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MATERIAL MIX

- + Sienna European-oak engineered-timber flooring, Precision Flooring.
- + Walls painted Dulux Natural White, ceiling painted Dulux Vivid White. Metal details painted Resene Blast Grey 3.
- + Linen S-fold curtains with contrasting trim in Simple Studio Quay Colours 1&2.
- + Tartan rug, Robyn Cosgrove Rugs.
- + Vintage B&B Italia Carmaleonda sofa.
- + Arflex Botolo chair, Poliform.
- + Molteni D153.1 Gio Ponti occasional chair, Hub Furniture Lighting Living.
- + Classicon Bell coffee table, Anibou.



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DRAMA CLASS

7 The owners of this home, located on Sydney's Northern Beaches, asked for a reading room with an 'informal formality'. "We developed a pensive colour palette and the Tartan rug is a nod to traditional libraries," says Alexandra. Strong elements in the architecture, by Luigi Rosselli Architects, are balanced by curvaceous contemporary furniture.

SMITTEN "It's the perfect escape for late-night entertaining or relaxing on the sofa," says Alexandra.

DESIGN INSIGHTS Contemporary furniture selections ensure the ambience stays playful, balancing the strong architecture of the vaulted ceiling and doors. The glass-paned steel doors slide shut to keep the peace without closing the room off from the rest of the house. ▶