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House Design: Renovation and Addition

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Research

Meet the WILLIAMS Family



Lloyd
(42)

- Single Father
↳ wife recently passed away
- Millworker
- Loves Jamaican Food
- Plays the drums
- Enjoys Canoeing



Davon
(19)

- In College for Broadcasting - Television Communication
- Loves Skateboarding
- Plays the Guitar
- Big video gamer



Marcia
(10)

- Wants to be a farmer when she grows up
- Loves to make her own music videos to her favourite songs
- Enjoys riding her bike around the neighbourhood



Winston
(4)

- Currently being home-schooled by his dad
- Likes to sneak up on his siblings
- Enjoys taking toys apart & putting them back together



Sharon
(65)

- Lives with her son 6 months of the year
- Loves spending time with family
- Appreciates her own space

Together, the Williams have weekly movie nights and monthly adventures, where they try and visit a new place every time.



Lloyd

FAMILY BACKGROUND

- Mother is originally from Jamaica
- Father (deceased) was originally from Haiti
- His wife (deceased) was Jamaican and loved dancing while Lloyd played the drums.
- Lloyd was born & raised in Montreal and he wanted to be close to his hometown.

JOB PROFILE

- Entrepreneur
- ↳ own Millworking business & works closely with his brother & cousins
- Frequently visits sites and meets with clients
- Spends the majority of his work day at his desk cost-tracking, budgeting, making contracts, scheduling, reviewing, organizing, and distributing shop drawings

JAMAICAN DRUM COLLECTION

- OF African Origins
- During Slavery, drumming was banned
- ↳ was used by the enslaved as a form of communication
- THE HARP:
- ↳ consists of 3 types of drums:
 - ▷ BASS (munder)
 - Fundeh (Fundeh)
 - Keteh (Repeater)

Plays the drumset most often now

CANOEING

Would go canoeing with his father when he was a kid, and now he wants to make it an activity with his kids.

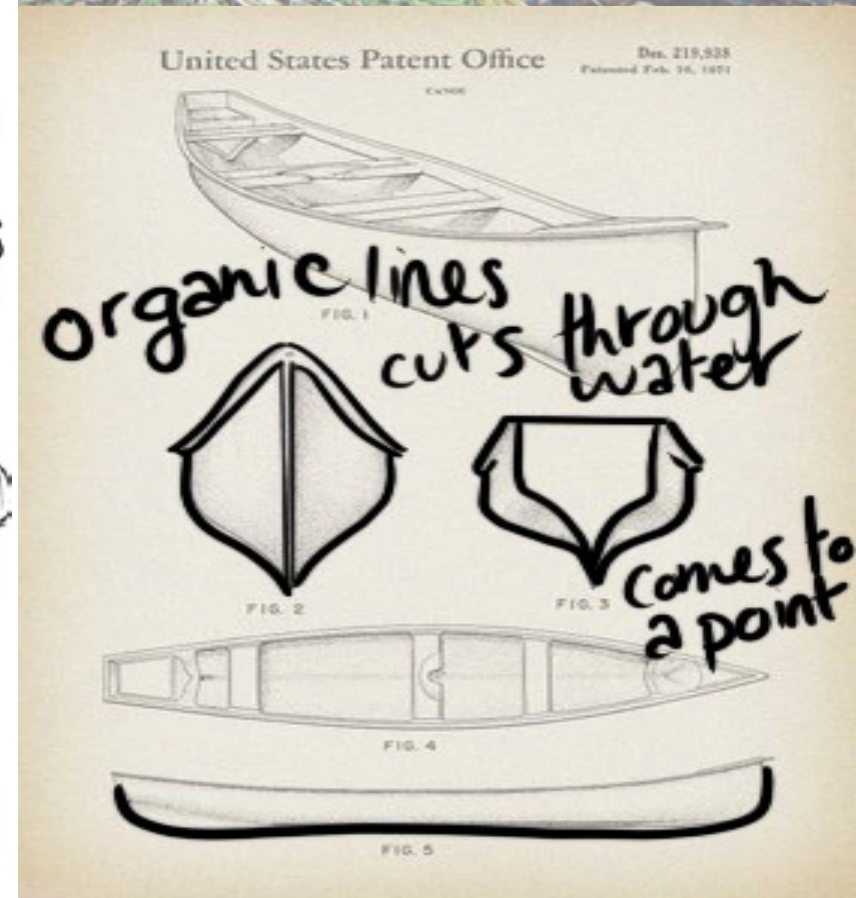
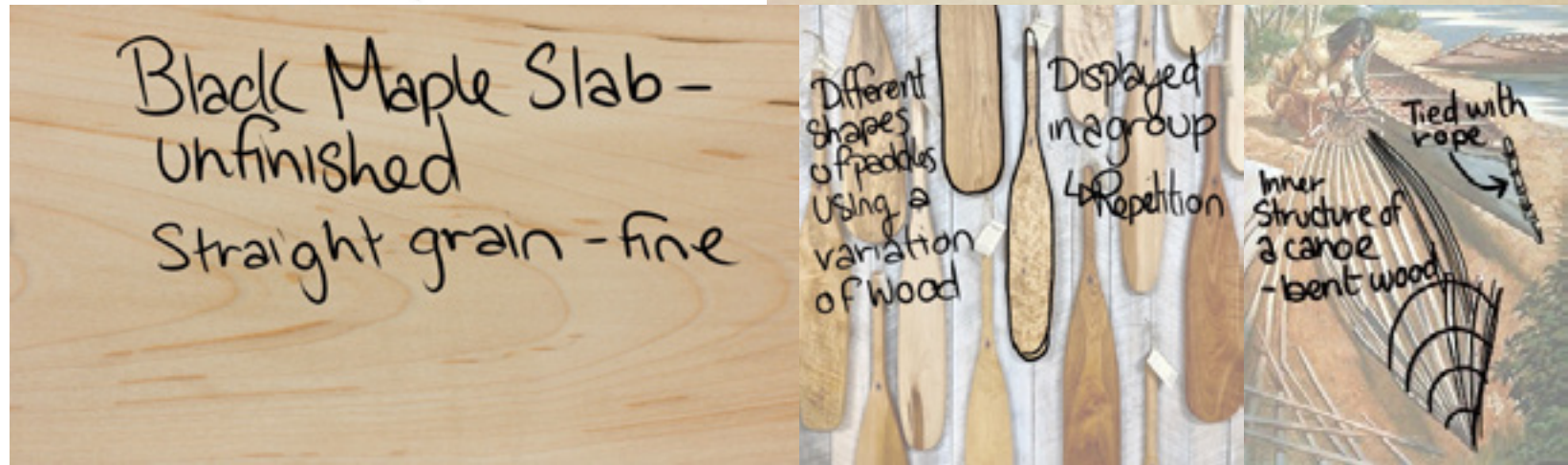
JAMAICAN FOOD

- His wife used to be the chef of the house, cooking all authentic Jamaican style food.
- ↳ After she passed, Lloyd's been learning the recipes from his mother to one day pass down to his children.

Regular has yard parties where friends and family gather & cook, eat, and drink together - outside in the summer - inside in the winter

Favourite Dishes:

- Ackee & Saltfish
- Fried Plantain
- Callaloo
- Bammy
- Festival
- Curry Oxtail
- Rum Cake



Devon

EDUCATION

- Currently attending Concordia University for their Bachelor of Journalism program
- Chose this education stream because he noticed the narrative of black people living in Quebec is very biased - wants to change that.
- Very passionate about creating documentaries of unheard voices

SKATEBOARDING

- Has a decent sized skateboard collection - some functional and some are not
- Loves custom paint jobs
- Does not have a good way to store his collection
- Will sometimes ride around in the neighbourhood with his sister on her bike.

GUITAR

- Jams out with his dad often
- Owns an electric & acoustic guitar
- Needs space for them to play with a dancing audience

VIDEO GAMES

- Owns a play station, a Nintendo switch, and also games on his computer
- Enjoys playing online with friends & twitch streaming - has a decent following



Winston

WITH HIS SIBLINGS

- Loves his siblings very much and wants to play when they come home from school
- Will sometimes sneak up on them and spy on them when they want their privacy - this does not go over well with Devon or Marcia

HOMESCHOOL

- Until Winston starts grade one next year, he is being home schooled by his dad
- He spends the first half of the day reading, writing, and speaking in English. The second half of the day is in French.
- While Winston completes his workbook, his dad gets some work done.
- If the day is too busy for Lloyd, his babysitter Isabelle helps out
- Time is made for physical activity, self-discovery, healthy lifestyle habits, strategic play, & social gathering with children his age.

Toys

- He likes taking his toys apart, understanding how it works and attempts to put it back together.
- ↳ Future designer/millworker?



Marcia

CAREER ASPIRATIONS

- Wants to be a farmer when she grows up
- ↳ helps her grandma in the garden over the summer & loves growing fruits and veggies used in Jamaican cooking.

MUSIC VIDEOS

- When her mom was alive, they would dance together. She's very passionate about this now - dances to the music her dad & brother creates
- Brother taught her how to film & edit videos & now she makes music videos to her favourite songs

BIKING

- Loves riding her bike around the neighbourhood with her friends - they like stopping at the convenience store to get candy & slushies.
- Will sometimes go out with her brother while he skateboards



Sharon

A YEAR IN THE LIFE

- Lives in Jamaica for 6 months of the year (November - April)
- Lives with her son Lloyd in St. Bruno de Montville for the other 6 months (May - October)
- Has been doing this ever since Lloyd's wife passed away to help out
- ↳ babysits Winston
- ↳ Cooks for the family

LIKES

- Warm weather
- Sunshine
- Cooking for the family
- Going to church
- Gardening
- Spending time with her grandchildren
- Reading quietly by herself

DISLIKES

- Cold weather & snow
- Cleaning up after cooking
- Bad language @ \$!%#
- A lot of noise (video game shooting)

ACCESSIBILITY NEEDS

- Her knees are a bit weak and struggles going up and down the stairs
- ↳ sometimes uses a cane to move around
- ↳ Appreciates ample seating to rest when needed.
- Being from a tropical country, Sharon is very sensitive to the cold.

The Location



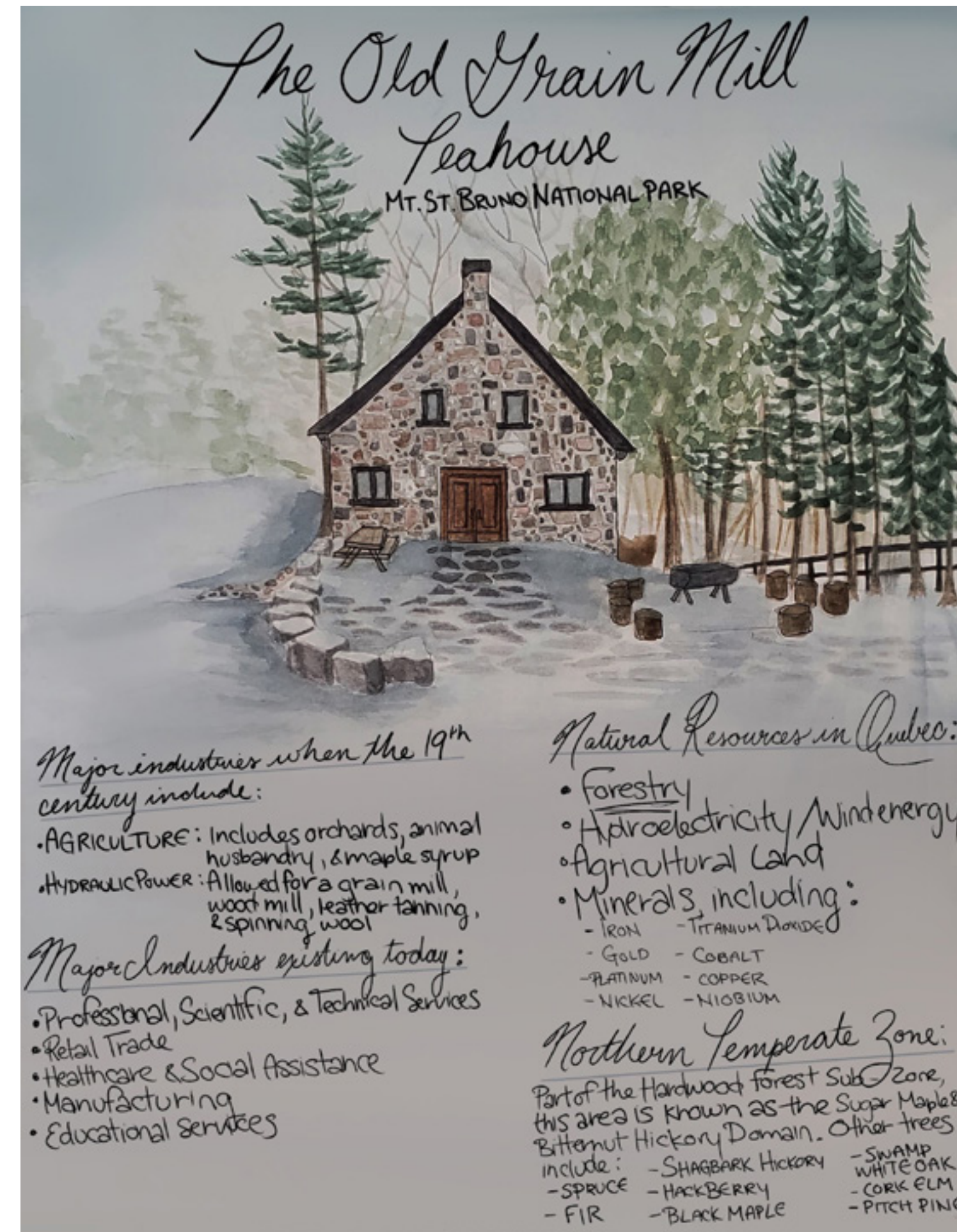
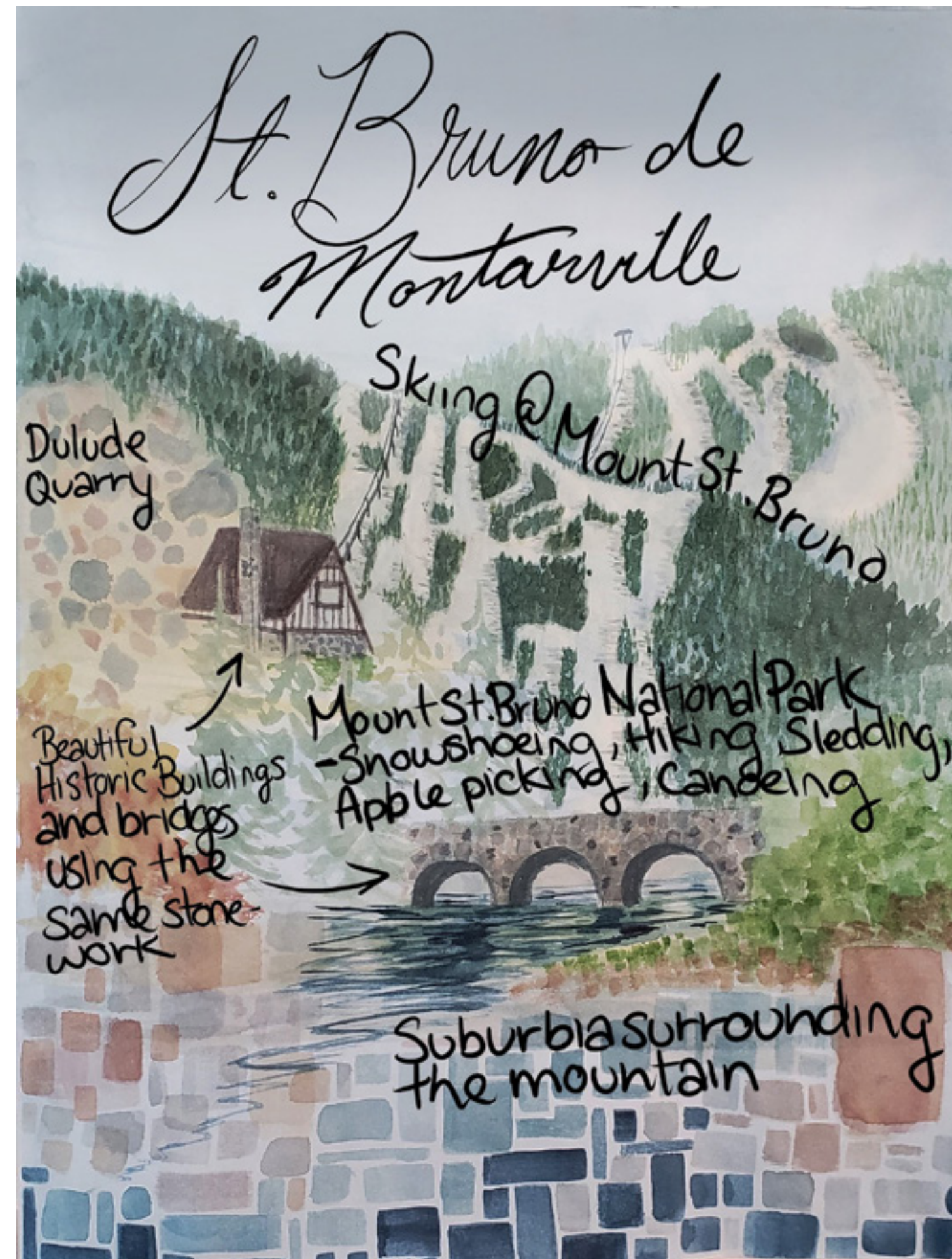
In 1928 Rufus Rockhead, an entrepreneur and businessman, founded Rockhead's Paradise, a Jazz club in the Little Burgundy neighbourhood of Montreal. Known as Montreal's most famous black nightclub, Rockhead's Paradise was a popular hang-out for Montreal's black community.

