## CAD Tutorial 6: Hairdryer

Level of Difficulty
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## Time

Approximately 50-60 minutes

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## tarter Activity

- Design a Robot using CAD



## 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 SketchUp


## Lesson Outcomes...

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

- Create, Move and Rotate components
- Use the Follow Me tool to make objects
- Apply and position 3D Text on your design
- Colour and render your design


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

| Basic Skills | New and Higher Skills |
| :---: | :---: |
| Zoom tool | Rotate tool |
| Orbit tool | Move tool |
| Pan tool | Tape Measure tool |
| Line tool | Arc tool |
| Rectangle tool | Follow Me tool |
| Circle tool | Paint Bucket tool |
| Eraser tool | 3D Text 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.

## Learning Styles

## Visual: Presentation

## Auditory: Video

Kinaesthetic: Demonstration

## Sketchup Help Guide:

## Computer Aided Engineering: 15. Drawing and Modification Commands

| Drawing and Modification Tools | image | Description | Advantages |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Modifying Tool 1. Pencil tool |  | used to draw lines in $X, Y$ and $Z$ direction. Can draw simple or complex shapes veryquickly. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to draw or modify shapes very quickly and can be used to construct 3D objects faster than traditional hand drawings |
| Modifying Tool 2. <br> Trim tool |  | allows the user to remove overlapping elements. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to erase overlapping lines and edges to draw complex 3D shapes very quickly. |
| Modifying Tool 3. Push/pull | +1 | tool used to turn solid objects into 3D objects instantaneously. Typing a size allows a user to extrude or pullan object toa certainsize or height | Advantages: <br> Allows user to draw or modify 3D shapes very quickly faster than traditional hand drawings. You can click on a face (plane) and adjust. Can be used to extrude shapes on 3D objects already drawn. |
| Modifying Tool 4. Move Tool | Herer | used to move entire sha pes or pull lines on a drawing. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to draw or modify shapes very quickly and can be used to construct unusual 3D shapes quickly |
| Modifying Tool 5. <br> Dimensions tool | chel | used to show sizes and radius of drawn objects | Advantages: <br> Allows user to draw or modify 3D shapes very quickly faster than traditional hand drawings to correct size if drawn incorrectly. Drawing can be transferred onto the CNC machines directly |
| Modifying Tool 6 <br> Extrusion Tool (follow me) |  | allows the user to highlighta path that turns blue. A chosen shape will then follow the chosen path | Advantages: <br> Allows user to draw profiles of shapes and follow the path to draw complex 3D shapes very quickly. |
| Modifying Tool 7. <br> Arch tool |  | You can use the arch tool to draw a radius from two given points. Can be used to draw corners etc.. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to rotate and position shapes quickly to drawcomplex 3D shapes very quickly. |
| Modifying Tool 8. Circle tool |  | allows the user to draw differentsized radius circles and cha mfered corners | Advantages: <br> Allows user to draw profiles of shapes and follow the path to draw complex 3D shapes very quickly. |
| Modifying Tool 9. Orbit tool |  | You can use the Orbit tool to change the angle that you are viewing your designfrom. You can do the same by pressing the middle wheel of your mouse | Advantages: <br> Allows user to rotate and see all angles of their design quickly |
| Modifying Tool 10. Tape measure tool |  | allows the user to draw guide lines to given sizes and mark out radius etc. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to draw guides of shapes and draw complex 3D shapes very quickly. |

