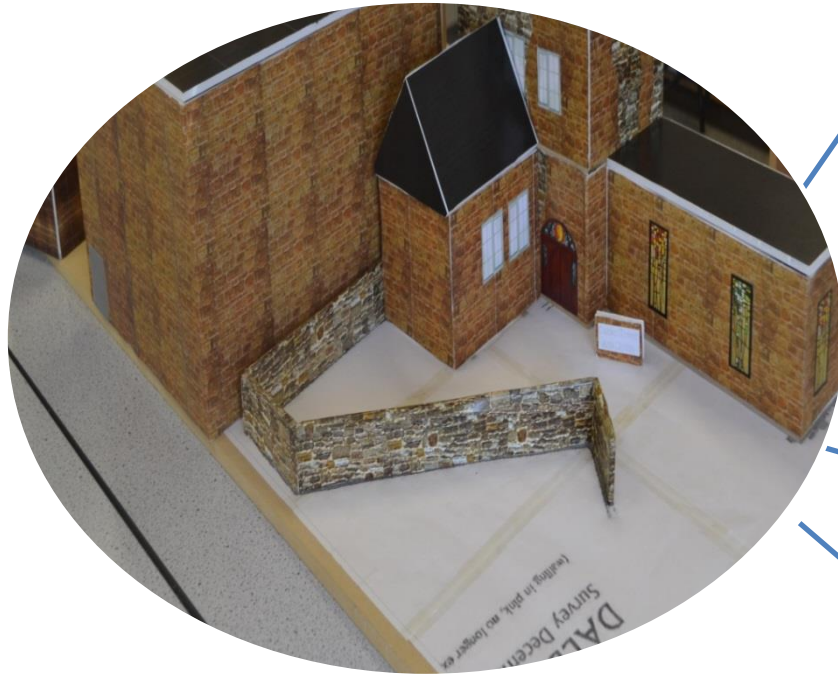


Making a Model of Your Building



Size and Scale

- How big do you want your model? Will you need to move it for storage or display? Try to keep everything to scale to see proportions of the building.

Material

- What do you want to make your model out of? Formboard is strong, easy to cut with a craft knife and lightweight. Cardboard, wood or acrylic for windows works too, or even Lego!. Think about the best way to fix the different materials together. Be creative!

Outside

- How will you get across to your audience what the building materials are? Print pictures and stick them on? Pain the model? Be as accurate as you can.

Inside

- Think about the detail. Will you need to build some fixtures and fittings to give an idea of how the building will function? Have you remembered doors, windows and internal walls?

Additions

- If you're creating an extension, think about how to show this. Could you remove parts to show old and new bits of the building?

Creating a model of the proposed development of your building is one of the most exciting bits of the project – to see your ideas come to life, just scaled down. Your model should get across your planned developments to an audience who may never have seen the original building. Be as detailed and accurate as you can so people can get a sense of your vision!