During its fifty year tenure, Rockhead's Paradise hosted many famous jazz musicians including Louis Armstrong, Billie Holiday, Ella Fitzgerald, Leadbelly, Nina Simone, Fats Waller, Dizzy Gillespie and Sammy Davis Jr. This location gave career starts to people like Oscar Peterson, Oliver Jones and Billy Georgette.

Rufus Nathaniel Rockhead was born in Maroon Town, Jamaica sometime near the end of the nineteenth century. Rufus came from a long line of Maroons, who fought for their independence and freedom against British rule in Jamaica during the centuries of slavery on the island. Having been born and raised in Maroon Town, one can assume that Rufus was taught his family's history and the various customs that governed Maroon Town and its people for centuries.



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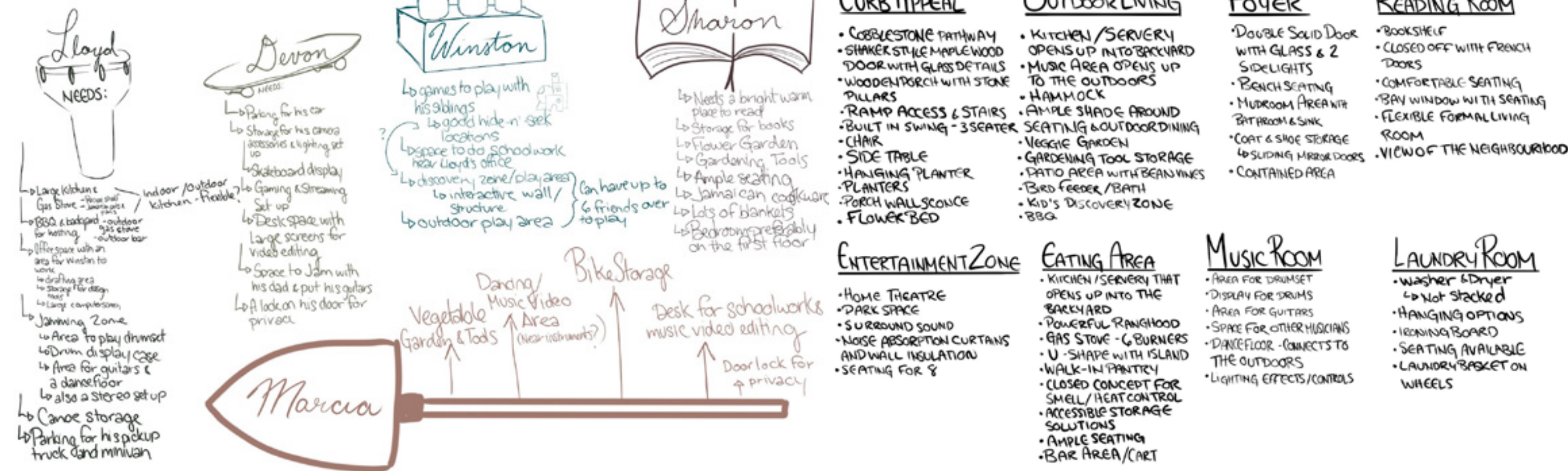


Programming

Mind Mapping and Zone Programming



FUNCTIONAL NECESSITIES:





Schematic Design

Colour Palette



Oranges, Yellows, and Golds:

These colours have been used to create emphasis in louder areas while adding an earthy element to the space. These colours both bring the viewer back to earth, while also nodding to the flavours of Jamaican food, the material used in the making of drums, and the materials used in building canoes. Throughout the space we will see hints of yellow, within the maple wood, and in the metal finishes in the space. Deeper earthy oranges will be used in the furniture pieces to create emphasis on the unique curves as an ode to the canoe design.



Greens:

Bringing it back to client's background and the location they are residing, dark greens will be heavily incorporated throughout the home. This colour is an ode to the evergreen and maple trees surrounding the area.



Blues:

Hints of blues will create a splash of relaxation, while creating a hint of emphasis with the use of it's complementary colour orange. This colour is used as a reference to the surrounding rivers and the client's passion for canoeing.

Bubble Diagram Ideations

Changes:

Basement Floor

- Entertainment area to have noise cancelling wall finishes
- Library and Office to be located in the basement

Lower Floor

- Grandmother Sharon to have the bedroom with a private exit - can be used by the Nanny for the other 6 months of the year
- Devon's Bedroom - darker space for video editing and gaming
- Laundry and Bathroom to be two separate spaces

Main Floor

- Reading Room moved to basement
- Grand entry to be added for canoe storage and powder room
- Kitchen space to be expanded with extra pantry storage

Upper Floor

- Jack and Jill bathroom to be added
- All three bedrooms to remain and adjusted
- Ensuite to be added to Primary Bedroom

Top Floor Addition

- Music room to be relocated here
- Seating for guests
- Look into opening up the windows for an optional patio into the backyard - outdoor concerts



Needed Rooms:

- Music Room
- Office/Study
- Entertainment Area
- Kitchen to open up into the backyard
- Reading/Seating Area

To be Removed/Relocated/Added:

- ↳ Bathroom to be moved from the Basement to the Lower floor
- ↳ Laundry to be moved to the Lower floor
- ↳ Add Laundry chute in linen closet on the upper level
- ↳ Ensuite to be added in master

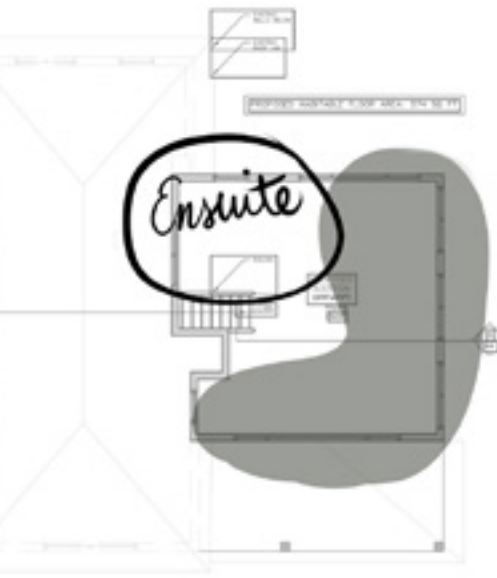
Lower and Basement Floor



Main and Upper Floor

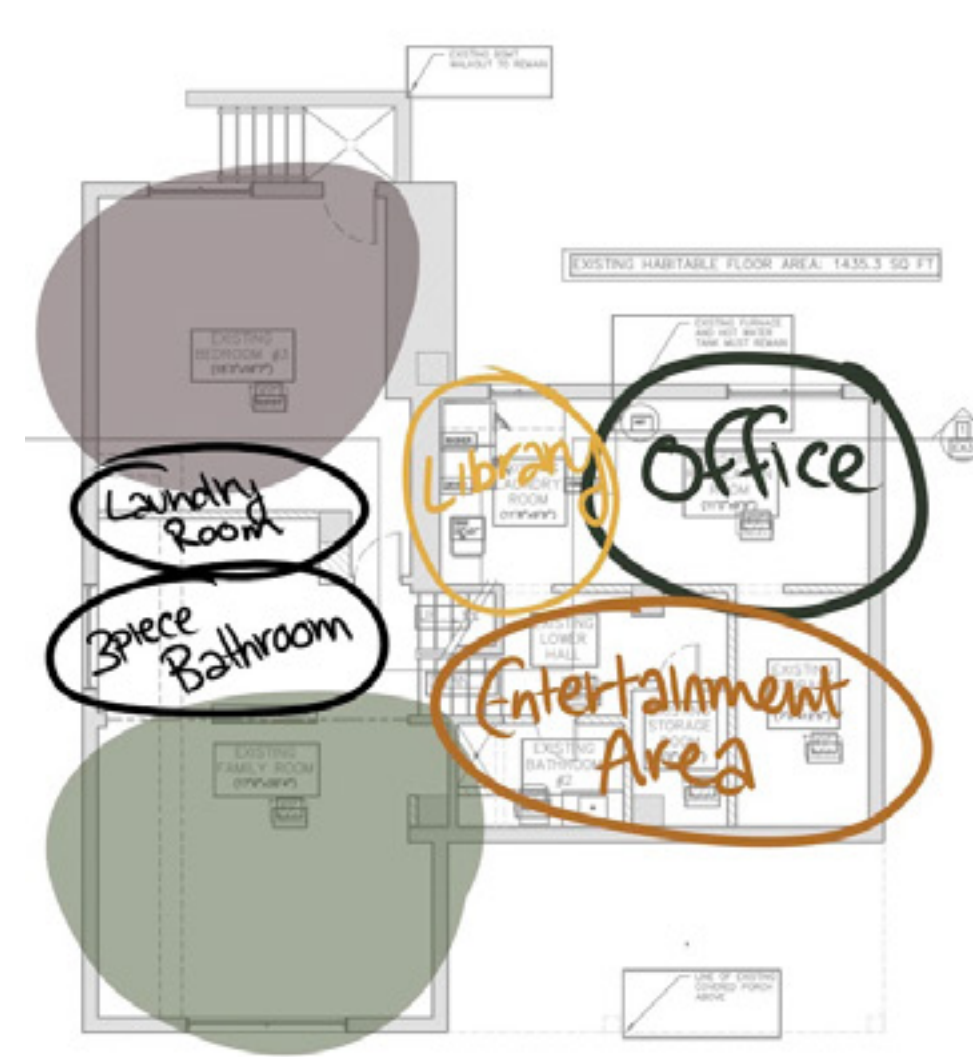


Top Floor Addition



Finalized Bubble Diagram

Lower and Basement Floor



Basement Floor

- Entertainment area to have noise cancelling wall finishes
- To add a concession stand
- Doors to be added at the end of the staircase to contain sound
- Work around furnace and water heater

Lower Floor

- Laundry chute added to lead straight into the laundry room
- Bathroom to be accessible

Main and Upper Floor



Main Floor

- Foyer to have canoe hanging from the ceiling
- Pantry to be added - creating a divider between the foyer and kitchen

