

CLAUDE CODE

AI ROOM REDESIGN

How to Redesign Any Room in 30 Seconds Using Claude + Banana

Setup in 3 Steps • Stunning Photo-Realistic Results
7 Copy-Paste Prompts • Works on Any Room

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Claude Code Can Now Redesign Rooms

You can now redesign an entire room without hiring an expensive designer. Snap a photo of your space, feed it to Claude, and get back photo-realistic redesigns in about 30 seconds.

The trick is a combo: Claude Code plus a free skill called Banana that connects Claude to Google's image generation model. Once you have it set up, you can reshape any room, swap furniture, change the color palette, or test out a totally new style before spending a dollar.

WHAT YOU WILL NEED

1. The Claude desktop app (or Claude Code in your terminal)
2. A Claude Pro, Max, Team, or Enterprise plan
3. A free Google account to grab an AI Studio API key
4. A photo of the room you want to redesign

WHY THIS WORKS SO WELL

The Banana skill teaches Claude how to write the exact kind of prompts that Google's image model needs to produce clean, realistic interiors. You describe the vibe in plain English. Claude handles the heavy lifting under the hood.

Setup in 3 Easy Steps

Follow these in order. The whole thing takes about two minutes. You only do this setup once.

1

Install the Banana Skill

Go to Google and search "**Banana Skill Claude**". Click the first link and copy the URL from your address bar.

THEN IN CLAUDE:

Open the Claude desktop app, click the **Code** tab, paste the link into the chat, and type:

"Install this skill."

2

Grab a Free Google AI Studio API Key

Head to **aistudio.google.com** and sign in with your Google account. Click **API Keys** in the left sidebar, hit **Create API Key**, and copy the key.

THEN IN CLAUDE:

Paste your API key into the same chat and say:

"Set this up."

KEEP YOUR KEY PRIVATE

Do not share your API key publicly or post it anywhere. If you ever accidentally expose it, go back to AI Studio and revoke it. Generating a new one takes ten seconds.

3

Redesign Your First Room

Drag a photo of your room into the Claude chat. Then type **/banana** and describe what you want.

TRY THIS FIRST:

"/banana redesign this room like a professional interior designer. Make it feel modern and inviting."

Claude will generate a photo-realistic redesign of your room in about 30 seconds. From there you can ask it to change anything. Swap the sofa. Try a different color palette. Add a rug. Move the TV to a different wall. Each follow up gives you a new version.

QUICK CHECK

If you type **/banana** and it does not recognize the command, the skill did not install cleanly. Go back to step 1 and paste the link again. The slash command only appears once the skill is active.

7 Prompts That Actually Work

These are my go-to prompts for different rooms and styles. Copy them exactly and just swap in details about your own space.

1. The Dreamy Living Room

A warm, lived-in vibe that still feels curated. Great for photos that already have a sofa you want to keep.

COPY THIS PROMPT:

"/banana Redesign my living room with a warm, modern organic style. Soft beige and cream tones, a low-profile linen couch, bouclé accent chair, travertine coffee table, and a big arched floor lamp. Add an oversized abstract art piece above the couch. Keep the existing windows. Make it feel like a boutique hotel."

2. The Japandi Bedroom

Minimal, quiet, and deeply restful. Works especially well for small bedrooms that feel cluttered.

COPY THIS PROMPT:

"/banana Transform this bedroom into a Japandi style sanctuary. Low platform bed in oak, white linen bedding, paper pendant lamp, small wabi-sabi ceramic vase, and a single piece of black ink wall art. Strip out everything unnecessary. The room should feel calm and intentional."

3. The Dream Home Office

Designed for people who actually work from home all day. Focus on light, storage, and a setup that does not hurt your back.

COPY THIS PROMPT:

"/banana Redesign this as a high-end home office built for 8 hour work days. Walnut standing desk facing the window, an ergonomic mesh chair, built-in shelving with a mix of books and design objects, warm task lighting, and one leather lounge chair in the corner for reading. Keep it masculine and grounded."

