesticks sit snugly in the centre whilst the glass dish base neatly catches wax as it melts.
Handcrafted from borosilicate laboratory glass.



DIMENSIONS dia 1.8 x 2.8 x 2.8 inches | dia 70 x 45 mm

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GLASS INCENSE STICK HOLDER

The perfect pedestal for watching your incense burn. Incense is suspended securely in place whilst the glass dish base neatly catches ash as it burns. Handcrafted from borosilicate laboratory glass.



DIMENSIONS dia 2.7 x 1.5 inches | dia 70 x 40 mm

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CANDLESTICK - MEDIUM AND TALL

Elevate your tablespace with our elegant glass candlestick holder. Create ambience in your home whilst keeping candles securely in place.
Handcrafted from borosilicate laboratory glass.



TALL dia 2.7 x 5.9 inches | dia 70 x 150 mm
MED dia 2.7 x 4.7 inches | dia 70 x 120 mm

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DUO TONE CARAFE

Perfect for the dining table, desk or bedside, our dual colour carafe features a lid that also acts as a drinking glass. Handcrafted from Borosilicate Laboratory Glass.



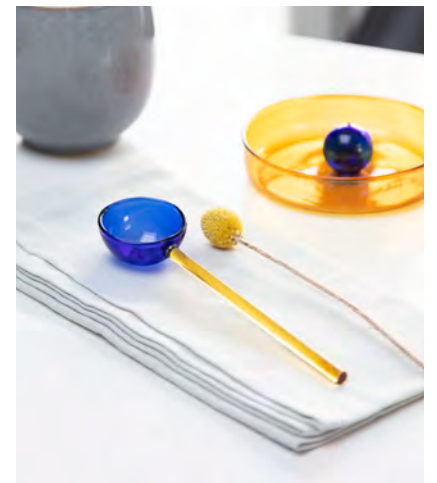
DIMENSIONS dia 3.15 x 10.2 inches | dia 80 x 260 mm

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DUO TONE SPOON

Food-grade spoons, handcrafted from borosilicate laboratory glass. Perfect for spices, stirring your favourite drink or simply for display, our sculptural spoons bring colour and design to the table.



DIMENSIONS 5.9 x 0.6 inches | 150 x 15 mm

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BUBBLE DISH

Handmade borosilicate glass dish available in 2 sizes. Perfect for the dining table, desk or bedside, our dish features a playful bubble around which to arrange snacks, stationery or jewellery.



MED dia 5.9 x 0.8 inches | dia 150 x 20 mm
SMALL dia 3.9 x 0.8 inches | dia 100 x 20 mm



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games and creative tools.



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NEW - RAINBOW PLAYING CARDS

Fan our joyful deck of cards to reveal a watercolour rainbow.
Make your opponent smile with the cheerful design.
On the reverse, enjoy playful hand drawn suits in a rainbow-inspired palette.



BOX DIMENSIONS 5.11 x 3.9 x 1.37 inches | 130 x 100 x 35 mm

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GRADIENT DOMINOES

Set of 28 handpainted wooden dominoes.
Enjoy a picture perfect game with our colour wheel inspired wooden dominoes.
Or create the dream domino rally to animate our gorgeous gradient.



BOX DIMENSIONS 3.6 x 1.4 x 9.4 inches | 93 x 35 x 24 mm

IDLE HANDS



GRADIENT TOWER

Watch the gradient evolve as the classic game of patience unfolds. Take turns to remove blocks, placing them on top of the tower. The colours interact beautifully as the tower builds. The player who makes the tower tumble is out of the game. Then it's time to rebuild and place beautifully upon a shelf. Available in warm or cool colours.



BOX DIMENSIONS 3.2 x 3.2 x 10.2 inches | 82 x 82 x 260 mm

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GRADIENT SOLITAIRE

Embrace colour theory whilst honing your problem solving skills with this classic game. Use the colour wheel formation as a starting point, or make the palette your own. Enjoy watching how the colours interact and relate to each other.



BOX DIMENSIONS 8.1 x 8.1 x 0.7 inches | 206 x 206 x 20 mm

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GRADIENT PLAYING CARDS

Embrace colour theory whilst challenging your opponent to a game of cards. Each suit is a different hue, enjoy watching how the colours interact and relate to each other as the game unfolds.