Upper Floor

- Ensuite to be added to Primary Bedroom

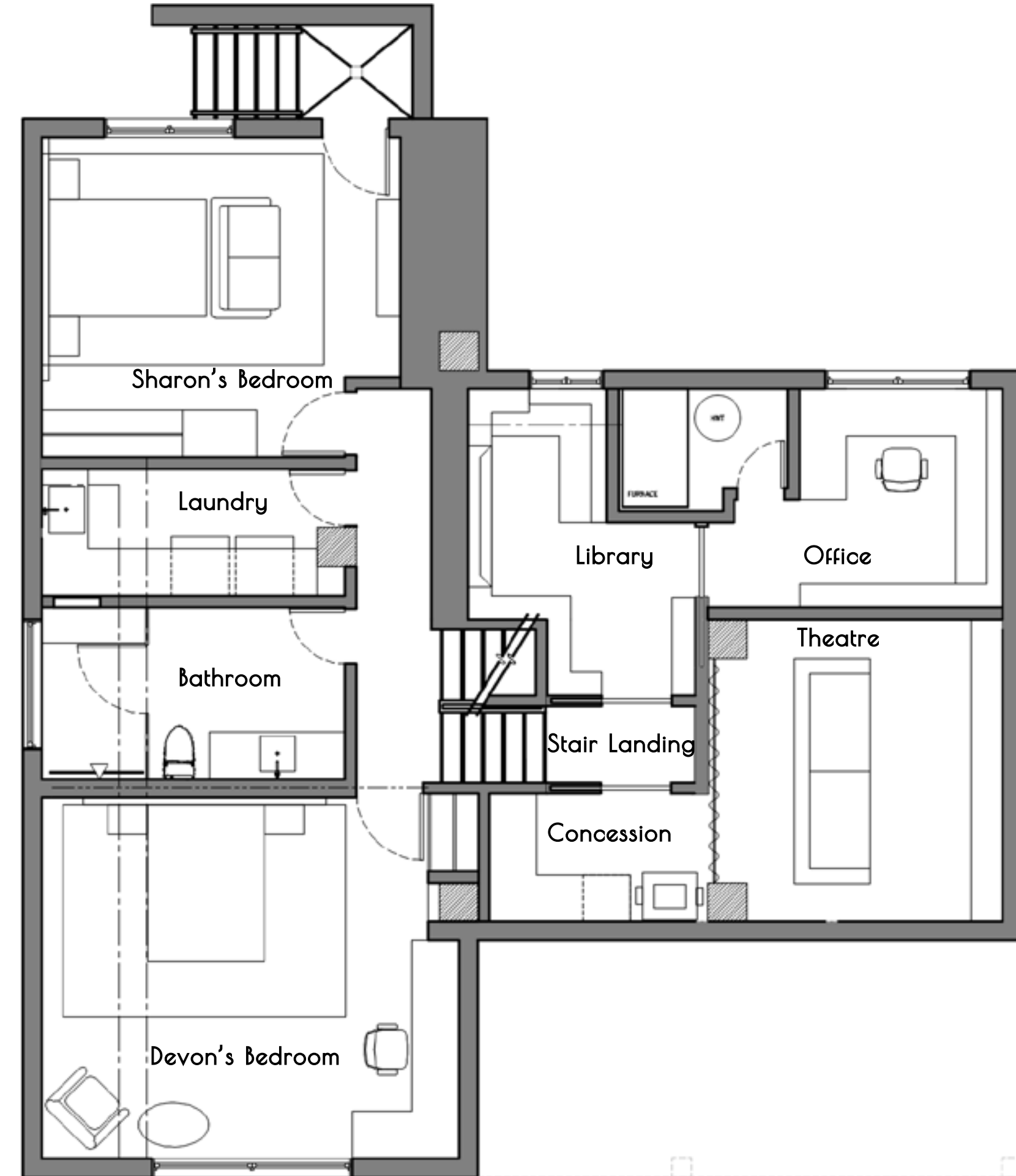
Top Floor Addition



Top Floor Addition

- Seating to view both the music area and play area
- Look into changing windows to nana doors for an optional patio into the backyard - outdoor concerts

Floor Planning: Proposed Lower and Basement Floor Plan



Changes and Adjustments:

Furnace:

- Furnace heater included and enclosed with a door and lighting to minimize noise

Library:

- Adjusted library space with new walls
- Included built in seating
- Book shelving to wrap around walls
- Large fireplace to warm up the basement

Concession & Theatre:

- Created L-Shape millwork in concession area with popcorn machine
- Theatre to have one large sofa with TV unit
- Removed bean bag chairs (too close to tv)

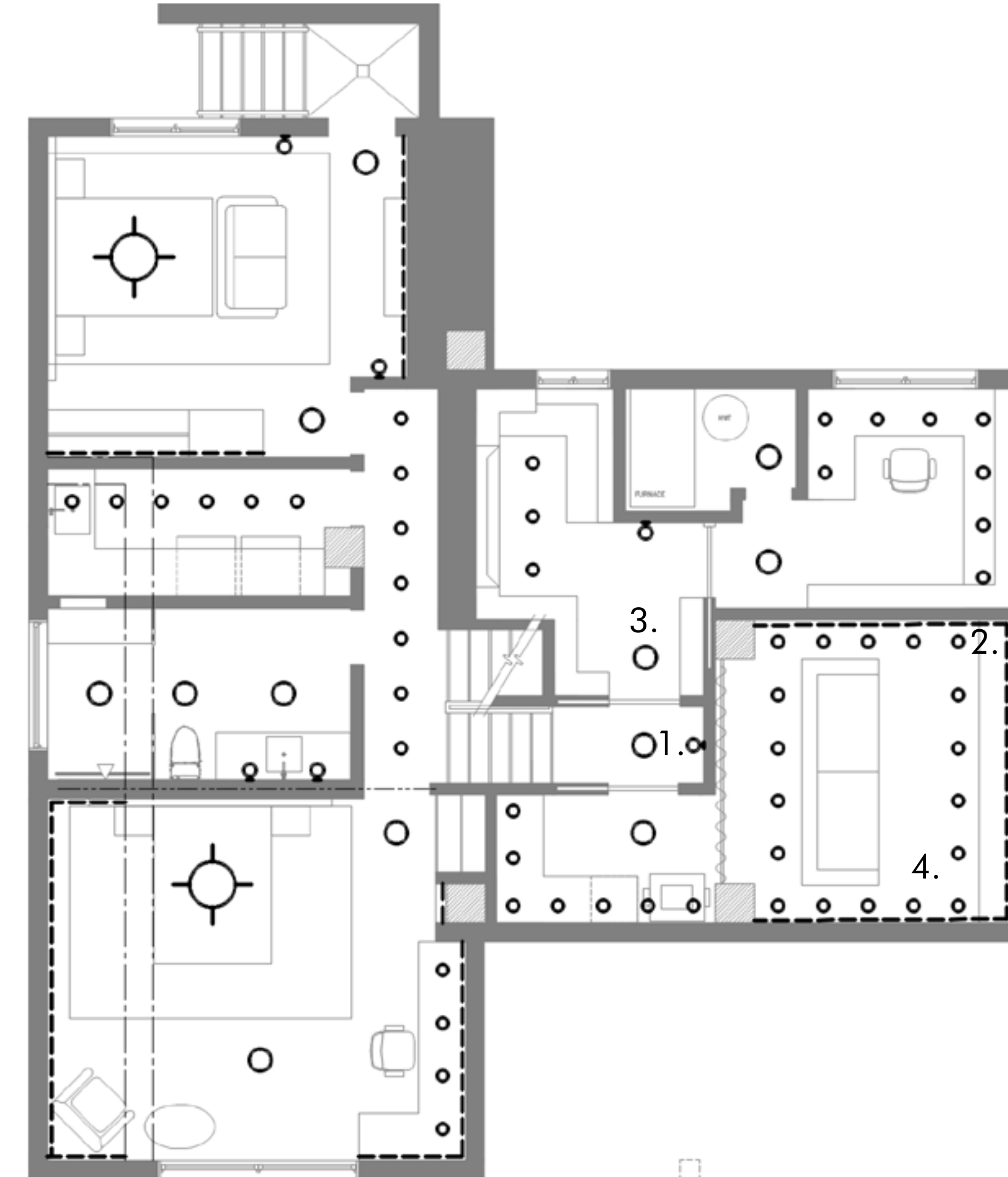
Bathroom:

- Included bench for Sharon
- Swinging glass door to enclose wetroom to prevent slippery floors

Further Changes to be Made:

- Add coffee table/surface option in theatre
- Find smaller sofa for clearance on the sides
- Get rid of drywall around furnace and heater
- add a room divider for easy access into the room
- Remove seating in library
- Remove fireplace in library
- Add flush fireplace in Sharon's Bedroom

Floor Planning: Proposed Lower and Basement Floor RCP



Further Changes to be Made:

- Theatre has too many lights
- Devon's Room to have one chandelier and LED strip lights only
- Laundry room has too many lights
- Hallway has too many lights
- Sharon's room to have 4 pot lights instead of 2 ceiling lights
- Office to have three potlights over the drafting area
- Ceiling details to be added on the RCP

1. Rechargeable Touch Series Wireless LED Art Light



2. Dedalo IP65 - 300 LED Strip Light, Artemide



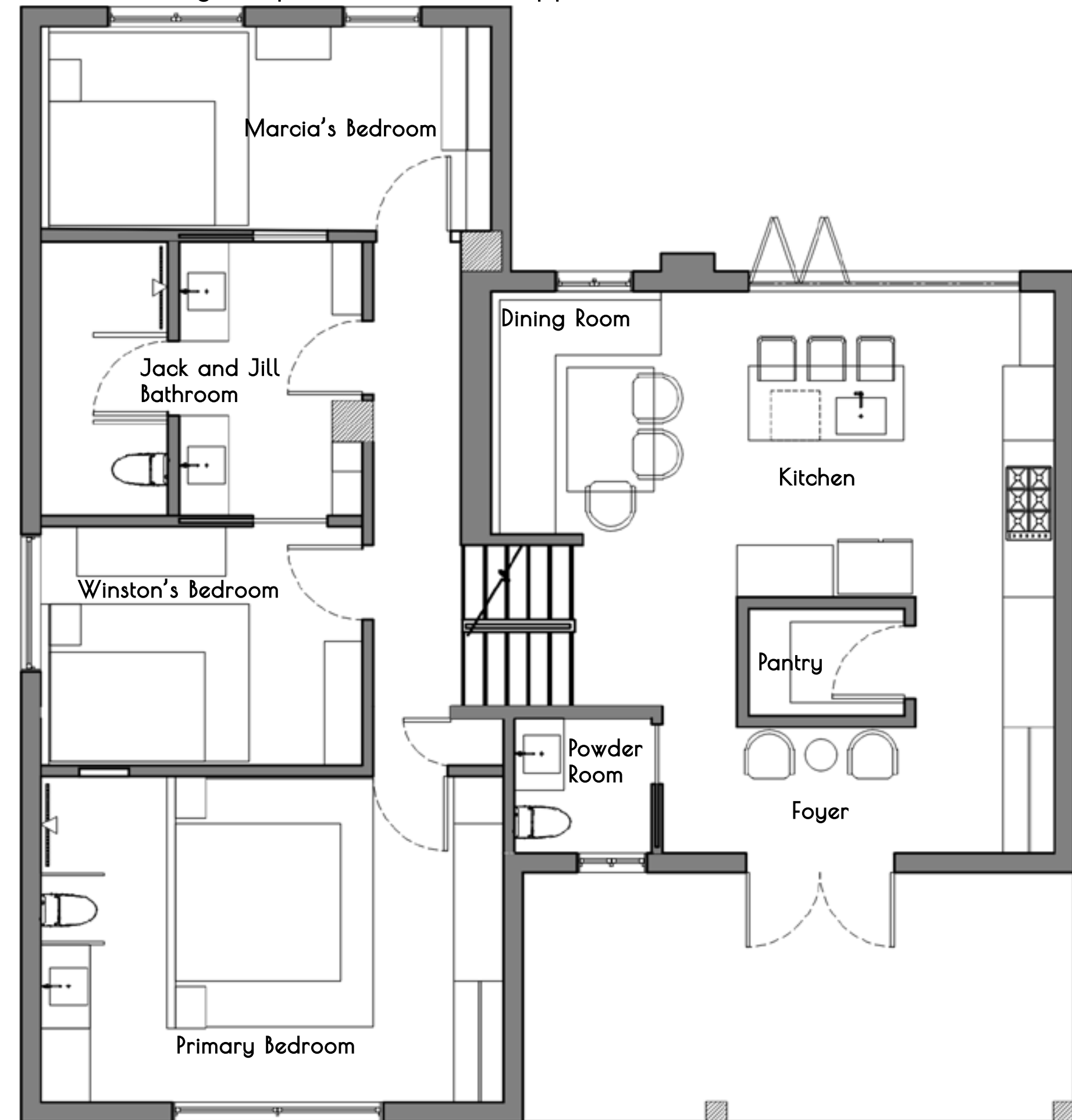
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4. Oslo Ceiling Surface Sconce made of Acoustical PET Felt for the Entertainment Room, Artemide



Floor Planning: Proposed Main and Upper Floor Plan



Changes and Adjustments:

Kitchen:

- Working triangle adjusted
- Herb garden shelving and garden storage included near nana wall

Pantry:

- Shifted to make space for working triangle
- Made space larger to accommodate a larger door
- Added deep shelving for larger storage options

Foyer:

- Smaller foyer space because canoe cannot feasibly fit with a powder room
- 3' clearance into stair area
- 4' clearance into kitchen

Primary Bedroom:

- More closet space

Winston's Bedroom:

- Play/Homework area considered on the top floor addition
- Switched bed from a twin to a double
- Can be used as a guest room in the future

