Bungalow Anatomy Collage

Did you know that Chicago Bungalows share a set of common features? We call this their “anatomy”; or, the elements you can look for when deciding if a home is a bungalow. Challenge yourself to learn the general structure of a bungalow, then test your skills and creativity to piece together a Bungalow collage!

Materials

- Bungalow anatomy sheet
- House elements, printed on 8 ½ x 11 paper or cardstock
- Blank piece of 8 ½ x 11” paper or cardstock, any color
- Scissors
- Glue
- Markers, crayons, magazines, and whatever else you enjoy using to decorate!

Instructions

1. Review the bungalow anatomy sheet
2. Cut out each house element and set to the side of the activity base
3. Challenge yourself to assemble the Bungalow without looking at the anatomy sheet
4. Check your work!
5. Glue each house element in the order it should go to form the bungalow structure. Use your creativity to add color and ornamentation to your design!

Share

We’d love to see your work! Share your creation with the Chicago Architecture Center on Facebook or Instagram, using the hashtag #CACDesignAtHome

Extend

Have you ever seen a Chicago Bungalow in the wild? Do you, or know someone who lives in a Bungalow? Take a walk around your neighborhood using the Bungalow anatomy sheet and see if you can spot any in your neighborhood. As you explore where you live, be sure to share your adventures with CAC on Facebook or Instagram using the hashtag #CACDesignAtHome

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