



## TREES

There are plenty of alternatives to the traditional Christmas tree. No need to lop down a real one when you can get Melbourne designer Michael Frazzetto's eco-friendly Pop Trees (left). Made from partially recycled plastics, called Ecopanel, they feature pop-out baubles so you can mix and match between the white, orange and green. Each is 52cm tall and costs \$75 from Tongue and Groove, 84 Smith St, Collingwood, 9416 0349, [tongueandgroove.com.au](http://tongueandgroove.com.au)

If disposing of trees come new year is a hassle, Edible Blooms have a neat solution — edible trees made from individually wrapped chocolates (far left). Whether they last until Christmas Day is a matter of willpower. Prices start from \$79 from [edibleblooms.com](http://edibleblooms.com)

If a three-dimensional tree isn't your thing, the Wall Sticker Company has a range of decorations — including trees that, as their name suggests, are wall stickers (below left). "We use vinyl that is made for adhesion to internal, painted plasterboard walls, so they can be moved and removed without causing any damage. They stick gently and peel off easily," says company owner Fiona Gathercole. Most of their designs cost \$65 each and are available in almost 40 stores throughout Melbourne, but they can also custom make. [thewallstickercompany.com.au](http://thewallstickercompany.com.au)

Bosco Bear also have wall art Christmas trees, for \$89 (above centre), plus more traditional Christmas imagery, such as Santas and reindeers and a range for kids. [www.boscobear.com.au](http://www.boscobear.com.au)