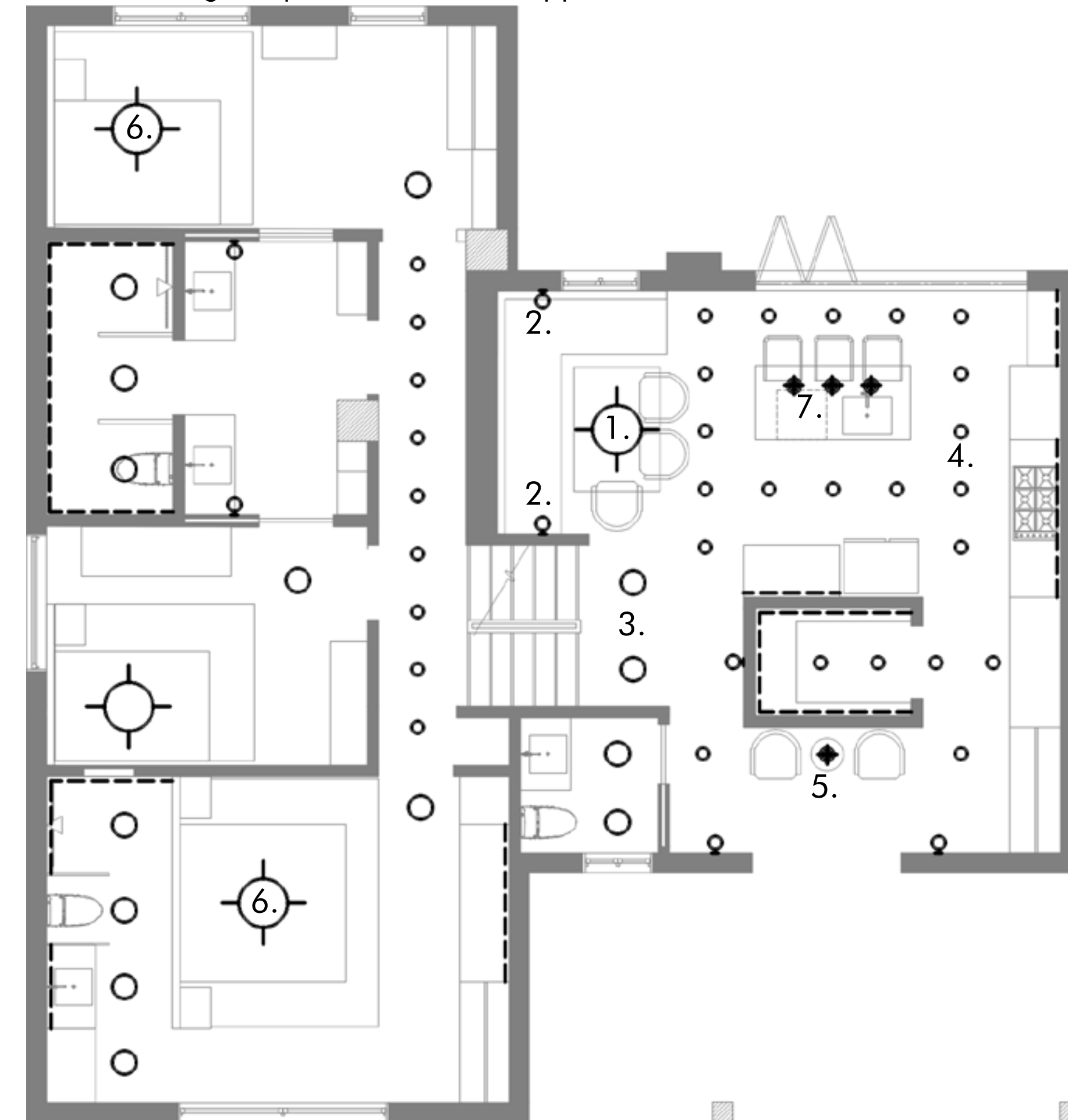
Marcia's Bedroom:

- Shrunk the closet space
- Added a bookshelf behind the door

Further Changes to be Made:

- Marcia's room to have some plants
- Ensuite to have a thicker dividers with 18" on either side of the toilet
- shrink shower and countertop space
- Stove to be centred on countertop
- Larger dining table to overlap built in bench seating

Floor Planning: Proposed Main and Upper Floor RCP



Further Changes to be Made:

- Potlights in hallway to line up with the centre of the staircases
- Jack and jill bathroom to have ceiling light in sink area
- Potlights to be added to Winston and Marcia's bedroom
- Remove every second light in kitchen and pantry area
- Ceiling details to be added on the RCP



1. LED Canoe Lighting Fixture made of Walnut for the Dining Room, Studio Vayehi



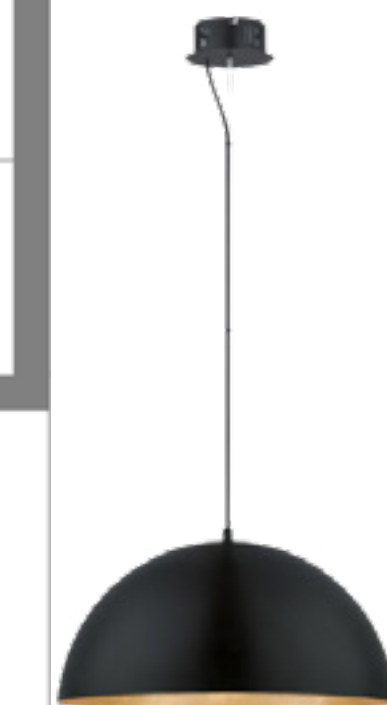
2. Arc Stripes Wall Sconce made of Maple, Studio Vayehi



3. Twin Ceiling Surface light, resembling the Djembe Drums, Artemide



4. Dial Ceiling Surface Light for the Kitchen, Eureka



5. Metal Dome LED Pendant for Foyer, Union Lighting

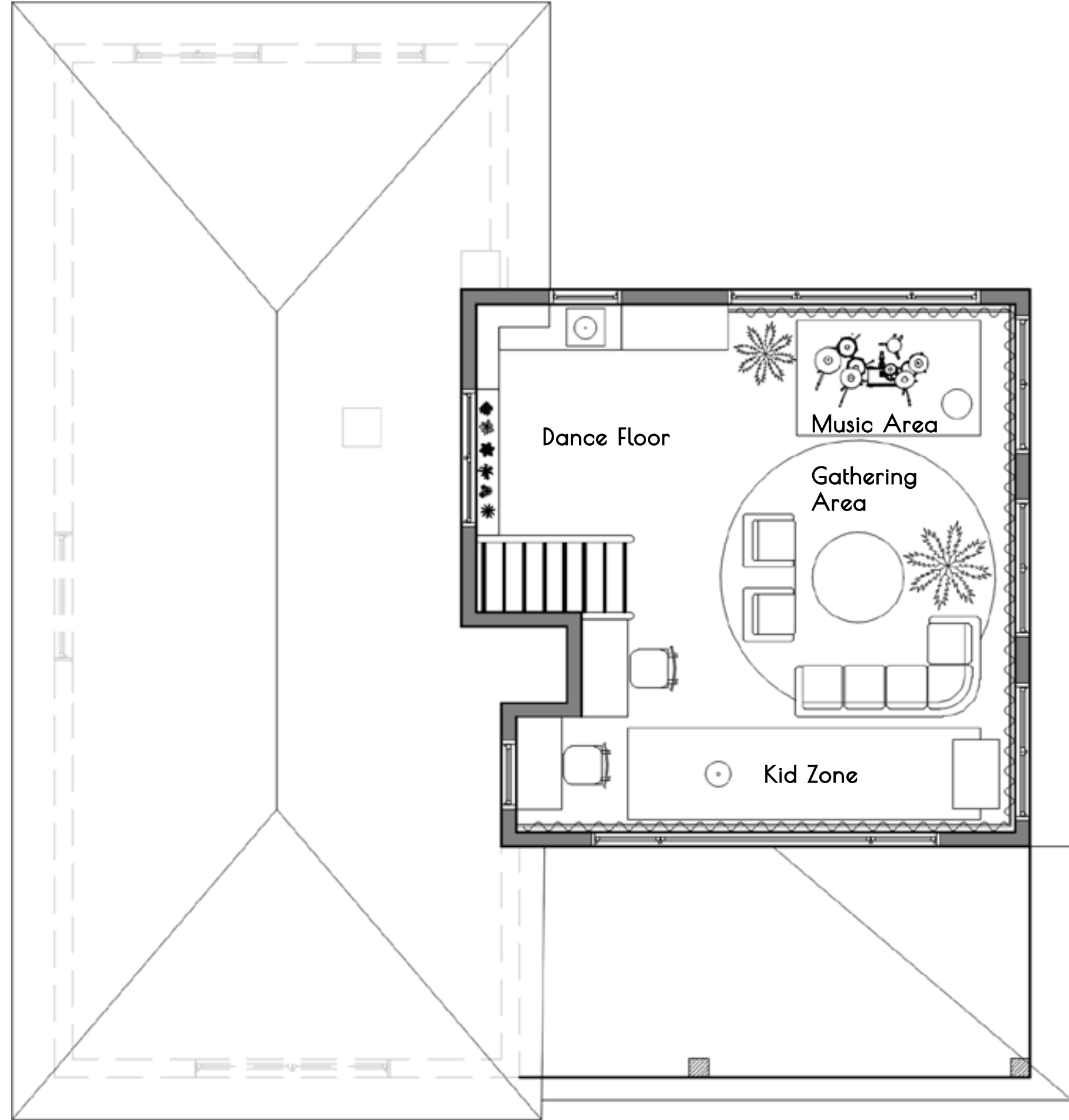


6. Woven Dome Pendant for Primary Bedroom, Union Lighting



7. Verneer Ceiling Suspended Light for the Island, Eureka

Floor Planning: Top Floor Addition Floor Plan



Changes and Adjustments:

Curtains added to both block out light when necessary, create some privacy, and absorb sound

Music Area:

- Open concept to be enjoyed throughout the room
- Dance floor created
- Space for records and record player
- Larger Display case
- Rug to absorb sound from travelling

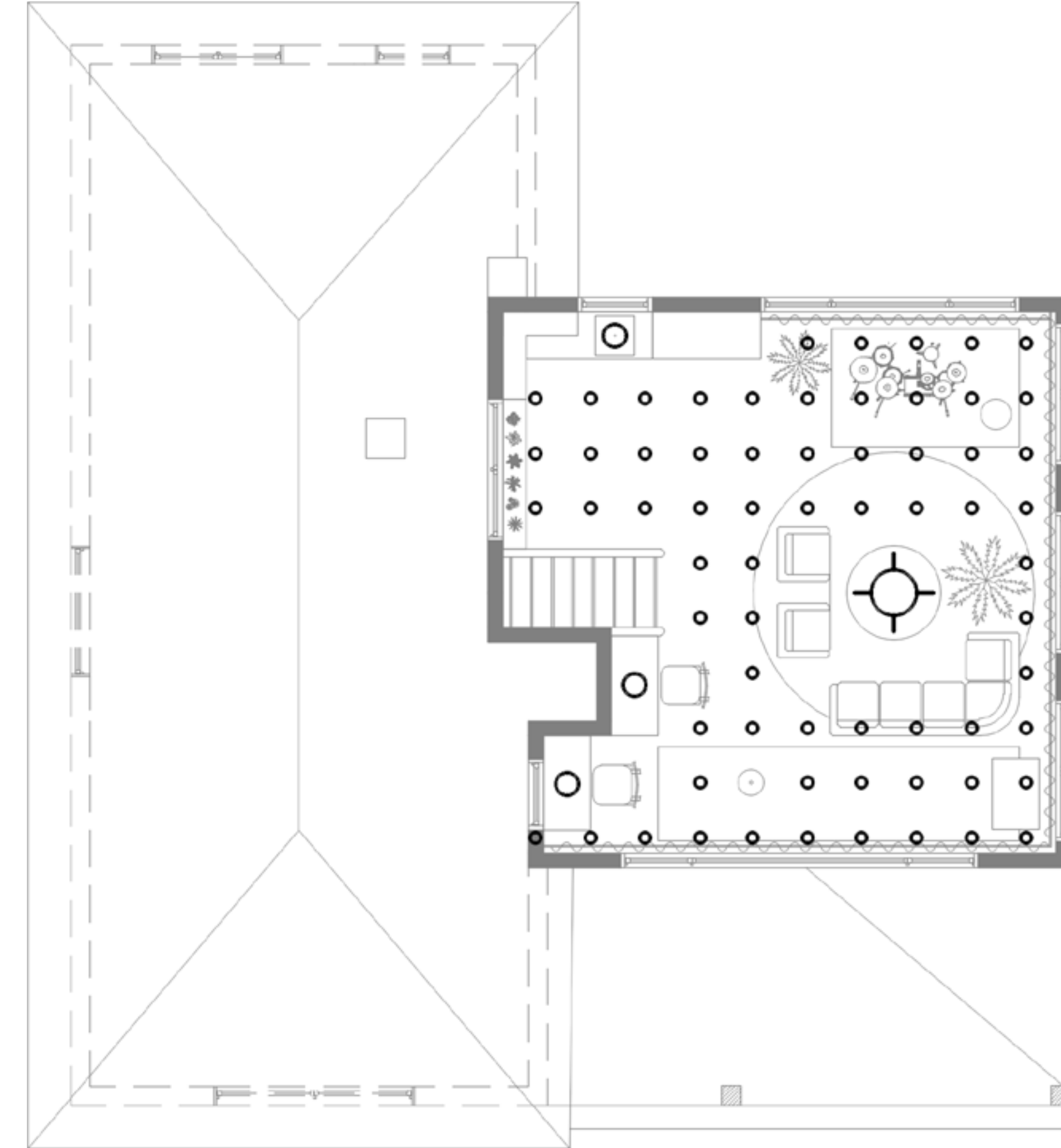
Kids Zone:

- Two homework stations for Winston and Marcia
- Play area tucked behind the couch to contain the mess of toys
- One swing included
- Plant area near music display for Marcia
- One long rug for kids to sit and play on

Gathering Area:

- Centred around enjoying the live music
- Tropical tree added to create the feeling of a tropical space
- Round rug - the centre gathering space

Floor Planning: Top Floor Addition RCP



Further Changes to be Made:

