

Splash zone

With generous storage and room to move, this bathroom is perfect for a large family.

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BATHROOM design notes

WALL TILES 'Savona White' porcelain tiles, Surface Gallery.

FLOOR TILES 'Di Marmo 12' terrazzo porcelain tiles, Surface Gallery.

FEATURE TILES Handmade tiles in London Gloss, Surface Gallery.

JOINERY ADP 'Ashley' vanity in Matte Milton Moon Grey, The Blue Space.

HARDWARE Brushed Brass handles, The Blue Space.

BENCHTOP 'Excite', The Blue Space.

BASIN ADP 'Lino' above counter Basin in Gloss White, Reece.

BATH Posh 'Solus' back-to-wall freestanding bath, Reece.

TAPWARE Brodware 'City Plus' wall set and mixer diverter, shower rose and arm and hand shower in Brushed Nordic Brass, both Sydney Tap and Bathroomware.

TOWEL RAILS Brodware 'Brolife' single towel rail in Brushed Nordic Brass, Sydney Tap and Bathroomware.

LIGHTING Duomo 'Stem' wall light in Aged Brass, Nightworks Studio.

Wanting a space that fits all their requirements as busy parents, these owners recruited Ioanna Lennox Interiors to design a functional yet beautiful bathroom. Dividing the space into a wet zone, comprising the shower and freestanding bath, and a dry zone, the vanity, allowed for ample space and storage. "The result was a bathroom that feels spacious and luxurious but is robust enough for three children to play and splash in," says creative director Ioanna Lennox. Mixing modern classical and contemporary styles, the warm, neutral palette of the home continues through the main bathroom, enhanced by the curved fixtures and appliances. "The soft greys combine into a calming backdrop for the brass tapware to shine as the jewellery of this bathroom," she adds. [ioanna Lennox Interiors, ioannalennox.com](http://ioannalennox.com).

What was the brief for this bathroom? While our clients wanted this bathroom to be serene and beautiful, it firstly had to tick all their boxes: it needed to have both a separate bath and shower (ideally a walk-in shower), the bath had to be big enough to bathe two kids at the same time, and it had to have enough storage for all the children's toiletries and small bath toys.

Were there any challenges along the way? The main challenge was fitting in a separate large bath and walk-in shower and repositioning the toilet on the entry wall behind the door.

What do you love about this space? The choice of materials, fixtures and fittings is what makes this bathroom special – from the hand-cut feature gloss tiles on the back wall to the large-format floor terrazzo tiles in soft greys, punctuated by the brushed brass tapware.