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## Put up a panel

If the thought of re-tiling your whole bathroom seems time-consuming, then waterproof wall panelling is perhaps the solution. While tiling over existing tiles is not advisable, wall panels can easily be installed over old tiles. And, happily, there will be no grouting to clean. Showerwall's new Infinity collection includes 14 designs including Whispering Grass Metallic, priced from £91.20 per sq m. **0845 604 7334 or [www.showerwall.co.uk](http://www.showerwall.co.uk)**



## Wonder walls

Wallpaper has crept into wet areas of the home, softening stark white sanitaryware and creating a space that serves as somewhere to relax as well as freshen up. Our favourite is Wall&decò's collection of non-woven fibres with a layer of vinyl applied to the surface, making them suitable for all walls in the bathroom, including inside showers or around bathtubs. Shown (left) is Inner Forest, available at West One Bathrooms for £156 per sq m.

For the more adventurous among you, think outside the box with Kaleido leather tiles by Massimo Brancati for Studioart (below). While the leather is not 100% water-resistant, it can be used in the bathroom for surfaces that don't come in constant contact with water. Available at Rubelli, Kaleido is priced around £945 per sq m.

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020 7349 1590 or [www.rubelli.com](http://www.rubelli.com)**



## For the love of laminate

Much has changed in the world of laminate flooring thanks to improved print and production processes, which allow for a more authentic imitation of natural materials. Laminate is about more than just looks, though. Simple to install, it requires very little maintenance and is a great option for homes on a budget. Although not necessarily the first choice for bathrooms, its slip-resistant properties make it a good option. Leading by example is the Finesse collection from £95 per pack from Frontline Bathrooms (right).

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