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Extra long mirror
to reflect all
available light

High windows

Wooden
shower tray

Lit adjustable
shaving/make-up
round mirror

Recessed niche
with downlights

Basins wall-
mounted to
free up space

Long narrow
double basin

Side-mounted
bath taps

Wooden rack
underbench

Extra side jets
in shower

"This bathroom is on the second storey of the house and sits high in the tree canopy. Windows were essential to make the most of the wonderful views and to bring in as much natural light as possible. There are even two narrow windows positioned above the shower – designed to maintain privacy, but still allow treetop views while showering. The walls are lined to the ceiling with soft cream limestone tiles, to create a feeling of luxury without detracting from the views outside. To maximise the feeling of space in what is a fairly narrow room, the vanity basins have an open wooden rack underneath for storage, rather than the traditional solid vanity cabinet. Further storage shelves are set into the wall above the basins and have been fronted with mirrors. These stretch the entire length of the wall and serve both to increase the perception of space in the room and to reflect the wonderful bushland vista from outside."



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