## CAD Tutorial : Dieter Rams



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- Find out as much as you can about a designer called Dieter Rams:

Who did he work for?
What did he design?
What did his products go on to inspire?
What is his design style?


## Lesson Objectives...

- To understand the basic tools used in SketchUp.
- To understand the advantages of using CAD
- To be able to successfully use CAD independently to complete a range of tutorials in 2D and 3D
- To develop advanced skills and problem solving skills when using Sketch Up
- To use correct dimensions when using sketch up to draw models that can be 3D printed or manufactured using CAM machines in school (i.e. Laser Cutter, 3D Router).


## Lesson Outcomes...

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

 to...- Use the push pull and move tool
- Learn about centre lines
- Create, Move and Rotate components
- Use the offset tool to make objects and add detail
- Shape and form your design
- Draw your design to the correct size to enable it to be manufactured.


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

| Basic Skills | New and Higher Skills |
| :---: | :---: |
| Zoom tool | Rotate tool |
| Orbit tool | Move tool |
| Pan tool | Offset tool |
| Line tool | Arc tool |
| Rectangle tool | Follow Me tool |
| Circle tool | Paint Bucket tool |
| Eraser tool | Dimensions tool |
| Push/Pull tool | Making Components |

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. Ensure you can see the measurements / dimensions / tool bar in the bottom right hand corner. If not click on the middle square top right hand corner until it appears


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4. Use the rectangle tool to start drawing a square from the corner of origin axis shown. (Green / red / blue axis)

5. Let go of the mouse and start typing 580, 300 and then press enter. These sizes will appear in the bottom right hand corner shown.

6. Click on the zoom extents symbol.





7. Use the rectangle tool to start drawing a square from the top left hand corner of the last rectangle you have just drawn. Type in 10, 10 and press enter.

8. Using the rectangle tool repeat step 15 drawing a square from the top right hand corner, bottom left and bottom right hand corner of the interior rectangle. Type in 10, 10 and press enter.


9. Click on the circle tool. Position the centre on the corner of the square shown above
10. Extend the circumference of the circle out until it meets the either corner shown. It will say




11. Select the Tape measure tool and snap to the left side edge
 as shown
12. Click once and
it will draw a dotted guide line
inwards from the edge







13. Using the rectangle tool click on the intersection where two dotted guidelines meet in the top left hand corner. Pull the rectangle down to the bottom right hand corner intersection shown.
14. Repeat the process on the rectangle shown next to the last one you have drawn. Leave a gap in between them.



15. Select the pencil tool run it down
the line you have just divided into 21 segments. When you come to the first segment it

## will

## say endpoint. Ignore the

44. Click the pencil tool to start drawing. Ensure you draw along the red axis to ensure the line is straight and perfectly square. Click when you get to the opposite line. It will say on edge.

45. Repeat steps 42 to 45 on the other two rectangles shown dividing each one into 21 segments and drawing lines across each endpoint.

46. Using the pencil tool run it down
the line you have just divided into 20 segments. When you come to the each segment it will
say endpoint. Ignore the midway point. Draw a line across,





47. Using the rectangle tool click on the intersection where two dotted guidelines meet in the bottom left hand corner. Pull the rectangle down to the top right hand corner intersection shown.
48. Use the rectangle tool to start drawing a square from the bottom left hand corner of the last rectangle you have just drawn. Type in 20, 20 and press fotifn Table



49. Use the eraser tool to erase the corners so you are left with a radius as shown
50. Erase the remaining parts of the circle.






51. Select the pencil tool.

Draw a line from where the guide line touches the base of the circle to the top edge of the circle along the blue axis.
70. Select the pencil tool.

Draw a line from along the guide line from the base of the circle along the red axis. Type in 10 and press enter.





















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- Use the skills you have learnt to develop the Braun SK60 full radio, LP and docking station for release in 2025. it must be in the style of Dieter Rams


