

Making a mansion

Introduction: This is a mansion design that can be used in creative mode or survival if you have enough time and materials. This house ends up to be pretty big and is pretty useful. You do not have to use the blocks listed if you would prefer to use a different block. By the end you will have a two floor mansion with two different porches and a house of your own.

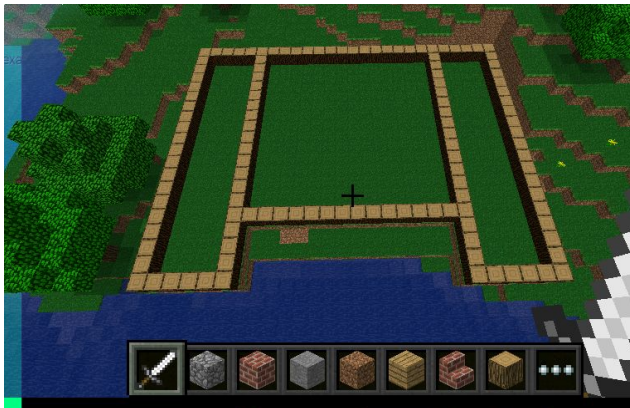
Parts/Resource List:

- Wooden planks
- Dark oak wood blocks
- Flat area
- cobblestone

Step Number: 1

Step Title: Building the Layout

Screenshot(s):



Description of Step:

Start by making a 16 by 16 outline of a square out of dark oak wood. Then after you have the outline extend on corner 5 blocks out from that corner and extend it 20 blocks down. Then extend another five facing back to the original square. Then connect the original square to the going-to-be rectangle as shown in the picture. Finally repeat on the other side of the square so that you have a final outline that looks like the picture.

Step Number: 2

Step Title: Starting the walls

Screenshot(s):



Description of Step:

With the outline you have, find different corners and intersection that there on the base outline and stack the same dark oak wood block 8 times (8 blocks on top of the already layered outline) for each of the corners

Step Number: 2

Step Number: 3

Step Title: Creating the outline

Screenshot(s):

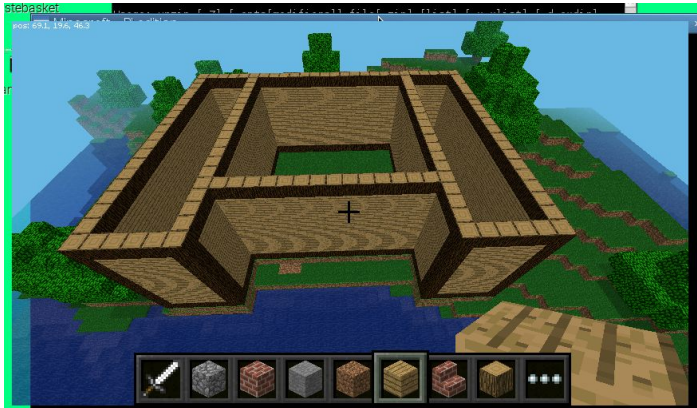


Description of Step: From the extensions that were already made, take the same dark oak wood block and connect them across horizontally. The all should line up so that they are all connected from extension to extension. You can check your final result with the screenshot shown to check your errors.

Step Number: 4

Step Title: Filling in the walls

Screenshot(s):

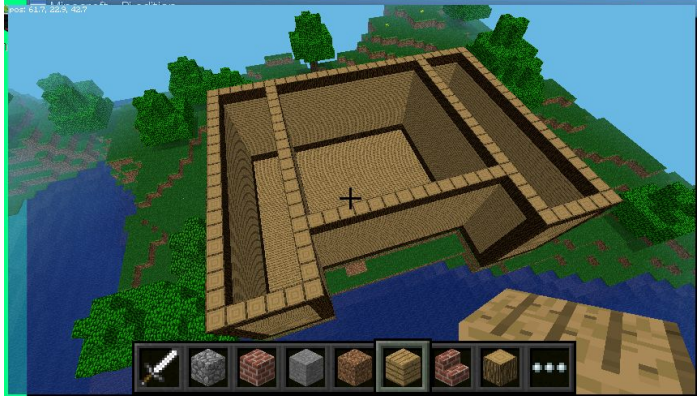


Description of Step: From the big outline that was created in step 4, fill in each rectangle or square shape with the regular wooden planks. Do not fill the house or in places that should not be filled in. When completed, the house should look something like this

