Supply List

Building Your Dream House
Instructor: John Donaghey, AIA-E

Building Your Dream House – An Overview (8 hours) Fall Only
1. Pencils: sharpened #2 wood or mechanical with .7 mm B lead
2. 17”x22” drafting paper pad (with 1/4” grid, if available)
3. Architect’s scale (and engineer’s scale, if possible), 6” and 12” lengths
4. Spiral notebook with pen or mechanical pencil for lots of class notes

Items below are optional.
They are recommended for the Spring course only.

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1. Small roll of drafting tape or dots; Scotch Glue Stick restickable adhesive
2. Drafting instruments: 24” T square, drafting brush, 8” and 3” 30/60 and 45 degree triangles, erasing shield, Pink Pearl eraser, circle template to 1½” diameter circles, plumbing fixture template
3. Drafting surface: drafting board or poster board on 5/8” plywood panel; 18”x 24”, or larger, as manageable!
4. Short roll (~18”) of trash paper (butter paper, tracing or flimsy paper)
5. If you wish to build a model: larger, plastic handled x-acto knife with ~5 #2 large, fine pointed blades, and a medium squeeze bottle of Elmer’s glue and corrugated cardboard (box) panels

Alternate drafting:
1. All drafting can be done freehand with items 1, 2, and 3 (12” architect’s scale) and item 6 (Pink Pearl eraser)
2. Computer aided drafting (CAD): You might want to try a software program such as:
   a. Broderbund’s 3D Home Architect Delux or
   b. Punch’s Professional Home Design.
   Both programs cost less than $100 each and require a printer for making hard copies. If you have a laptop, they can be used in class for drafting, however, only conventional (pencil) drafting is taught in class. Both programs may be seen on line.

Text:  Building Your Dream House: Architect’s Notes;
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Available in class at cost: $10.50

Some sources for supplies: Hobby Lobby, Office Depot, Office Max, Staples, Archive Supply, Asel Art, Vanderburg, Michael’s, office supply stores

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Supplies MUST be brought to the first class!