



Nimpy NC

• CRAFT/PROFESSION

Sandy KAMIDIN designs handcrafted macramé items: dream catchers, decorative wall and ceiling hangings; fashion accessories including bags, belts and costume jewellery; decorative homeware including mirrors, bedside lamps, hanging lanterns and wall hangings or boho-style tapestries and curtains or hammocks in natural ecru or brightly coloured cotton.

She uses braided cotton yarn, wool yarn, driftwood, wooden beads, ribbon, raffia, feathers, shells and semi-precious stones in her designs.

• BACKGROUND

In her teens, Sandy was already fascinated by the world of arts and crafts. She started by making her own fashion jewellery then, as a fan of boho-chic, fell love with macramé.

Before embarking on a career as a self-taught craftswoman, Sandy took a vocational high school diploma in secretarial work and

worked in administration. However, driven by curiosity and creative passion, she honed her theoretical and practical skills by watching endless tutorials on YouTube and checking out blogs. The idea of turning her beloved hobby into a full-time job grew and finally became reality when she launched her own company and brand Nimpy, which means dream in Javanese...

• INSPIRATION AND DESIGNS

Sandy's craft designs reflect her love for boho and ethnic styles and Oceanian culture in all its forms, and draw inspiration from the natural world and its riches on land, at sea and by the riverside...

Her workshop lies in the heart of the forest at Mont-Mou in Païta, a haven of peace where Sandy "finds inspiration and illumination". She says that "fleeting moments of inspiration and passion" bring her ideas to life "with no sketches needed, at the awakening of a new day".