## CAD Tutorial : SLR Camera



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## By the end of this tutorial you will be able

 to...- Link basic shapes
- Use the Arc tool
- Use the Follow Me tool to produce a rounded edge
- Use construction lines/points
- Colour/render your finished toy boat


## Skills to be used in this project...

| Basic Skills | New and Higher Skills |
| :---: | :---: |
| Zoom tool | Construction lines and points |
| Orbit tool | Tape Measure tool |
| Pan tool | Arc tool |
| Line tool | Follow Me tool |
| Rectangle tool | Loading new toolbars |
| Circle tool | Paint Bucket tool |
| Eraser tool |  |
| Push/Pull tool |  |

Basic skills are those required to do very basic drawings and are detailed as part of this presentation.

New and higher skills may be new to the novice and are the focus for learning in this presentation.

2. Select Units and choose Decimal Millimetres. We are using this template because we are doing a product design.

Note: It is often necessary to start a new file to use the new template. Go to File then New.

1. Open the sketch up drawing. Once you have opened SketchUp, go to Window and select Model Info

2. Now select the View then toolbars and ensure Getting Started and Large Tool Set are ticked

3. Click on the rectangle tool . Start drawing a square and
 type 170, 80. Press Enter

4. Click on the zoom extents symbol.

5. Using the rectangle tool click on the corner of the rectangle you
 have just drawn.
 shown and type 43, 25 and press enter
6. Use the rubber tool to erase the line separating the two rectangles to leave one shape

7. Using the rectangle tool click on the corner of the rectangle shown and type in 20,20 and press enter.
8. Repeat this on the other two corners drawing squares
corners drawing
measuring 20,20.



9. Using the rectangle tool move it along the handle line shown until it says endpoint. Start to draw the rectangle
10. Using the rectangle tool move it along the front line shown until it says endpoint. Click to complete the rectangle


11. Using the circle tool. Pull the circle circumference outwards. Make sure the circumference touches the endpoint shown.

12. Use the rubber tool to erase the bottom half of the circle





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36. Use the Select tool and click on the bottom of the camera. It should now be highlighted in blue dots.

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37. Select the follow me tool and click on the shape on the bottom. You should have drawn the shape shown
38. Use the rubber tool to erase the lines shown to be left with the shape shown.

39. Select the pencil tool and click on the top of the shape shown. It will say on edge. Draw a line shown to the opposite side. It will say on edge and fill the top piece.
40. Use the rubber tool to erase the line shown in blue to be left with the camera body shape.

41. Use the contour tool to pull in a square from the edge shown. Type in 15 and press enter
42. Use the push pull tool to pull the square out. Type '15' and press enter.


43. Using the rectangle tool click on the corner of the rectangle shown. Pull in towards the centre of the square and type in $\mathbf{1 5 , 1 5}$ and press enter.
44. Repeat this on the other three corners drawing squares measuring 15,15 .



45. Use the rubber tool to erase the lines highlighted in blue.
46. Use the push pull tool to push the edges of the shape back to be left with the drawing opposite.





47. Use the rubber tool to erase the lines shown to be left with the shape shown.
48. Use the Select tool and click on the bottom of the camera. It should now be highlighted in blue dots.






49. Use the push pull tool to pull the camera lens out. The length is up to you.
50. Use your own skills to add more details


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67. Click View - toolbars and untick
axis. Place a tick next to


Tasks:

- Put other details on the camera such as a charging socket, flash, new buttons and features, etc.
- Experiment with colours and materials for rendering.
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- Design your own SLR camera and its relevant detail.

