



Department of Teaching & Learning
Parent/Student Course Information

Technical Design and Illustration Program
Architectural Drawing
(TE 8437)
Grades 10 - 12
One Credit, One Year

Counselors are available to assist parents and students with course selections and career planning. Parents may arrange to meet with the counselor by calling the school's guidance department.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The courses in engineering and technology provide opportunities for students to acquire skills and knowledge necessary for technological literacy, entry-level careers, and lifelong learning. Students learn Virginia's 22 Workplace Readiness Skills within the content area. Those who are completing a two-year sequence have the opportunity to verify their knowledge of the workplace readiness skills through an industry assessment. This course provides students with the opportunity to learn more about the principles of architecture and related drafting practices and techniques. It provides helpful information for the homeowner and is beneficial to the future architect, interior designer, or homebuilder. Students use resource materials, standard books, and computers as they learn the general principles, practices and techniques of architectural drawing. The course includes designing residential structures and drawing plot plans, floor plans, elevations, schedules and renderings.

PREREQUISITE

Basic Technical Drawing

CERTIFICATION

Students successfully completing the Technical Design and Illustration Program of Study will be prepared for the AutoCAD REVIT and or AutoCAD Architecture industry credential.

STUDENT ORGANIZATION

Technology Student Association (TSA) is a co-curricular organization for all students enrolled in engineering and technology courses. Students are encouraged to be active members of their youth organization to develop leadership and teamwork skills and to receive recognition for their participation in local, regional, state and national activities.

OPTIONS FOR NEXT COURSE

Engineering Drawing

Enrollment for the next Technical and Career Education course should be based on student performance, teacher recommendation, and parent input. The courses available are Engineering Drawing.

REQUIRED STUDENT TEXTBOOK

Architectural Design

COMPETENCIES FOR ARCHITECTURAL DRAWING

Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Skills: Personal Qualities and Abilities

- 1 Demonstrate creativity and innovation.
- 2 Demonstrate critical thinking and problem solving.
- 3 Demonstrate initiative and self-direction.
- 4 Demonstrate integrity.
- 5 Demonstrate work ethic.

Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Skills: Interpersonal Skills

- 6 Demonstrate conflict-resolution skills.
- 7 Demonstrate listening and speaking skills.
- 8 Demonstrate respect for diversity.
- 9 Demonstrate customer service skills.
- 10 Collaborate with team members.

Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Skills: Professional Competencies

- 11 Demonstrate big-picture thinking.
- 12 Demonstrate career- and life-management skills.
- 13 Demonstrate continuous learning and adaptability.
- 14 Manage time and resources.
- 15 Demonstrate information-literacy skills.
- 16 Demonstrate an understanding of information security.
- 17 Maintain working knowledge of current information-technology (IT) systems.
- 18 Demonstrate proficiency with technologies, tools, and machines common to a specific occupation.
- 19 Apply mathematical skills to job-specific tasks.
- 20 Demonstrate professionalism.
- 21 Demonstrate reading and writing skills.
- 22 Demonstrate workplace safety

Examining All Aspects of an Industry

- 23 Examine aspects of planning within an industry/organization.
- 24 Examine aspects of management within an industry/organization.
- 25 Examine aspects of financial responsibility within an industry/organization.
- 26 Examine technical and production skills required of workers within an industry/organization.
- 27 Examine principles of technology that underlie an industry/organization.
- 28 Examine labor issues related to an industry/organization.
- 29 Examine community issues related to an industry/organization.
- 30 Examine health, safety and environmental issues related to an industry/organization.

Addressing Elements of Student Life

- 31 Identify the purposes and goals of the student organization.
- 32 Explain the benefits and responsibilities of membership in the student organization as a student and in professional/civic organizations as an adult.
- 33 Demonstrate leadership skills through participation in student organization activities, such as meetings, programs and projects.
- 34 Identify Internet safety issues and procedures for complying with acceptable use standards.

Exploring Work-Based Learning

- 35 Identify the types of work-based learning (WBL) opportunities.
- 36 Reflect on lessons learned during the WBL experience.
- 37 Explore career opportunities related to the WBL experience.
- 38 Participate in a WBL experience, when appropriate.

Exploring Architectural Design Foundations

- 39 Define architectural design.
- 40 Analyze architectural styles.
- 41 Maintain a reference library of architectural data.
- 42 Research existing designs.
- 43 Create a construction budget.
- 44 Calculate square footage.
- 45 Summarize the purpose of building and zoning codes.
- 46 Apply architectural principles to drawings, annotation, and dimensioning.
- 47 Identify the components in a complete set of construction drawings.
- 48 Utilize an architectural title block.

Introducing the Design Process

- 49 Define the architectural design process.
- 50 Apply the elements and principles of design in the architectural design process to create a solution.
- 51 Build a scaled physical presentation model.
- 52 Incorporate sustainable building strategies into architectural design.
- 53 Incorporate Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) regulations into design solutions.

Producing Illustrations

- 54 Develop a site analysis.
- 55 Prepare design sketches.
- 56 Draw a functional floor plan.
- 57 Design a functional floor plan for a residential or commercial building.
- 58 Design a foundation plan, based on a floor plan.
- 59 Draw a reflected ceiling plan (RCP), based on a floor plan.
- 60 Create sectional views.
- 61 Design exterior elevations.
- 62 Design interior elevations.
- 63 Create perspective views, including renderings.
- 64 Create door and window schedules.
- 65 Create architectural design solutions using computer-aided drafting (CAD).
- 66 Create a walk-through presentation of a section of a building.

Preparing for Career

- 67 Update a résumé in a format suitable for online posting.
- 68 Complete a job application.
- 69 Participate in a mock interview.
- 70 Explain the role of professional accreditation.

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