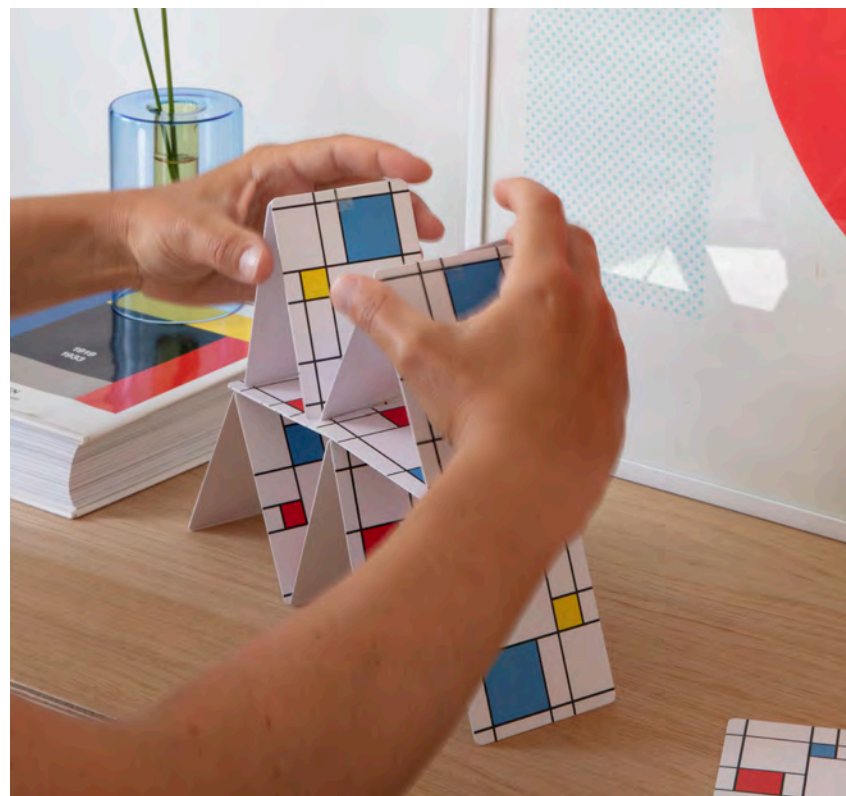
BOX DIMENSIONS 5.11 x 3.9 x 1.37 inches | 130 x 100 x 35 mm

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HAUS OF CARDS

Design and build your own modernist masterpiece with our set of playing cards. Our set of 52 playing cards features an addictive design that will inspire you to keep constructing and grow the print card by card. Once you have completed this challenge it's time for the game of your choice.



BOX DIMENSIONS 5.11 x 3.9 x 1.37 inches | 130 x 100 x 35 mm

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PIET, THE ARTISTS MANNEQUIN

A graphic refresh of a cult classic, Piet has been hand-painted with an iconic modernist palette. The wooden figure is adjustable, helping you to perfect life drawing poses and angles. When you're finished sketching, style Piet to suit your space and enjoy a modernist sculpture in your home.



BOX DIMENSIONS 2.9 x 2.9 x 13.3 inches | 75 x 75 x 340 mm

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GRADIENT NEWTON'S CRADLE

A colourful take on an iconic design.
Invite balance and calm into your workspace. Enjoy the interaction of the colour gradient as the pendulum swings.



BOX DIMENSIONS 6.7 x 6.6 x 5.1 inches | 170 x 168 x 130 mm

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HAUS TILES

Create and construct your own modernist sculpture with our set of Haus Tiles.

Our set of 48 interlocking tiles will release your inner architect and inspire the next mini modernist masterpiece.



BOX DIMENSIONS
6.5 x 4.7 x 1.57 inches | 165 x 120 x 40 mm



BLOCK PICK UP STICKS

Once the game of patience is won, take a mindful moment to re-model our sculptural wooden sticks and stand. The beautifully designed object sits elegantly on display until it's time for a rematch.

Enjoy creating different patterns with the coloured sticks, inspired by an iconic modernist palette.



BOX DIMENSIONS
3.15 x 1.18 x 11 inches | 80 x 30 x 280 mm

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GRADIENT SKETCHING PENCILS

Our pencil sets use a light to dark colour palette to guide the user through the graphite grades. They encourage exploration of drawing styles and techniques, from fine and precise to soft and free.

Each palette was selected from a single Pantone swatch card to create a smooth and subtle gradient. The colours allow the user to quickly locate the required graphite grade without interrupting creative flow.

The set of 6 FSC wood pencils include the following grades: 2H, HB, B, 2B, 4B, 6B. Our pencils are proudly made by a British manufacturer with a 100 year history of crafting stationery.



BOX DIMENSIONS 7 x 2.7 x 0.7 inches | 180 x 70 x 18 mm

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