



## LAUREN **Branch**

When designer Lauren Branch of Kéfi Home Interiors moved into her grandparents' midcentury-modern home in the Triangle, she knew she wanted to ramp up the inherent charm while infusing her own contemporary take on the classic aesthetic. Here, she fills us in on her dining room design.

"We focused on balancing the beautiful, richly toned wood-paneled walls with equal parts white to keep it bright and airy," she explains. To create a fresh, fun, and casual feel, Branch also accented with bold pops of jewel-toned colors complemented with soft brass finishes, while sculptural vintage pieces stand alongside new modern ones. "Furniture, accessories, and artwork that combine beauty and function are always top of mind, but with three young kids, we didn't want anything too precious," she adds. "Authentic Turkish rugs and Bertoia chairs that only require minimal wipe down seemed like a perfect fit for my family of five."

- 1. Caspian Sideboard / to the trade / fourhands.com
- 2. Midcentury Brass Candle Holders / \$495 for a set of three / chairish.com
- 3. Vintage Distressed Rug / \$1,309 / revivalrugs.com
- 4. Bertoia Dining Side Chairs / \$1,100 / dwr.com
- 5. Hexsation Chandelier / \$4,022 / corbettlighting.hvlgroup.com
- 6. Vintage Teak Dining Table / \$4,850 / chairish.com
- 7. Clementine Print / \$276 for a 24x30 / blakelymade.com

