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Session #5B

Useful Architectural History

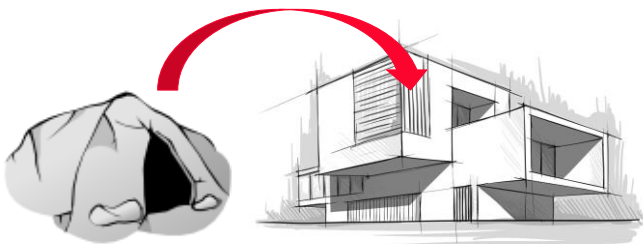


Your designs are the sets and the stage, but you should know a bit about the theatre as well



- Architectural History can cover hundreds of styles, periods, classifications.
- We're going to cover the most common styles.

We've come a long way....



Contemporary Mid-Century MODERN

TUDOR
Colonial
Mission
Classic



- Your clients might call their style one thing, and you know it as something different.
- Learn the classic elements, and learn to interpret their descriptions.

• Stay on top of trends

- How was it influenced by the history of Architecture?
- What elements are going to remain for future decades?



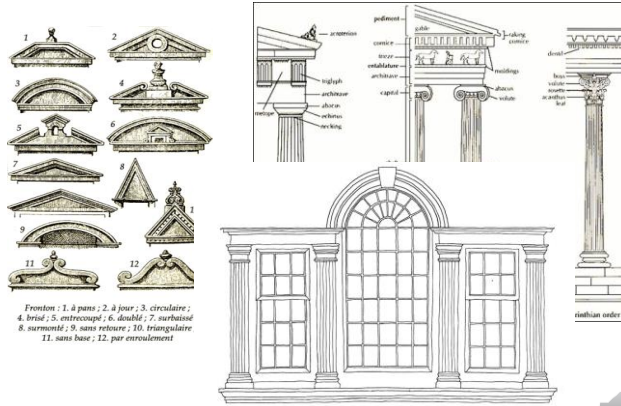
- Which style of architecture is most common in your area?
- Which elements are most common in your area?
- Different neighborhoods may be predominately influenced by a period in time or economic boom in your town.

Classical



- Classical:
- Greek and Roman influence
- East coast
- Columns
- Decorative iron
- White
- Shutters

Greek, Roman, Colonial...



- You can study the classic elements like the parts of a column.

Classical



Classical



- Classical influences: Columns and heavy molding.
- Cream colors and marble finishes.

Colonial



- Colonial:
- Some classic elements
- Definitely American
- Shutters
- Boxy
- Wood siding and brick

Colonial



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Victorian



- Victorian:
- Shingles
- Highly decorative
- Multiple colors
- Layers of wood
- Compartmentalized rooms

Victorian



Victorian



- Victorian are often referred to as “Gingerbread Houses”.

Tudor...



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- English history
- Wood beam details with stucco or plaster
- Brick details
- Traditionally thatched roofs

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Mid Century



- Mid Century:
- Geometric angles
- Steel and glass
- Brick and wood
- Plastics
- Large picture windows
- Open flow through house
- Multipurpose rooms
- Space influence

Mid Century Modern



Glass house made possible because of steel beams and Post and beam construction.

Mid Century



Mid Century



Adobe



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Southwest / Santa Fe

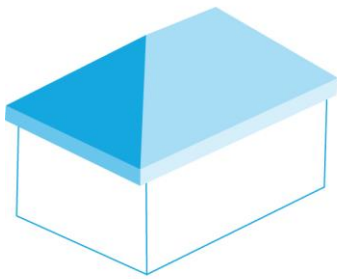


Architectural Details:

- Rooflines
- Siding
- Moulding
- Windows

- Architectural Details to Notice:
- Terms you will use with contractors, painters, and homeowners

Classic Details:



HIP ROOF



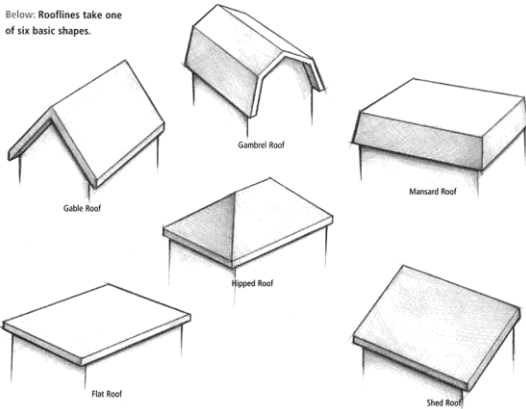
GABLE ROOF



- Basic roof styles;
- Hipped used more pyramid, complete shapes
- Gables are tent like shaped, two plains

Classic Details:

Below: Rooflines take one of six basic shapes.



