

architecture

['ɑ:kitektʃə] *n*

1. 1) архитектура, зодчество; строительное искусство
- 2) архитектурный стиль
Gothic [Russian, Arabian] architecture - готический [русский, мавританский] стиль
- 3) архитектурное сооружение, здание
ruins of ancient architectures - развалины старинных сооружений
2. **книжн.** структура, строение
architecture of the snow - структура снега
architecture of speech - строй /построение/ речи
architecture of a molecule - строение молекулы

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archi-tec-ture [architecture architectures] *BrE* ['ɑ:kitektʃə] *NAmE*

['ɑ:rkitektʃə] *noun*



1. **uncountable** the art and study of designing buildings
• to study architecture
2. **uncountable** the design or style of a building or buildings
• the architecture of the eighteenth century
• modern architecture
3. **countable, uncountable (computing)** the design and structure of a computer system

Word Origin:

mid 16th cent.: from Latin *architectura*, from *architectus* from Greek *arkhitekton*, from *arkhi-* 'chief' + *tektōn* 'builder'.

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archi-tec-ture **S3 W3** /'ɑ:kitektʃə, 'ɑ:kitektʃə, 'ɑ:kitektʃə/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun*

1. **[uncountable]** the style and design of a building or buildings
architecture of
• the architecture of Venice
modern/classical/medieval etc architecture
 2. **[uncountable]** the art and practice of planning and designing buildings:
• He studied architecture at university.
 3. **[uncountable]** the structure of something:
• the architecture of DNA
 4. **[uncountable and countable] technical** the structure of a computer system and the way it works
- architectural** /,ɑ:kitektʃərəl, 'ɑ:kitektʃərəl, 'ɑ:kitektʃərəl/ *adjective*:
• architectural features
- architecturally** *adverb*:
• Architecturally, Chengdu is quite different from most of China.

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