

Architect

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What do they do?

There are three main areas of architecture: building, landscape and naval. Architects are responsible for designing to a given design brief.

What qualities do they need?

Architects must be self-motivated when working alone. They must be able to meet deadlines and understand budgeting. It is very important for architects to be accurate with design and confident with maths and physics in order to calculate whether designs will work in the real world.

What qualifications do they need?

Architects usually have an A-Level in art and design or design and technology. They then go on to complete a degree in architecture, which includes up to two years working in industry.

What do they earn?

£28 000 - £90 000 per year on average.

Where do they work?

All new builds or building improvements usually require an architect. They can work for local councils, large companies, building developers, or even freelance.