Hipped Roof



Gable Roof



Stucco Siding



- Stucco:
- Troweled or sprayed
- Rough to the touch
- Painted
- Applied around structural details
- Can crack

Stucco Siding



Brick Siding

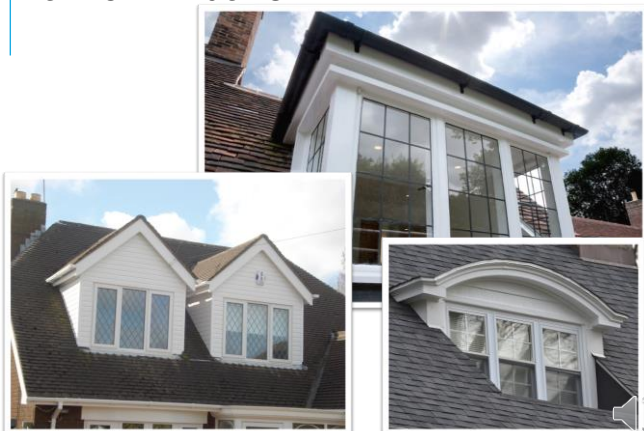


- Brick:
- Masonry
- Solid brick laid by professional brick layer
- Various colors, materials
- Whitewashed, tinted, stained

Wood Siding & Stone Veneer:



Dormer Windows

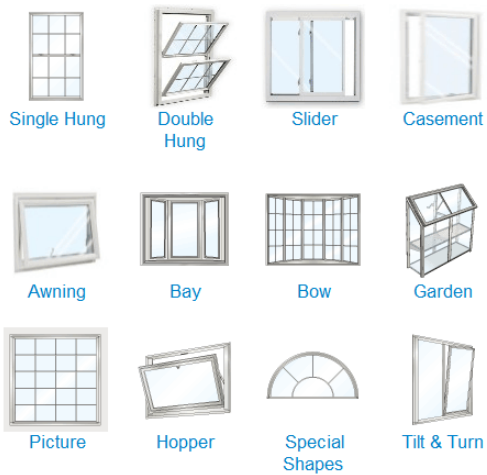


- Dormer Windows:
- Projected from the roofline

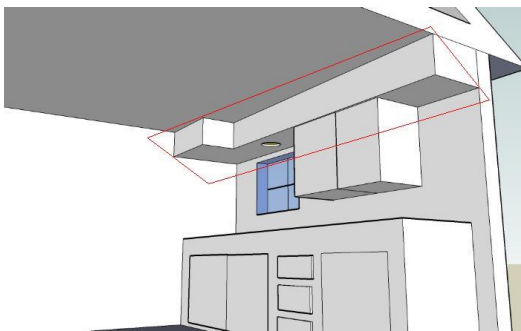
Palladian Windows



- Palladian windows:
- Set's of three, large center window with arched top.



Soffit

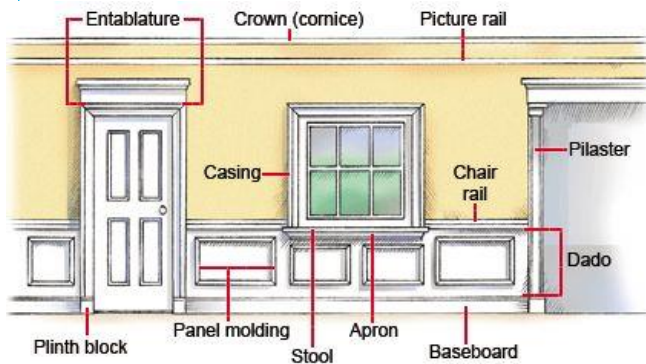


- Soffit:
- Used to fill in gaps
- Above cabinets

Soffit



Wood Moulding



- Moulding:
- Was used for decoration, insulation, and cover-up
- Layer and stack them for bigger impact
- Need to be painted correctly for long lasting look

Crown Moulding



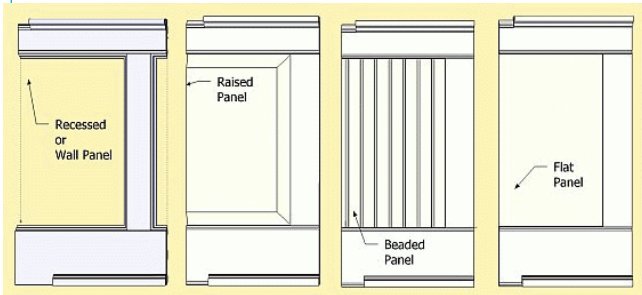
- Crown:
- Angled to connect ceiling and walls
- Stacked and layered
- Different heights, style and details

Wainscoting



- Wainscoting:
- Great for bathrooms due to the ease of cleaning
- Different styles can either make a room more formal or more casual

Wainscoting Styles



- Recessed wall panel can save money
- Raised panel is most formal and expensive
- Bead board is used in cottage style and is more casual
- Flat panel looks great in traditional and transitional styles.



- ✓ Look through design magazines and catalogs and notice the details
- ✓ Learn what styles are most common in your area
- ✓ Which design elements are you likely to design?

Homework for Session #5B