PATHWAY: Architectural Drawing and Design

COURSE: Architectural Drawing and Design II

UNIT: 3-Residential Sections and Details: Wall Sections



# INTRODUCTION

#### **Annotation:**

This unit includes lessons on the proper procedure for drawing wall sections. Students will learn to identify the components needed in drawing the sections. They will also learn what dimensions need to be included on the drawings.

#### Grade(s):

|   | 9 <sup>th</sup>  |
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| Х | 10 <sup>th</sup> |
| Х | 11 <sup>th</sup> |
| Χ | 12 <sup>th</sup> |

Time: 25 hours

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# Additional Author(s):

#### **Students with Disabilities:**

For students with disabilities, the instructor should refer to the student's IEP to be sure that the accommodations specified are being provided. Instructors should also familiarize themselves with the provisions of Behavior Intervention Plans that may be part of a student's IEP. Frequent consultation with a student's special education instructor will be beneficial in providing appropriate differentiation.



#### **GPS Focus Standards:**

ACT-ADDII-2: Students will prepare sections and details.

b. Draw a wall section.

#### **GPS Academic Standards:**

MM1P4: Students will make connections among mathematical ideas and to other disciplines.

ELA9RL5: The student understands and acquires new vocabulary and uses it correctly in reading and writing.

SCSh4: Students will use tools and instruments for observing, measuring, and manipulating scientific equipment and materials.

# National / Local Standards / Industry / ISTE:

ADDA: Advanced CADD Skills



# UNDERSTANDINGS & GOALS

# **Enduring Understandings:**

Wall sections must be included in a set of drawings, so that the structure can be built correctly. Without wall sections, the contractor would not comprehend how to build the structure.

#### **Essential Questions:**

If a wall section is not drawn correctly, what kind of extra expenses will the homeowner/builder incur?

Note: Depending on when or whether traditional (board) drafting is going to be taught in addition to CAD systems, activities may need to be supplemented or changed accordingly.

#### **Knowledge from this Unit:**

- Identify the vocabulary used in drawing wall sections.
- Identify the components used in drawing wall sections.
- Read and understand wall section drawings in blueprints.

## **Skills from this Unit:**

- Read correctly wall sections on blueprints.
- Draw a wall section using correct symbols.
- Apply proper dimensions to a wall section.



**Assessment Method Type:** Select one or more of the following. Please consider the type(s) of differentiated instruction you will be using in the classroom.

|          | Pre-test                                                                                |
|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Χ        | Objective assessment - multiple-choice, true- false, etc.                               |
|          | _X_ Quizzes/Tests                                                                       |
|          | Unit test                                                                               |
|          | Group project                                                                           |
| Χ        | Individual project                                                                      |
| Χ        | Self-assessment - May include practice quizzes, games, simulations, checklists, etc.    |
|          | _X Self-check rubrics                                                                   |
|          | Self-check during writing/planning process                                              |
|          | Journal reflections on concepts, personal experiences and impact on one's life          |
|          | Reflect on evaluations of work from teachers, business partners, and competition judges |
|          | Academic prompts                                                                        |
|          | Practice quizzes/tests                                                                  |
|          | Subjective assessment/Informal observations                                             |
|          | Essay tests                                                                             |
|          | Observe students working with partners                                                  |
|          | Observe students role playing                                                           |
| <u>X</u> | Peer-assessment                                                                         |
|          | Peer editing & commentary of products/projects/presentations using rubrics              |
|          | _X Peer editing and/or critiquing                                                       |
| X        | Dialogue and Discussion                                                                 |
|          | Student/teacher conferences                                                             |
|          | Partner and small group discussions                                                     |
|          | _X Whole group discussions                                                              |
|          | Interaction with/feedback from community members/speakers and business partners         |
|          | Constructed Responses                                                                   |
|          | Chart good reading/writing/listening/speaking habits                                    |
|          | Application of skills to real-life situations/scenarios                                 |
|          | Post-test                                                                               |

# Assessment(s) Title:

Test: Sill & Floor Construction Vocabulary

Test: Wall & Ceiling Construction Vocabulary

Test: Labeling the Parts of a Wall Section

Individual Project: Have students draw a wall section and apply dimensions.

# Assessment(s) Description/Directions:

See instructions attached to each test.

Individual Project: The teacher will assign a wall section for students to draw. Dimensions will be added to the drawing.

# Attachments for Assessment(s):

Test: Sill & Floor Construction Vocabulary & Key
Test: Wall & Ceiling Construction Vocabulary & Key

Test: Labeling the Parts of a Wall Section & Key

Rubric: Wall Section



# LEARNING EXPERIENCES

Instructional planning: Include lessons, activities and other learning experiences in this section with a brief description of the activities to ensure student acquisition of the knowledge and skills addressed in the standards. Complete the sequence of instruction for each lesson/task in the unit.

#### Sequence of Instruction.

1. Identify the Standards. Standards should be posted in the classroom for each lesson.

ACT-ADDII-2: Students will prepare sections and details.

b. Draw a wall section.

#### 2. Review Essential Questions.

If a wall section is not drawn correctly, what kinds of extra expenses will the homeowner/builder incur?

