

Create your own colour scheme

Roof

Depending on pitch and design, the roof may be an important part of your colour scheme. Remember the roof is the most exposed to the elements so choose a durable colour to keep it looking its best for longer. Resene Summit Roof (satin) or Resene Hi-Glo (gloss) is ideal. See the Resene Roof systems colour chart for colour ideas. Consider using a Resene CoolColour to minimise heat buildup.



Cedar

Weatherboards

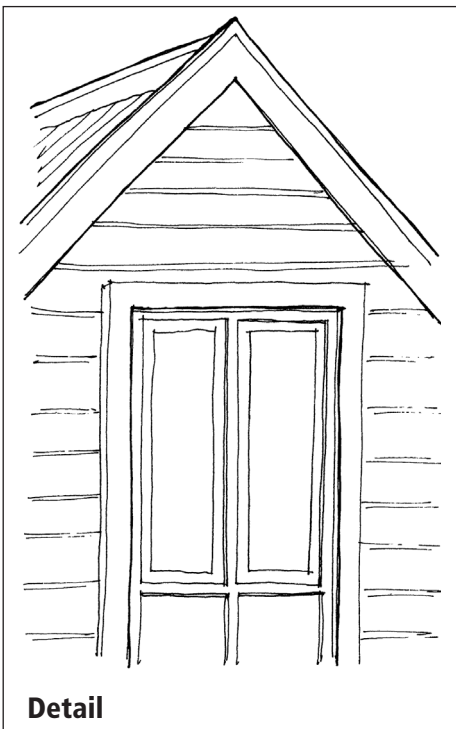
This style of house often has stained weatherboards. Resene Waterborne Woodsman is the ideal stained finish and is available in a wide colour range - see the Resene Woodsman colour chart for colour ideas. For solid colour paint finishes use Resene Hi-Glo (gloss), Resene Sonyx 101 (semi-gloss) or Resene Lumbersider (satin).

Windows and doors

Windows may be painted in a different colour to the weatherboards or to match - with the opening ones contrasting. Use Resene Enamacryl (gloss waterborne enamel), Resene Lustacryl (semi-gloss waterborne enamel) or Resene SpaceCote Low Sheen (waterborne enamel).

Trim

Bargeboards, windowsills and fascias may be painted or stained the same colour as the weatherboards or 'picked out' in a contrasting colour.



Detail

Build your scheme by adding swatches of your favourite Resene colours to the boxes. Or try out Resene EzyPaint virtual painting software and see your favourite Resene colours virtually painted onto your own project. Resene EzyPaint is available free from the Resene website or may be borrowed or purchased from Resene ColorShops and resellers.