4. The Rental-Friendly Kitchen

Most of us cannot knock down a wall. This prompt focuses on changes that are all surface level but make a huge visual difference.

COPY THIS PROMPT:

"/banana Give this kitchen a full makeover without any structural changes. Paint the cabinets deep forest green, swap the hardware for brass, add a natural stone backsplash, hang two matte black pendant lights over the counter, and style the shelves with a ceramic vase, a cutting board, and a plant. Keep the existing appliances."

5. The Small Apartment Glow Up

For tiny spaces where every inch has to work. Claude gets creative with zoning and multi-use furniture.

COPY THIS PROMPT:

"/banana Redesign this studio apartment to make it feel twice as big. Create distinct zones for sleeping, working, and relaxing without adding walls. Use a light and airy color palette, a sleeper sofa, a round dining table that doubles as a desk, tall bookshelves along one wall, and layered rugs to define each space. Max vertical storage."

6. The Moody Dining Room

A dark, romantic dining space that feels like your favorite restaurant.

COPY THIS PROMPT:

"/banana Redesign this dining area to feel moody and cinematic. Charcoal painted walls, a long live-edge wooden table, black leather dining chairs, a sculptural brass chandelier, and a large gold-framed mirror on one wall. Add candles and a moody still-life painting. Dim and intimate lighting."

7. The Show Me Three Versions Trick

Whenever you are not sure what style you want, ask Claude to pitch you three at once. This one is a game changer.

COPY THIS PROMPT:

"/banana Give me three completely different redesigns of this room. One modern minimalist, one warm mid-century, one moody and dark. Keep the existing floor and windows in every version. For each, tell me the vibe in one sentence before showing the image."

Pro Moves to Get Better Results

The difference between a generic redesign and a stunning one is in the details you give Claude. A few things I have learned from running this hundreds of times:

- **Name the feeling, not just the style.** *"Feels like a Parisian apartment"* beats *"modern"* every time. Claude gets way better results from emotional language.
- **Tell it what to keep.** If you love your floors, your rug, or a specific piece of furniture, say it. Claude will design around what you already have instead of replacing it.
- **Describe the light.** *"South facing with tons of natural light"* or *"dim evening vibe"*. Lighting changes the entire mood of the render.
- **Reference a real place.** *"Like a Soho House lounge"* or *"a Muji store"* or *"a Santorini villa"*. Anchors Claude to a concrete visual.
- **Always iterate.** The first render is a starting point, never the final answer. Ask for one change at a time. *"Now make the sofa green."* *"Now add more plants."*
- **Ask for the shopping list.** Once you love a design, type *"List every piece of furniture and decor you used with approximate prices and where I could buy each."* You get a plug-and-play shopping plan.

MY FAVORITE PRO MOVE

After you generate a redesign, ask Claude to **"now show me the same room at night with the lamps on."** It recreates the exact same design but with evening lighting. You instantly see how the space feels at different times of day, which is something even a real designer cannot easily show you.

Beyond One Room

Once you have the workflow down, you can use it for a lot more than redesigning your own living room. A few ideas to steal:

- **Test before you buy** Thinking about a \$2,000 sofa? Drop a product photo into the chat and ask Claude to render it in your actual room. See if it fits the vibe before you commit.
- **Whole home redesign** Upload photos of every room at once and ask for a cohesive design language across the whole place. Claude will tie them together with shared materials and colors.
- **Stage a listing** Selling or renting? Ask Claude for neutral, buyer-friendly staging that makes the space feel larger and more inviting. Perfect for listing photos.
- **Pre-renovation preview** Planning to knock out a wall or redo a kitchen? Describe the change and Claude renders the result. You see the final vision before swinging a hammer.
- **Client work** If you do any interior work as a side hustle, this is basically an instant mood board generator. Use it to present options to clients in minutes instead of days.

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Stop dreaming about the room. Render it.