# 3. Identify and review the unit vocabulary.

Sill & Floor Construction Vocabulary:

Anchor Bolt Beam Bridging
Cantilever Crawl Space Curtain Wall

Dead Load Decking Dimension Lumber

Double Header Finished Floor Firecut

Footing Foundation Foundation Wall

Grade Header Joist

Keyway Laminated Beam Live Load

Moisture Barrier Reinforced Concrete Post-and-Beam Construction

Sill Span Subflooring
Termite shield Truss Weep Holes

# Wall & Ceiling Construction Vocabulary:

Anchor Batt Blocking

Brick Veneer Building Paper

| Built-up Roofing | Corner Brace   | Cornice     |
|------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Cross Bracing    | Drywall        | Eaves       |
| Expansion Joint  | Face Brick     | Fascia      |
| Firestop         | Flashing       | Furring     |
| Gutter           | Gypsum Board   | Insulation  |
| Joist            | Metal Wall Tie | Pilaster    |
| Rafter           | Ridge          | Ridge Board |
| Roof Sheathing   | Sheathing      | Shingles    |
| Siding           | Soffit         | Sole Plate  |
| Stud             | Top Plate      |             |

Stud Top Plate

- 4. Explain the purpose of a wall section.
- 5. Go over symbols used in sections and details.
- 6. Draw a wall section to scale.
- 7. Interest approach Mental set

Ask students how different climates can affect the house design which would show up in a wall section.

#### Lesson 1: FLOOR & SILL CONSTRUCTION

#### Discussion

- 1. Identify the standards.
- 2. Review essential questions.
- 3. Ask students why they think wall sections are needed in a set of plans.
- 4. Classroom discussion on unit vocabulary (sill and floor construction). Why are these terms important?
- 5. Assign several vocabulary words to each student who will then present these words to the class.
- 6. Give quiz on sill and floor construction vocabulary. A word bank can be used on the test, if needed.

#### Lesson 2: WALL & CEILING CONSTRUCTION

#### Discussion

- 1. Identify the standards.
- 2. Review essential questions.
- 3. Have students write a paragraph on one of the following:
  - a) If a wall section is not drawn correctly, what kinds of extra expenses will the homeowner/builder incur?
  - b) How do different climates affect the house design which shows up in a wall section?
- 4. Classroom discussion on unit vocabulary (wall and ceiling construction).
- 5. Assign several vocabulary words to each student who will then present these words to the class.

- 6. Give quiz on wall and ceiling construction vocabulary. A word bank can be used on the test, if needed.
- 7. Watch "What's In a House" video. Have students take test at end of video.
- 8. Watch video on Building a Shed.

#### Lesson 3: DRAWING A WALL SECTION

#### Discussion

- 1. Identify the standards.
- 2. Study the parts and dimensions that need to be included on a wall section.
- 3. Review the correct way to label a wall section.
- 4. Assign a wall section to be drawn, using CAD or board drafting.
- 5. Have students draw and dimension the wall section correctly.
- 6. Give Quiz on Labeling a Wall Section.

## **Attachments for Learning Experiences:**

- Sill & Floor Construction Vocabulary & Definitions
- Test: Sill & Floor Construction Vocabulary & Key
- Wall & Ceiling Construction Vocabulary & Definitions
- Test: Wall & Ceiling Construction Vocabulary & Key
- Wall Section Handout
- Wall Section Test & Key
- Rubric: Wall Section
- What's In a House Video
- http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6zsXcqw6\_KY&feature=related

## **Notes & Reflections:**

Check for understanding frequently. Review vocabulary daily. Make sure that students know what needs to be included in a wall section.

A word bank can be used on the vocabulary and wall section tests, if needed. Additional vocabulary words can also be added to either quiz. The tests can also be broken down into smaller tests, so that fewer words will have to be learned at one time.

The wall section drawing can be broken down into the three basic areas: sill and floor construction, wall and ceiling construction, and roof components. Either one or three tests can be given if this is done.

Students will critique each others' drawings to make sure that they are being drawn correctly and include all important details.

Students can be given a copy of the wall section rubric, so that they will know how they are to be graded.

The amount of time needed for activities is determined by whether the students are doing traditional (board) drafting or using a CAD system. The instructor should choose the appropriate instruction to support either board or CAD drafting.



# CULMINATING PERFORMANCE TASK (Optional)

# **Culminating Unit Performance Task Title:**

Draw a Wall Section with Dimensions

# **Culminating Unit Performance Task Description/Directions/Differentiated Instruction:**

Students will draw and dimension a wall section. Wall section with instructions is to be provided by instructor.

# **Attachments for Culminating Performance Task:**

Wall Section Rubric



# **UNIT RESOURCES**

# Web Resources:

What's In a House? Video

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6zsXcqw6\_KY&feature=related

# Attachment(s):

# **Materials & Equipment:**

Depending on the medium used, you may need the following:

- Basic drafting tools
- CAD software

# What 21st Century Technology was used in this unit:

|   | Slide Show Software     |   | Graphing Software  |   | Audio File(s)                   |
|---|-------------------------|---|--------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Χ | Interactive Whiteboard  | Χ | Calculator         |   | Graphic Organizer               |
|   | Student Response System |   | Desktop Publishing |   | Image File(s)                   |
|   | Web Design Software     |   | Blog               | Χ | Video                           |
|   | Animation Software      |   | Wiki               |   | Electronic Game or Puzzle Maker |
|   | Email                   | Χ | Website            | Χ | CAD Software                    |