Materials

Objective

- Identify the various types of materials that could be used in green buildings
- Recognize why materials could be considered green

Material Justification

- Manufactured Environmentally Friendly
- Reused or Salvaged
- Recycled
- Rapidly Renewable
- Energy Efficient
Manufactured Environmentally Friendly

- Certified Products
- Regional Materials
- Low Waste Manufactured Products

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Reused or Salvaged

• Using a material for the same purpose

Reused or Salvaged

Picture from This Old House Magazine
Picture from www.thepotteries.org

Recycled

• Products reused for another purpose after further processing
Recycled

Rapidly Renewable
• Products made from resources that can be reproduced quickly

Rapidly Renewable
Energy Efficient

More Information

- [www.buildinggreen.com](http://www.buildinggreen.com)
- [www.toolbase.org](http://www.toolbase.org)