## HOW TO MEASURE A ROOM Lisa Fontaine Design Studio: E-Design



## TOOLS NEEDED



Pencil \& Eraser
Measuring Tape and/or Laser


## STEP 1: <br> SKETCH A ROUGH OUTLINE OF THE ROOM

## NOTES:

1. This does not need to be to scale. Just a rough outline showing the shape of the room, any bump-outs, doors and windows and which direction they open.


## STEP 2: <br> SKETCH EACH WALL

NOTES:

1. Please include position of all fixed objects such as: doors, windows, outlets, switches, radiators, etc., anything necessary to work around.

2 Again, this does not need to be to scale, just a simple line drawing making note of all fixed objects


How are you doing so far?! Don't stress.. there is not going to be a grade for your line drawings!

## Let's Begin!

Pick a starting point and work clockwise from it so you don't leave anything out.


## STEP 3: ADD DIMENSIONS TO YOUR SKETCHES

## NOTES:

1. Start by measuring between each fixed point in a room: For Example, that means measuring the distance between the edge of a door frame to the corner of a wall.


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1. Another Example is the corner of the room to the edge of the window frame.


NOTES:

1. Another Example: is measuring the window from outside frame to outside frame, and so on!


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1. Please include the ceiling height on one of your wall drawings. and any other vertical distances until till the entire space is dimensioned



## STEP 4 <br> EXISTING FURNITURE DIMENSIONS

## NOTES:

1. If you are keeping any existing furniture for your project, please include all dimensions of those pieces.
2. Length x Width x Depth x Height


## FINISHED! YOU DID IT!

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