



Above left: A smooth elliptical basin is juxtaposed with rough-hewn splashbacks and a sleek marble surface for a rich blend of contrasts

Above right: Stunning chocolate Napoleon marble tops the bath surround and adds a touch of luxury for soaking in style

Below: Wall-mounted sanitaryware featuring clean, simple lines is raised from the floor, thus helping to create a sense of space



tile strips that make up the basin splashbacks introduce a pleasing textural contrast. "My philosophy is that a bathroom should be functional and easy to maintain rather than overly pretty," Anthony says. "To create an airy space we made neutral, ageless choices with the materials so the glass, the marble and mirrors give a sense of light and space."

The generously proportioned shower enclosure is a bespoke design from CP Hart. Using a virtually frameless glass screen allows the basic footprint of the shower area to be large, yet it does not appear to encroach upon the space. Wall-mounted brassware has a simple elegance and smooth, bowl-style basins perch above the rich patina of the marble vanity unit tops. Storage is tucked away behind mirrors and in sleek cupboards below, and the units sit elevated above the floor to add a sense of space – a feature further enhanced by hidden low-level lighting. This subtle lighting also illuminates key areas and can be controlled separately from the main spots for use at night or simply for a softer ambiance when relaxing in the tub.

The overall effect of Anthony's design is an understated yet stylish haven. With 20 years' experience to his name, Anthony's mantra on design has been the key to his own success. "Style is timeless and it should inspire and enhance life. That's my brief to myself in all my work," he muses. **[KBB]**

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DESIGN

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BATHROOM

Bath Waltz steel bath from CP Hart (0845 600 1950 or www.cphart.co.uk)
Basins Stone Two oval washbowls from CP Hart, as before
WC and bidet Starck 2 by Duravit (www.duravit.co.uk) from CP Hart, as before
Taps MEM by Dornbracht (www.dornbracht.com) from CP Hart, as before
Shower tray Bettefloor by Bette (www.bette.de) from CP Hart, as before
Shower controls Starck by Hansgrohe (www.hansgrohe.co.uk) from CP Hart, as before
Shower enclosure Bespoke by CP Hart, as before
Towel rail QD heated towel rail from CP Hart, as before
Tiles World's End Tiles (020 7819 2100 or www.worldsendtiles.co.uk)
Marble Napoleon, Stone Productions (020 8871 9257 or www.stoneproductions.co.uk)
Lighting John Cullen Lighting (020 7371 5400 or www.johncullenlighting.co.uk)

COST

A similar bathroom would cost around £20,000

