SKETCHING LIKE AN ARCHITECT

Show "Draw like an Architect - Essential Tips": Video Link- https://youtu.be/24rnf08s0h0 (~12 minutes)

Review with class highlights from the video. (~10 minutes)

- 1. Line weights
 - a. Dark, medium and light
 - b. Dark items and more important, thin less important or supporting information. Med line weights are the middle ground.
 - c. Can use 3 different leads, types of pens, or pressure.
 - d. Thicker or double lines, or dashed or dotted lines vary the line weights
- 2. Pull don't push pencil
- 3. Move arm in fluid motion
- 4. A little waver in line.
- 5. Long lines, rather than many short
- 6. Overlap corners
- 7. Trace paper
- 8. Start light lines first, then build up medium lines, then darken.
- 9. Line weights apply in CAD too.
- 10. Shade and shadow
- 11. Scale and Entourage
- 12. Neat idea- light grey trees in the background, and a light grey person for scale in the CAD drawing

Show the class example of architectural sketches from on-line images. Google "Architectural Sketches" and look at images. Make note of varying levels of detail, sketchy nature, line weights, shade and shadow, perspective. (~ 10 minutes)

Do "X-Minute Sketching Practice" (~35 minutes)

Standards:

X.E.3	Draw and sketch by hand to communicate ideas effectively.
X.I.4	Identify various line types
M.X.9	Draw architectural details
X.I.4.	Identify pictorial drawings (i.e., isometric, oblique, perspective and presentation)