- Remove every second ceiling surface light
- Ceiling details to be added to RCP

1. Boho Rattan Woven Globe Hanging Pendant Light, Arturest



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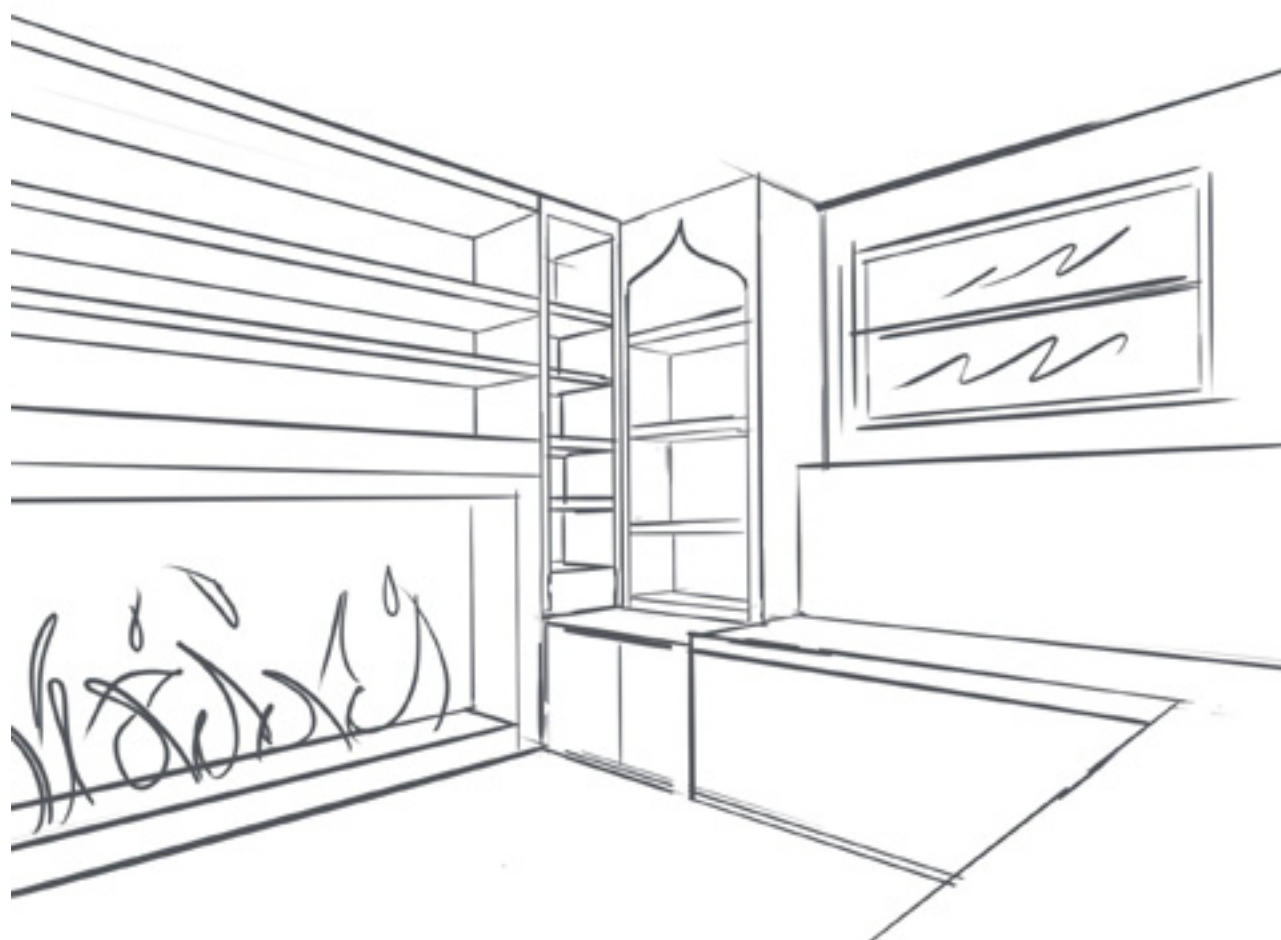
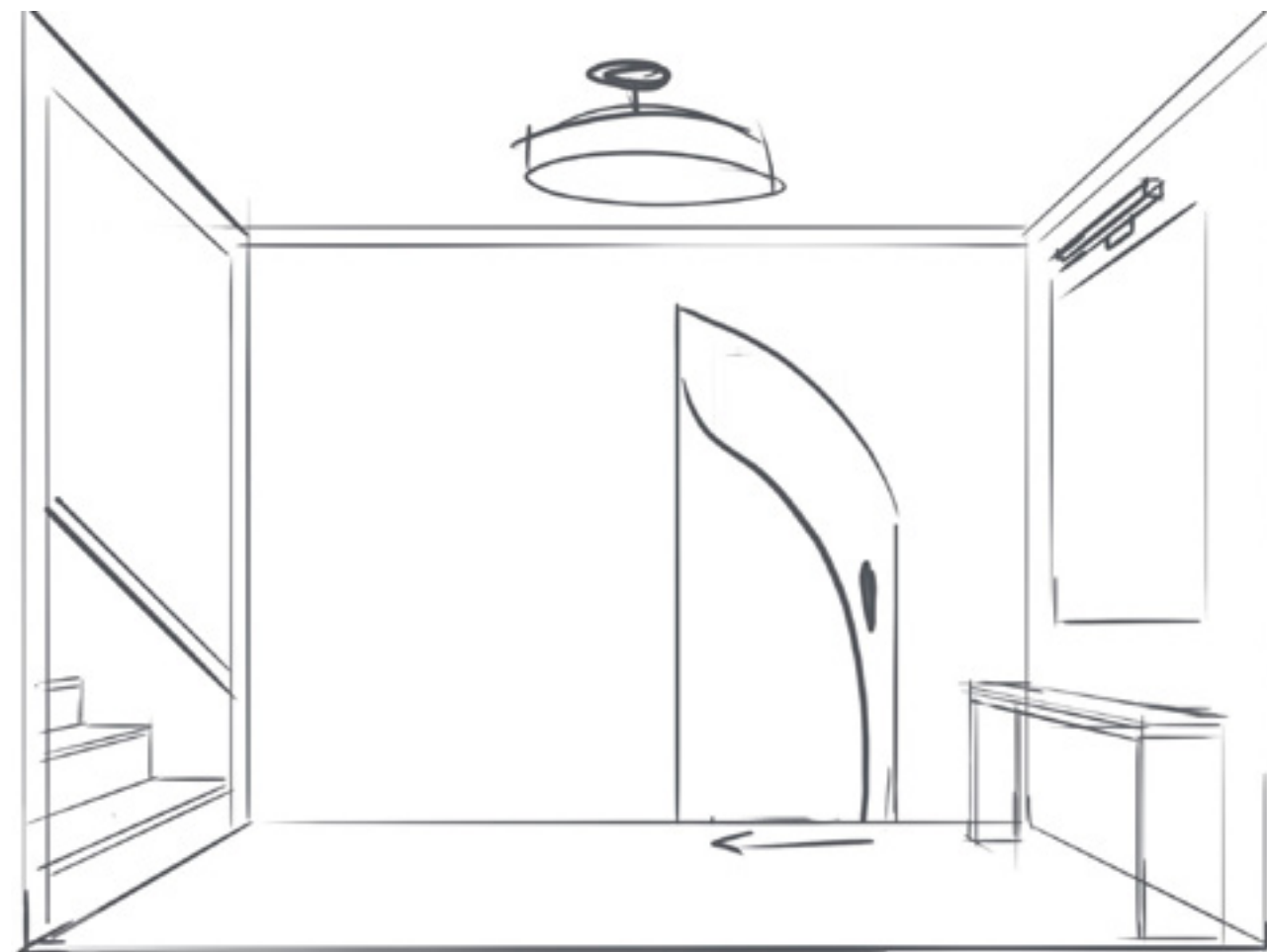


Space Planning: Basement

Staircase Landing:



Library:

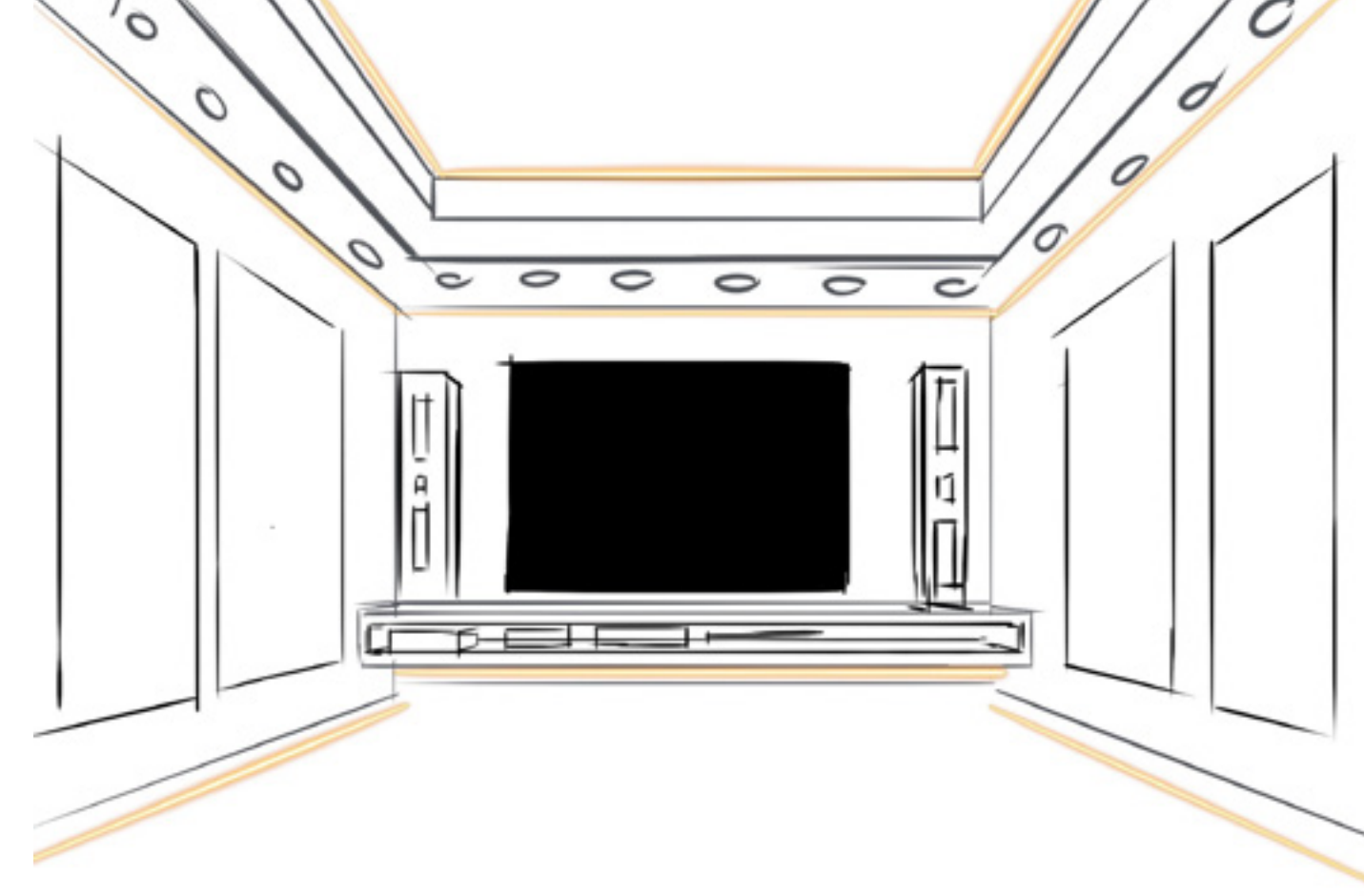


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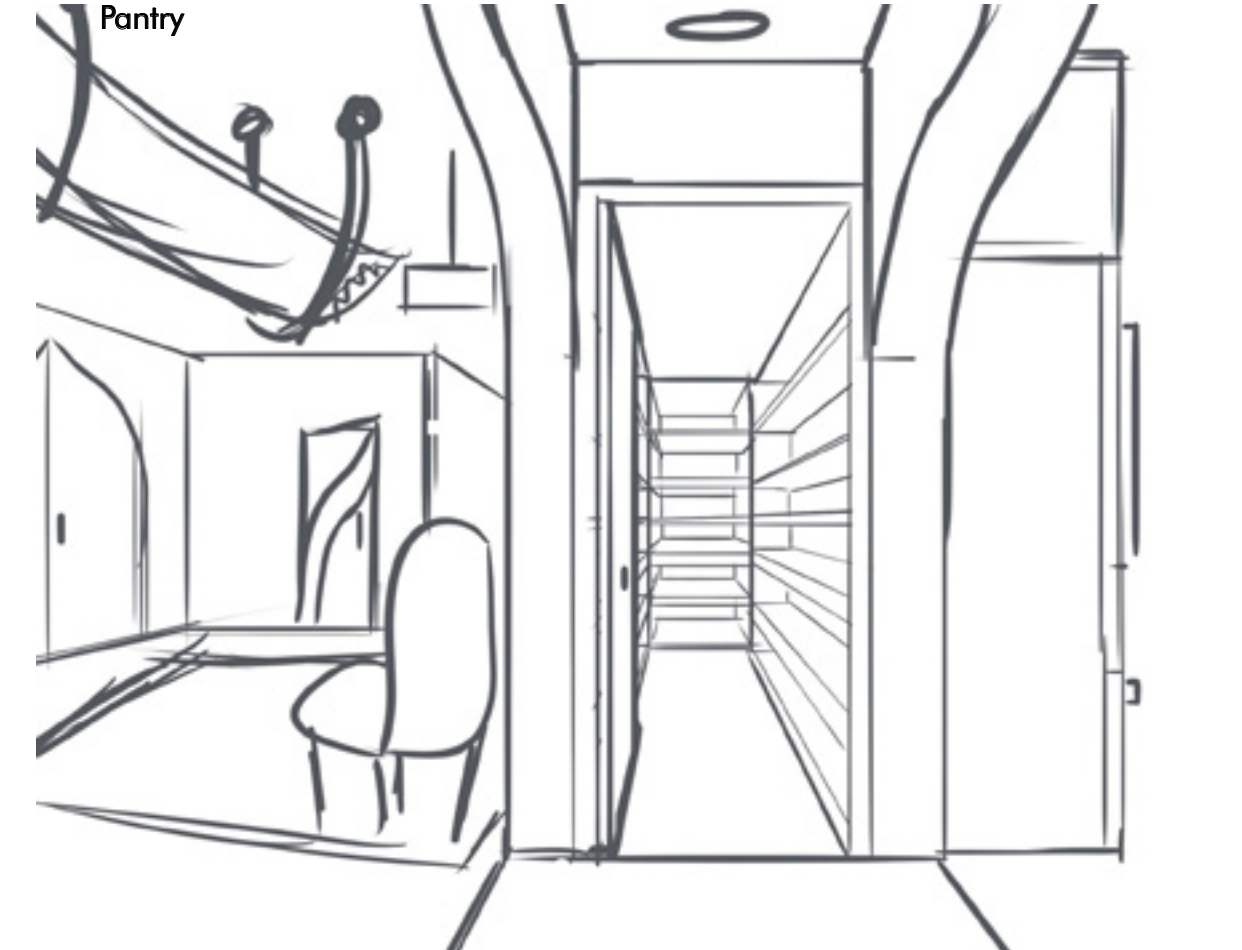


