

# Lesson 4 – Anatomy of a Residential Framed House Wall

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## Activity #1

1. This lesson can be found by accessing the lesson plan “Constructing a Model Wood-Framed House – Lesson #1” online at:  
<http://cteteach.cteonline.org/portal/default/Curriculum/Viewer/Curriculum?refcmobjid=276487&action=2&view=viewer&cmobjid=276487>
2. Teachers: please create a free account to login and access manuals.
3. The following documents go with this lesson:
  - Frame Wall Window
  - Frame Wall Quiz
  - Wall Frame Student Work Sheet
  - Wall Frame Parts

## Activity #2

1. Tell the student they are going to study the structure and purpose of a wood framed residential house.
2. Students will learn the names of the different parts that make up a residential framed wall.
3. Students will view a 10 minute section of “Framing Walls with Larry Haun.”  
*Note: The section to be viewed is titled "Anatomy of a Wall" in which house framer, Larry Haun, discusses the component parts of a typical house wall frame.*
4. Using the wall frame student work sheet hand-out, the students will label the various framing members while watching the video.

Note: video, "Wall Framing" by Larry Haun, (The Taunton Press, 1999)

<http://www.finehomebuilding.com/item/12720/building-skills-wall-framing-layout>

<http://www.finehomebuilding.com/how-to/articles/anatomy-stud-framed-wall.aspx>