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## **Block Design Example**

Make a sketch. For an Example see the "Block Design example." There is no such thing as a bad sketch. Don't buy the lie and say: "I can't draw", just "do it" anyway. The worst sketch is worth much more than a 1000 words. Any kind of a sketch, some pictures, or old drawings will help communicate your thoughts. Anything can be the "start of the plan".



## YOU CAN DO IT

How to draw – block diagram, grid paper, free hand sketch are what we are looking for. Save your money on buying that "cheap" computer drawing program, unless you just want to. Inexpensive software generally restricts your ability to communicate – you can only do what it will let you do. We would much rather have a sloppy free hand sketch than a nice and neat drawing that is not really what you wanted, but all the program would draw.

What you need to draw is possible size, shape, location, and relationship of your idea to the rest of the house. Even the crudest of ideas are a great help in getting started.

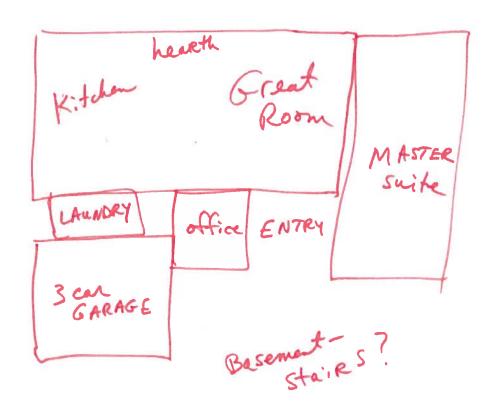
Remember we are not looking for a completed design but a starting point.

The next page is a graph paper that can be printed out to draw on, but again, it isn't necessary.



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Here is an example of the type of sketching that we can work from.