Entertainment Area:



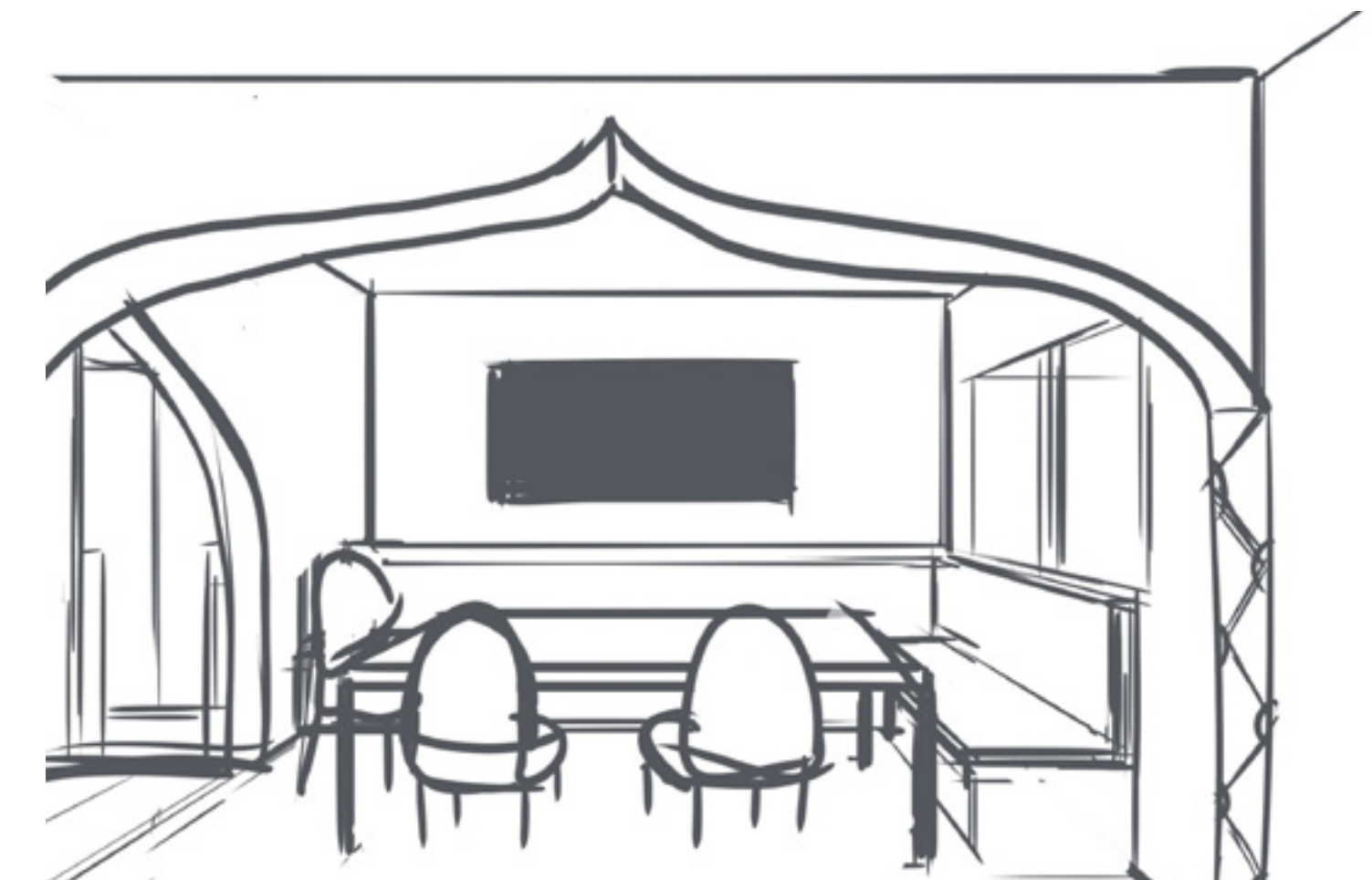
Space Planning: Main Floor

Kitchen and Pantry Area:

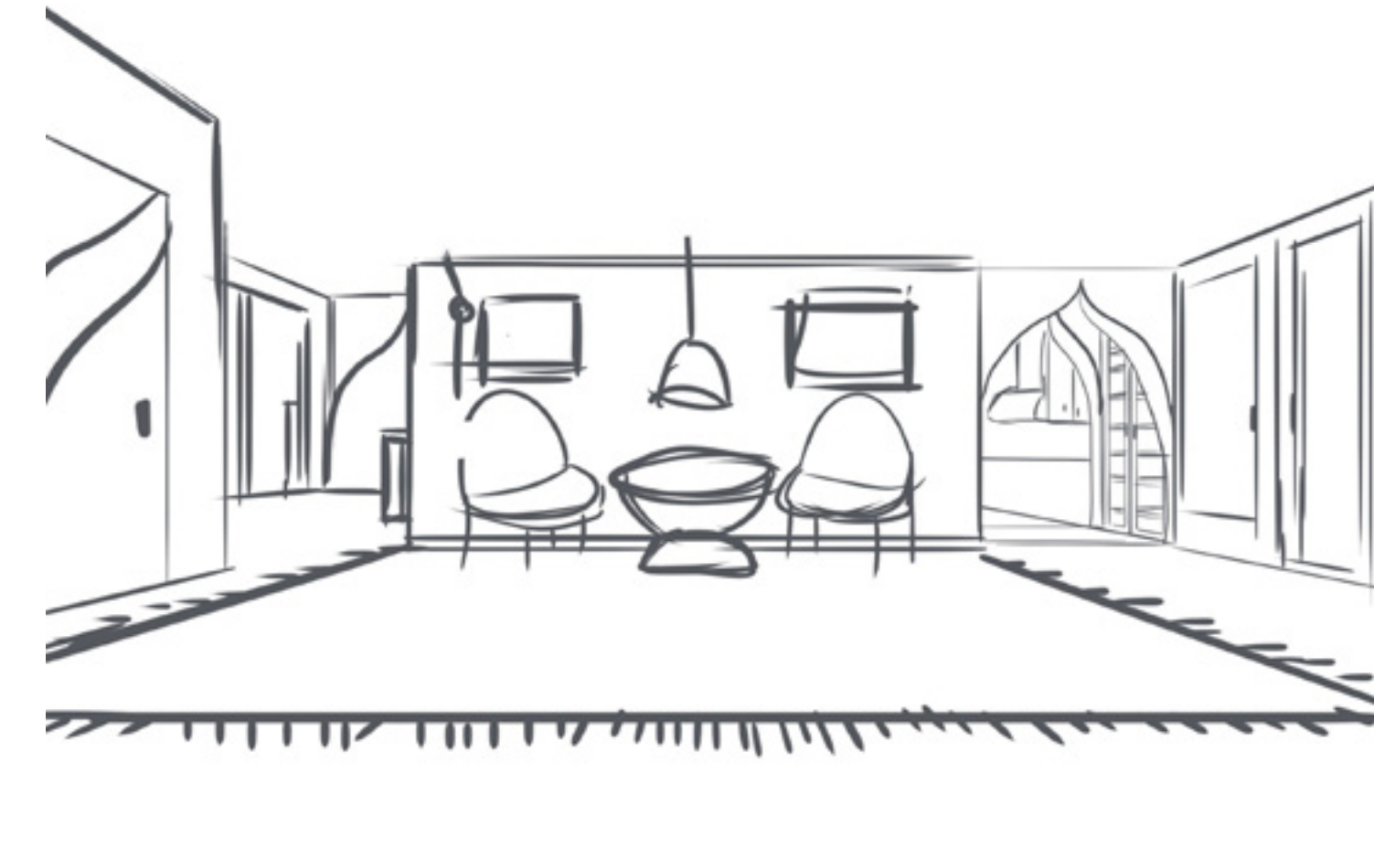


Space Planning: Main Floor

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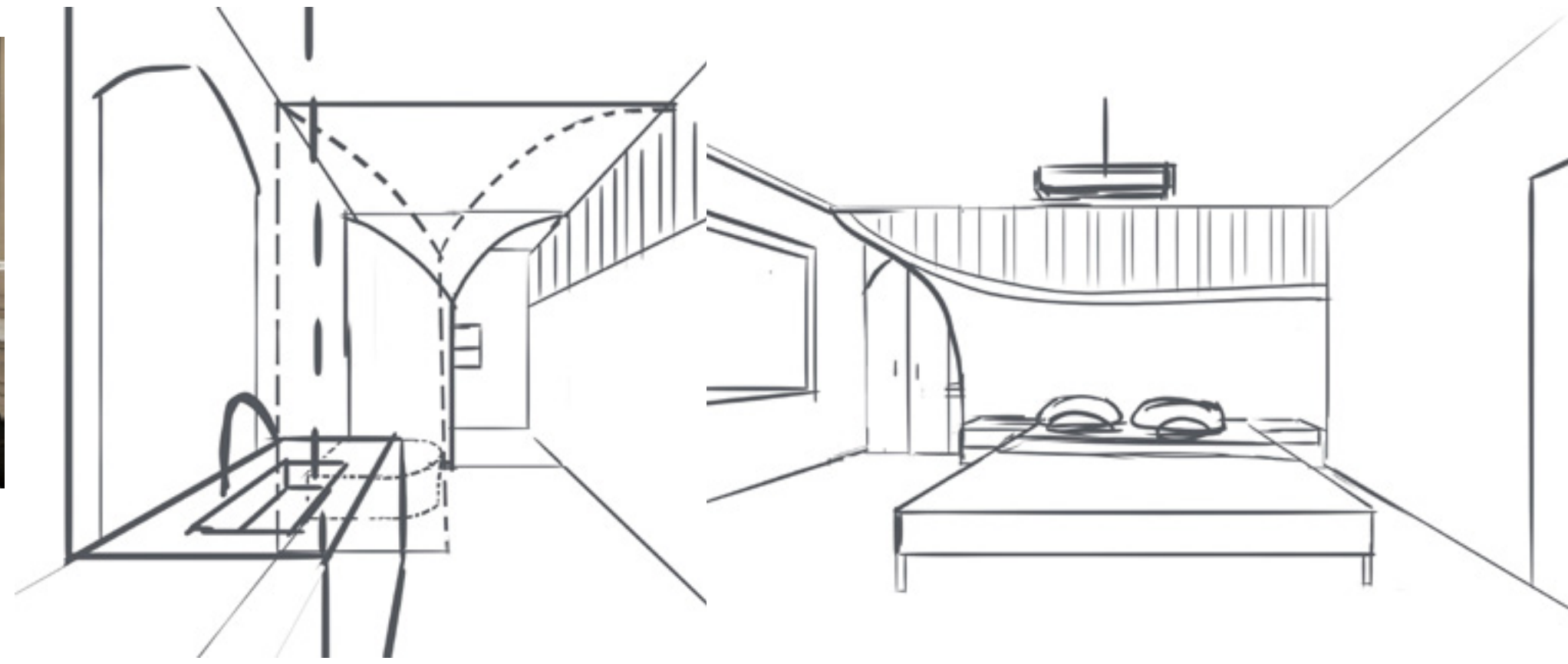


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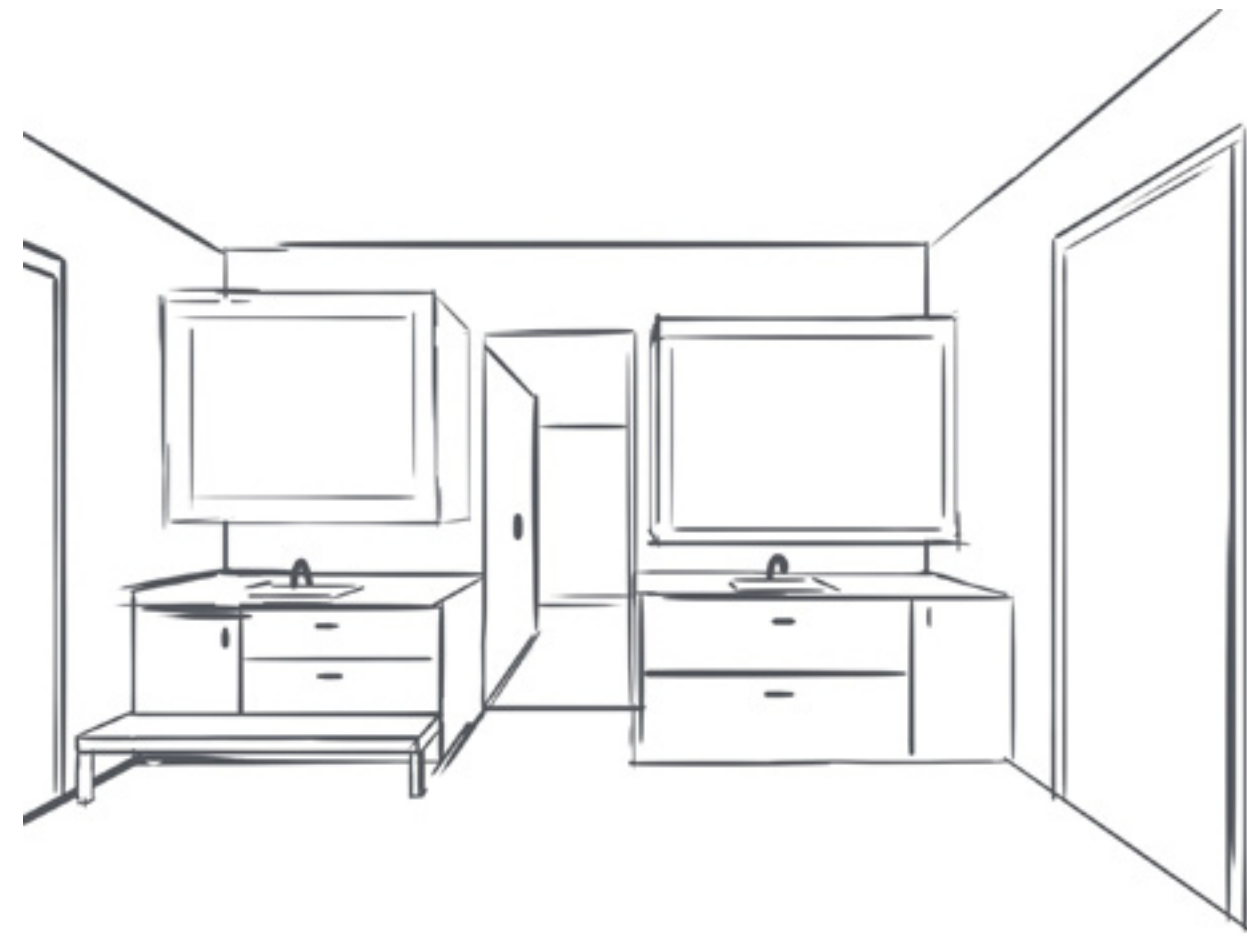