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| Modifying Tool 11. <br> Square tool |  | used to draw squares and rectangles. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to draw guides of shapes and draw complex 3D shapes very quickly. |
| Modifying Tool 12. Offset tool | (2) | You can use the contourtool to draw parallel lines or lines within lines. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to draw duplicate lines and position them within shapes quickly to draw complex 3D shapes very quickly. |
| Modifying Tool 14. <br> Rotate Tool | 且 | used to move rotate parts of a shape orentire shapes on $x, y$ and $Z$ co-ordinates. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to drawor modify shapes very quickly and can be used to construct unusual 3D shapes quickly |
| Modifying Tool 15 Scale Tool |  | allows the user to select an object or part of an object and increase its sixe from the base point. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to quickly resize objects to draw complex 3D shapes very quickly. |
| Modifying Tool 16 <br> Paint Bucket Tool |  | allows the user to select a colour or materials to produce photo-realistic drawing of their object. Shadows etc. can be added. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to quickly draw objects life like using materials, textures etc... |
| Modifying Tool 17 <br> Pan Tool | 9 | You can use the Pan tool to grab and move your object around the screen. <br> Alternatively, you can pan by pressing the Shift key and holding down the mouse's middle wheel. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to move and position theirobject quickly |
| Modifying Tool 18 Text Tool | (51) | You can use the text tool to add text to your object. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to add 3D text byclicking on the extrude button or 2D text |
| Modifying Tool 19 <br> Zoom Extents Tool |  | You can use this tool to automatically zoom into your entire project. | Advantages: <br> Allows user to quickly navigate to the entire drawing if they get lost. |
| Modifying Tool 20 View Tool | $4$ | You can use the view tool to quickly look at front side and top views as well as 3D views | Advantages: <br> Allows user to complete working drawings quickly as well as enabling them to show a top view for exporting onto the laser cutter. |


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 Library /Designoutthebox.com/CAD Skills/ Lesson 6 / Hairdryer

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

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



8. Select the pencil tool from the toolbar. Hover around the edge of the inner circle. The pencil should the snap to the centre point.

9. Make sure it follows the red axis.

Click on the endpoint shown and it will turn black.




20. Select the Offset tool and click the outside edge of the top circle





33. Then use the square tool to draw a line connecting the end of the two lines as shown opposite

34. Select the Arch tool and click bottom left hand corner of the square.
35. Then click bottom the top right hand corner of the square.

36. Draw the arch and type in 5 and press enter.



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44. Click on view - Toolbars - views to bring up the following toolbar



46. Use the select tool. Click on your object it will be highlighted in blue.
47. Select the rotate tool. Position it so it goes either green or red.

48. Click the rotate tool once to set it in place. Pull the line out horizontally. It should go either green or red.
49. Start to rotate.



Ctrl $=$ toggle Copy.

## MAKING THE HANDLE



1. Select the hairdryer top part. Use the move tool to move the object along the red or green axis
2. To create the handle, you start off by making a circle at the origin point again This time, make its radius 20 mm .

3. Select the Tape Measure tool from the toolbar and click on the origin point (yellow dot).
Move the cursor along the green axis and type ' 30 ' and press enter. A black construction point will appear on the axis.




4. Then use the square tool to draw a line connecting the end of the two lines as shown opposite

5. Draw the arch and type in 2.5 and press enter.
6. Select the push pull tool. Pull the centre oval down. Type in 10 and press enter.

7. Select the Arch tool and click bottom right hand corner of the square.
8. Then click bottom the left right hand corner of the square.



9. Using the Select tool, click on the handle until the entire the entire handle is highlighted. Right click and make group
10. Click on the house with the front door. This will give you a front view of your handle delign

11. Use the Rectangle tool to draw a rectangle on the handle. Type ' 30,10 ' to set its size.

12. Then use the Select tool to highlight this rectangle.

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14. Select the rotate tool. Position it so it goes either green or red. Place it approximately in the middle od the switch. Press once to set $\qquad$



15. Extrude the shape upwards by 2 using the Push/Pull tool.

16. Select the pencil tool. Start by finding the midpoint and draw a line across from one midpoint to the other

17. Extrude the top square upwards by 10 using the Push/Pull tool.





18. Use the Select tool. Drag over the handle and cable. Right click on the mouse and make group.

## Branding and Rendering

1. To put some simple graphics on the hairdryer body, first select the 3D Text.

2. A pop-up box will appear. Type in the name you want to use for the hairdryer. Change the height to 20, make sure extrude has no tick next to it




 position the top body over the hairdryer handle. To assist click on the side view

3. Using the move tool check the position the top body over the hairdryer handle and move where necessary. To assist click on the front view


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