Step Number: 5

Step Title: fixing the floors

Screenshot(s):

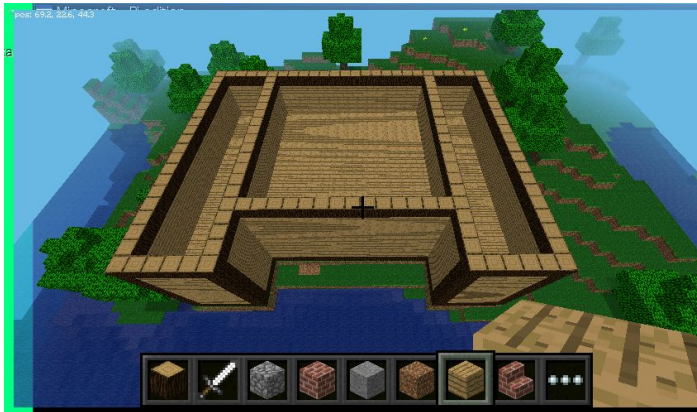


Description of Step: DO NOT JUST ADD WOODEN BLOCKS ON TOP!!!!!! Destroy each layer of what block happens to be underneath the house such as dirt. Then once you have removed the first layer of dirt, you can replace that layer with a layer of wooden planks.

Step Number: 6

Step Title: Separating the floors

Screenshot(s):



Description of Step: On the fifth block up from the ground in the house, start to build the floor across. Make sure you remeasure the left and right extensions on the house so that they line up equally.

Step Number: 7

Step Title: Adding a porch/entrance

Screenshot(s):



Description of Step: Step 7: You can make any entrance way to get into your house but here is what we are doing. Depending on where your house is located, you can do different porch styles. Our house happens to be located near water, so we put a barrier of leaves to determine the porch. When you do this you can use whichever block that you want to and can make it as big as you want to. When we did this, our house is on a different ground level so we extended the porch with stairs and added a few details. Feel free to design the porch how you want because you will be the one using it! When adding the door for this sized house the double door fits perfectly in the center.

Step Number: 8

Step Title: Adding stairs to the second floor

Screenshot(s):



Description of Step: After putting in the stairs you can add the windows as well. Locate in the house where you want the stairs and you can make them as you wish. We also went a little fancier and made a balcony that looks over the first floor. We have not made the roof yet and will make it in the next step.

Step Number: 9

Step Title: Adding the Roof

Screenshot(s):



Description of Step: To start the roof, look at the front of the house and then outline all of the vertical dark oak wood outlines with cobblestone. Complete the roofing outline for the sides of the house as the picture shows. When you do the roof, you want to make it diagonally upward. You can place blocks and break them at the end so you are able to complete this design.

Step Number: 10

Step Title: Finishing the House

Screenshot(s):



Description of Step: Next, you are going to do the exact same thing for the smaller roofs, with the bigger roof. The bigger roof will take a longer time to fill in. Once complete with that outline You can fill the openings with glass to add a little light to the upstairs. You can then add windows similar to the windows that you added on the first floor. After, you can add doors where there are rooms and decorate the inside of the house however you want. We decided to add a porch off of the second floor (optional) and finished the house by adding some torches to make it lighter.

Step Number: 11

Step Title: Creating the second porch

Screenshot(s):



Description of Step: When creating the porch, to figure out where the floor starts, make the doorway for the porch on the second floor and make the base of the porch the same height as the second floor. Once completed filling the porch to the desired height, you can add fences as a railing or extra decorations.