Space Planning: Upper Floor

Primary Bedroom and Ensuite:

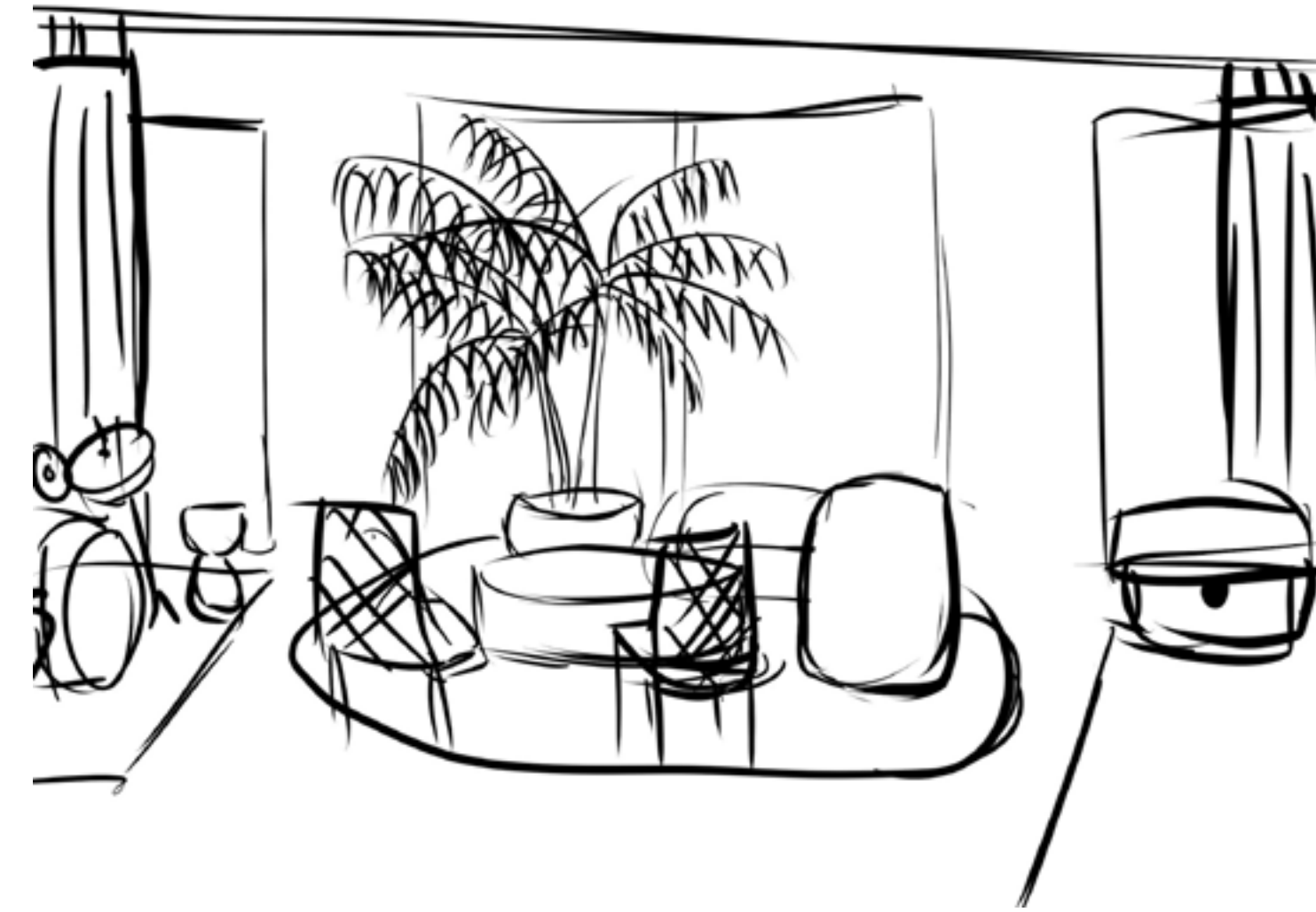
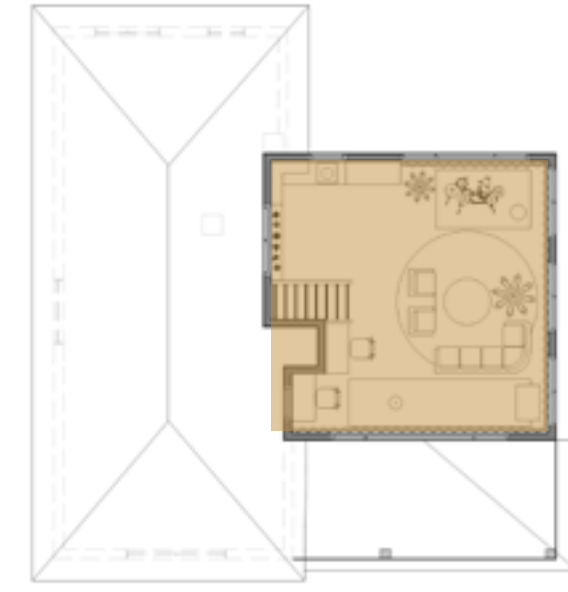


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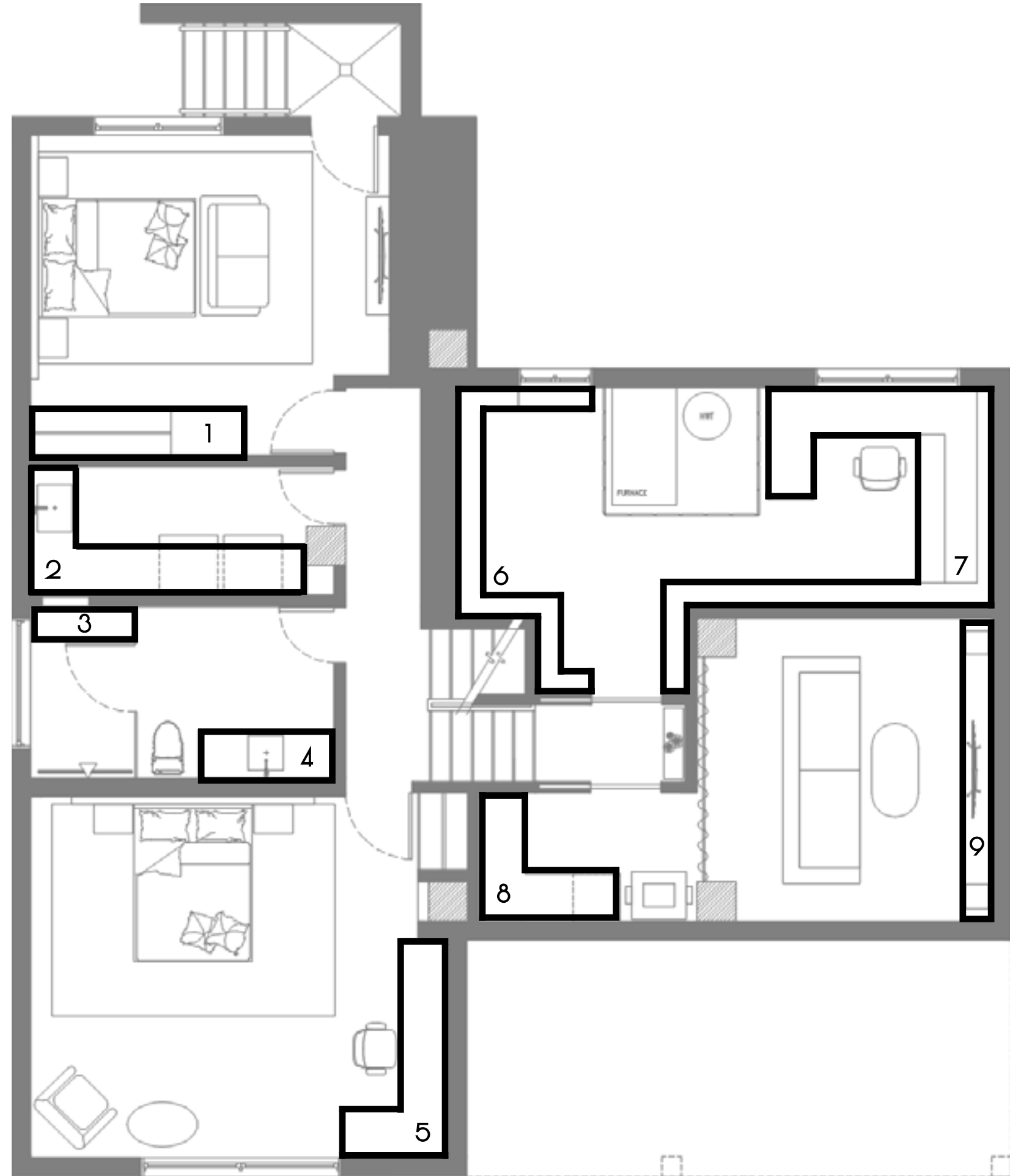


Space Planning: Top Floor

Family Room:



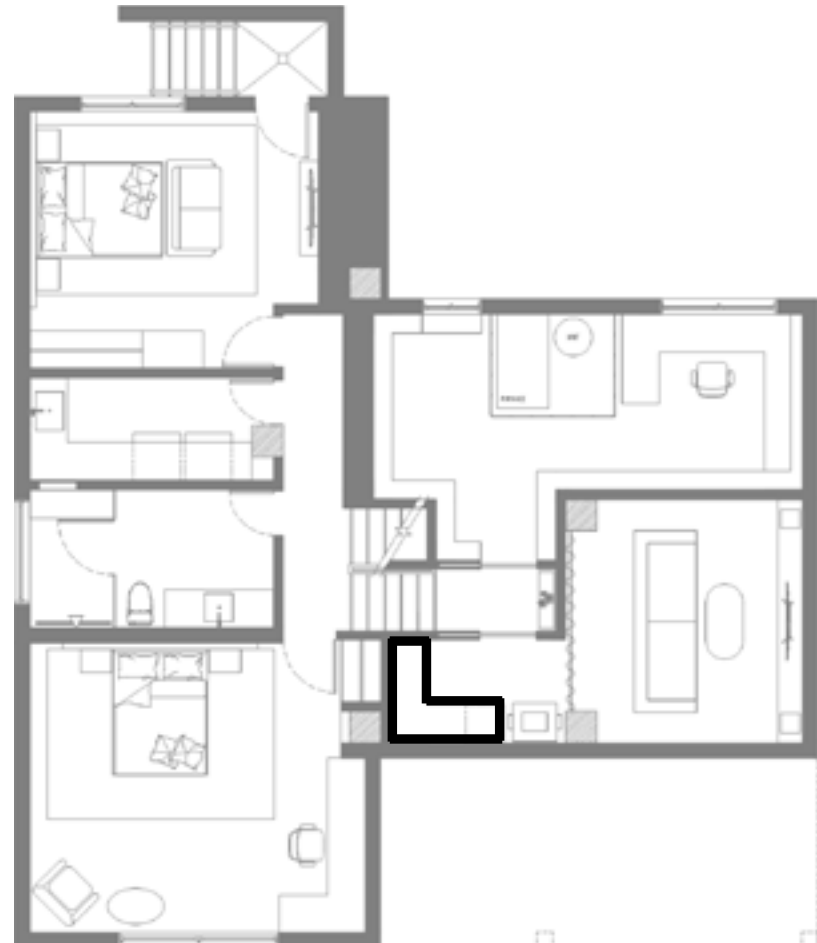
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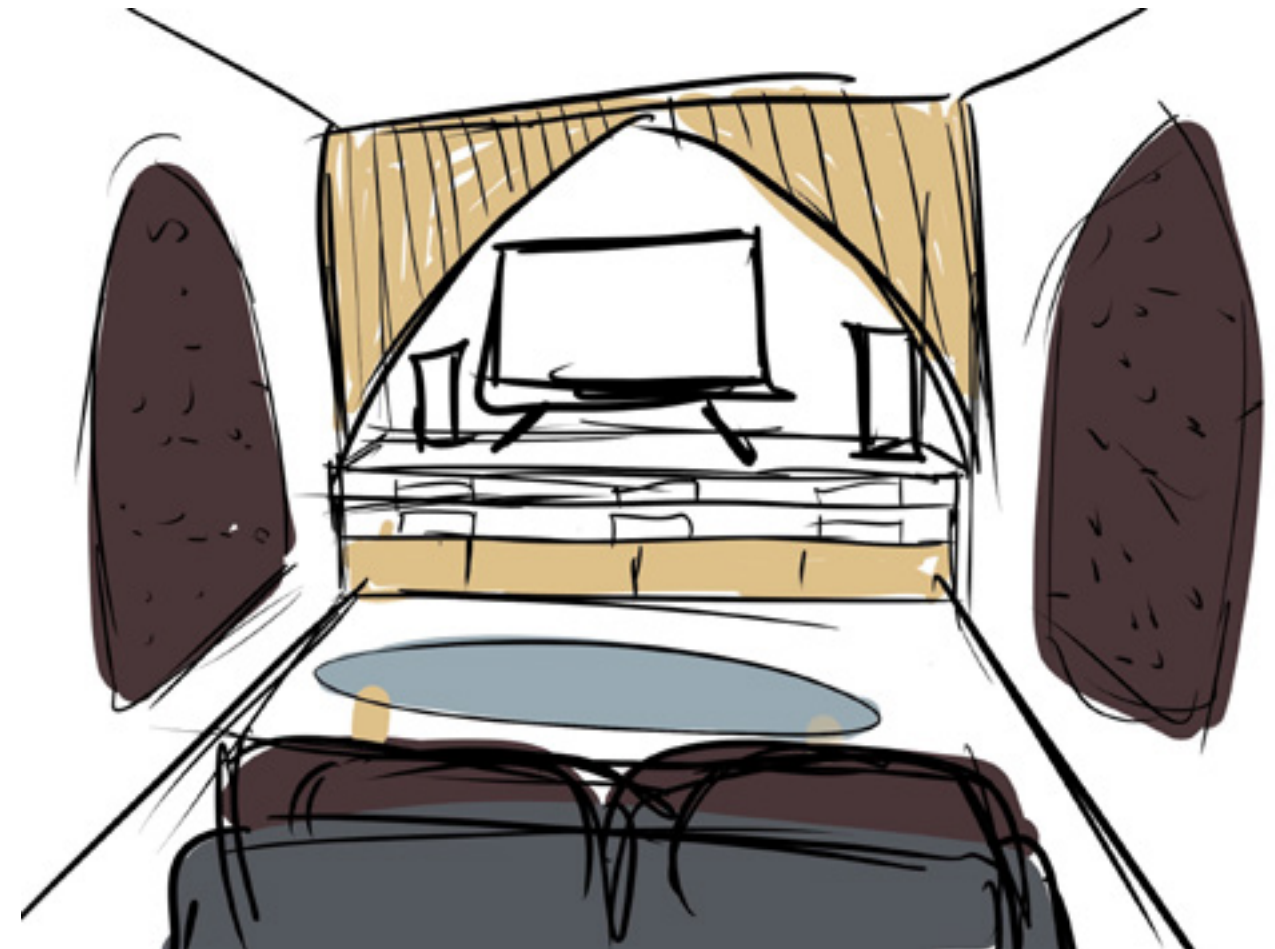
ITEM	MILLWORK PIECE
1	Clothing Storage
2	Laundry Room Countertop and Cabinets
3	Shower Bench
4	Bathroom Vanity
5	Video Editing Desk Space
6	Bookshelf
7	Main Drafting Office
8	Concession Stand
9	Media Unit

