Sofa Colour Palette Cheat Sheet

Effortlessly blend your charcoal upholstery with warm, grounding tones.

Balance the visual weight of a dark grey sofa using this specific combination of warm tones and textures. Use these exact material pairings to create a cozy, inviting envelope.



Your Palette Values

70-82 LRV
Warm alabaster walls; check room light

18 in
Light oak lifts room; table clearance

50x60 in min
Cream knit cuts mass; throw size

Two 20-in
Cognac cuts cool grey; pillow size

6 in
Matte brass adds glow; lamp distance

2700K
LEDs enhance golden tones; bulb temp

Styling Your Warm Colour Scheme

1. **Soften the walls** Choose paint with subtle yellow or beige undertones to gently soften the foundational transition.
2. **Lift the room** Introduce organic warmth with elevated bases and open designs to prevent a bottom-heavy seating area.
3. **Cut visual mass** Drape a chunky layer over one arm to physically break up the dense, dark upholstery block.
4. **Inject cognac warmth** Position smooth leather materials at opposite corners to bounce ambient glow and counteract the cool fabric.
5. **Add subtle glow** Position a brushed metal floor lamp slightly out from the corner to reflect warm light.

Position for Balance

Place your smooth cognac pillows at opposite corners to actively counteract the cool grey across the entire seating zone, bringing the charcoal fabric to life.

Adapt To Your Space

Find your row: **Your current furniture**

Your current furniture	Your pick	Why
Sofa has dark legs	Swap for light oak bases	Prevents a gloomy, bottom-heavy seating area.
Using heavy block tables	Replace with open table designs	Maintains comfortable flow around the furniture.
Wood accents are grey ash	Switch to light golden oak	Grey ash amplifies chilly upholstery tones.

Your Palette Elements

- [ ] Warm alabaster paint with yellow or beige undertones
- [ ] Elevated light oak accent chairs or coffee tables
- [ ] Chunky cream knit throw blanket for the sofa arm
- [ ] Smooth-finish square cognac leather pillows
- [ ] Matte brass floor lamp to reflect warm light
- [ ] Warm white LED bulbs for your brass fixtures

Check Before You Buy

- ◯ Check your paint samples onsite for subtle yellow or beige undertones.
- ◯ Measure your seating zone to ensure clearance for open table designs.
- ◯ Check your fixture packaging for the correct LED bulb base size.
- ◯ Verify your wood accents are golden, avoiding cool grey ash timber.

Room Measurements & Notes

Enjoy your beautifully balanced, warm, and inviting living space!