Millwork Ideation: Lower and Basement Floor

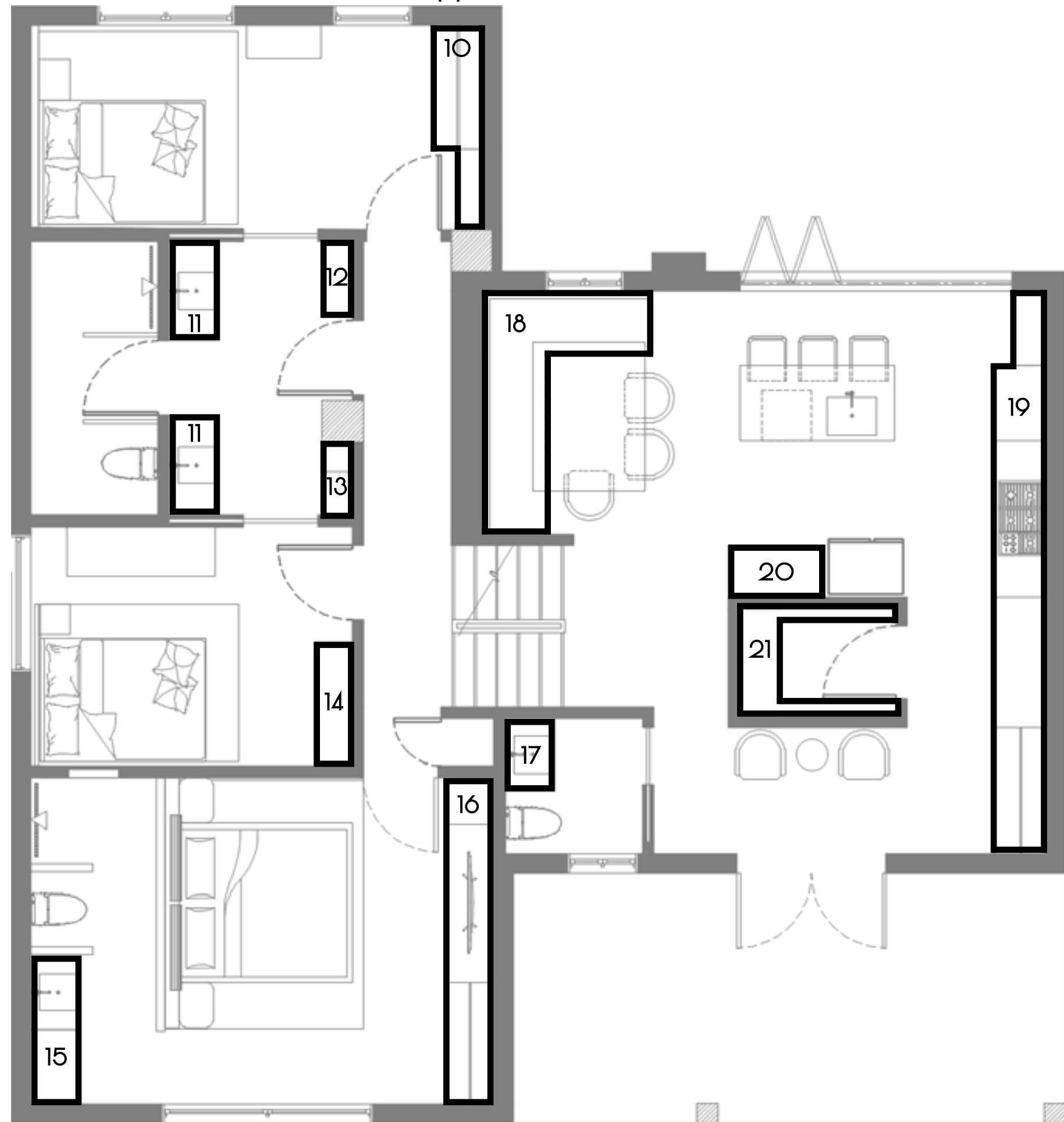
The Concession Stand



The Media Unit

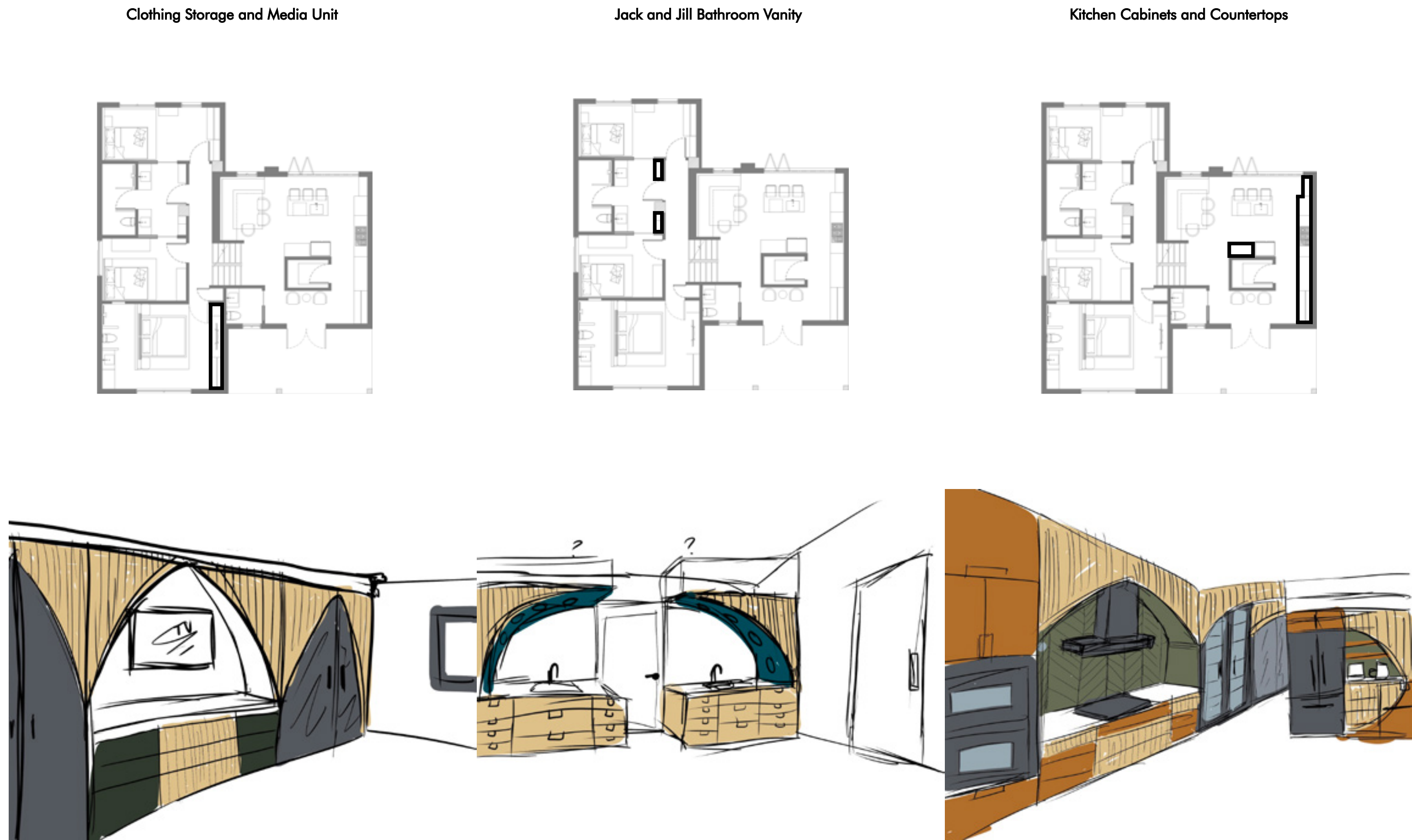


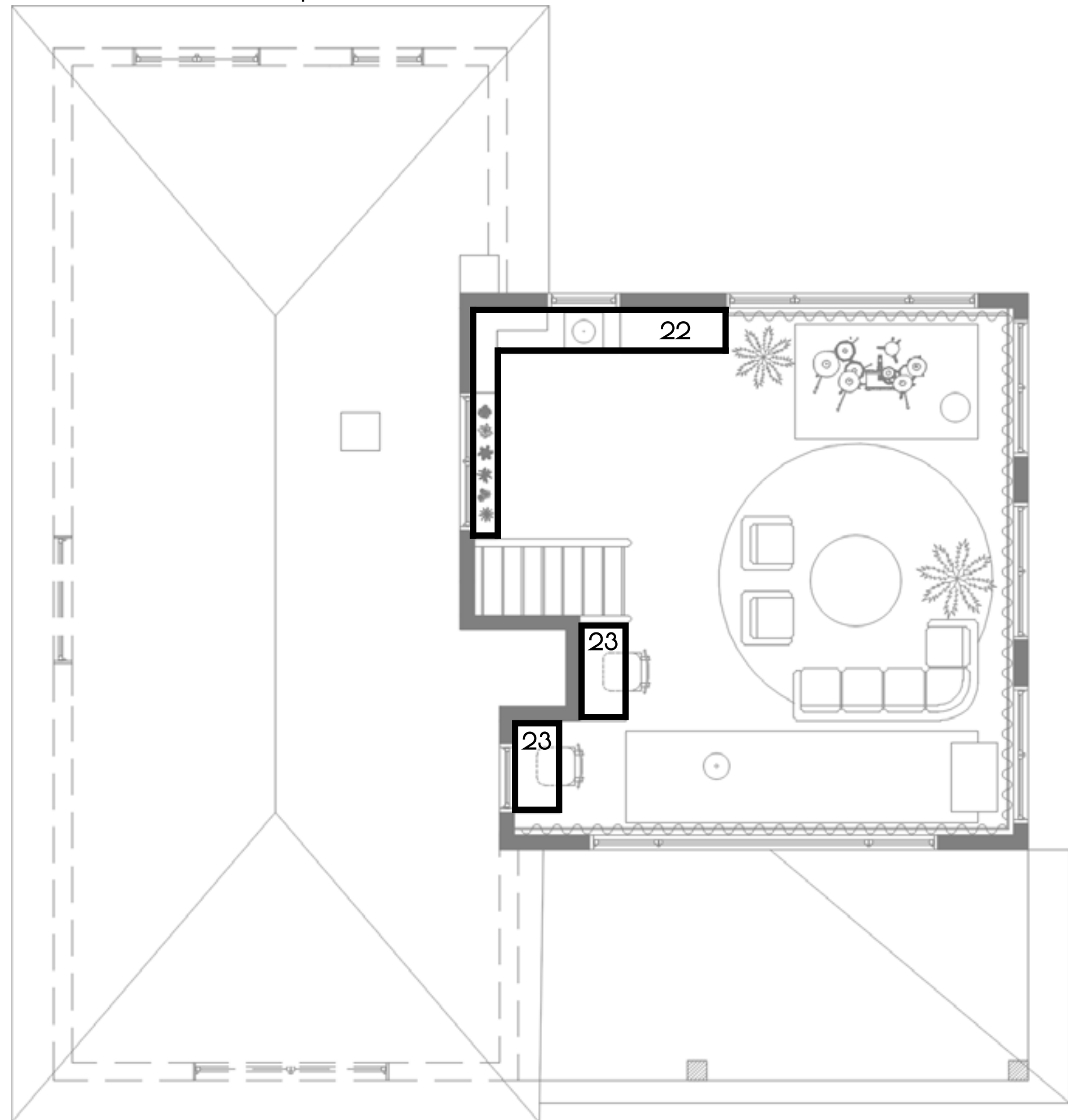
Millwork Ideation: Main and Upper Floor



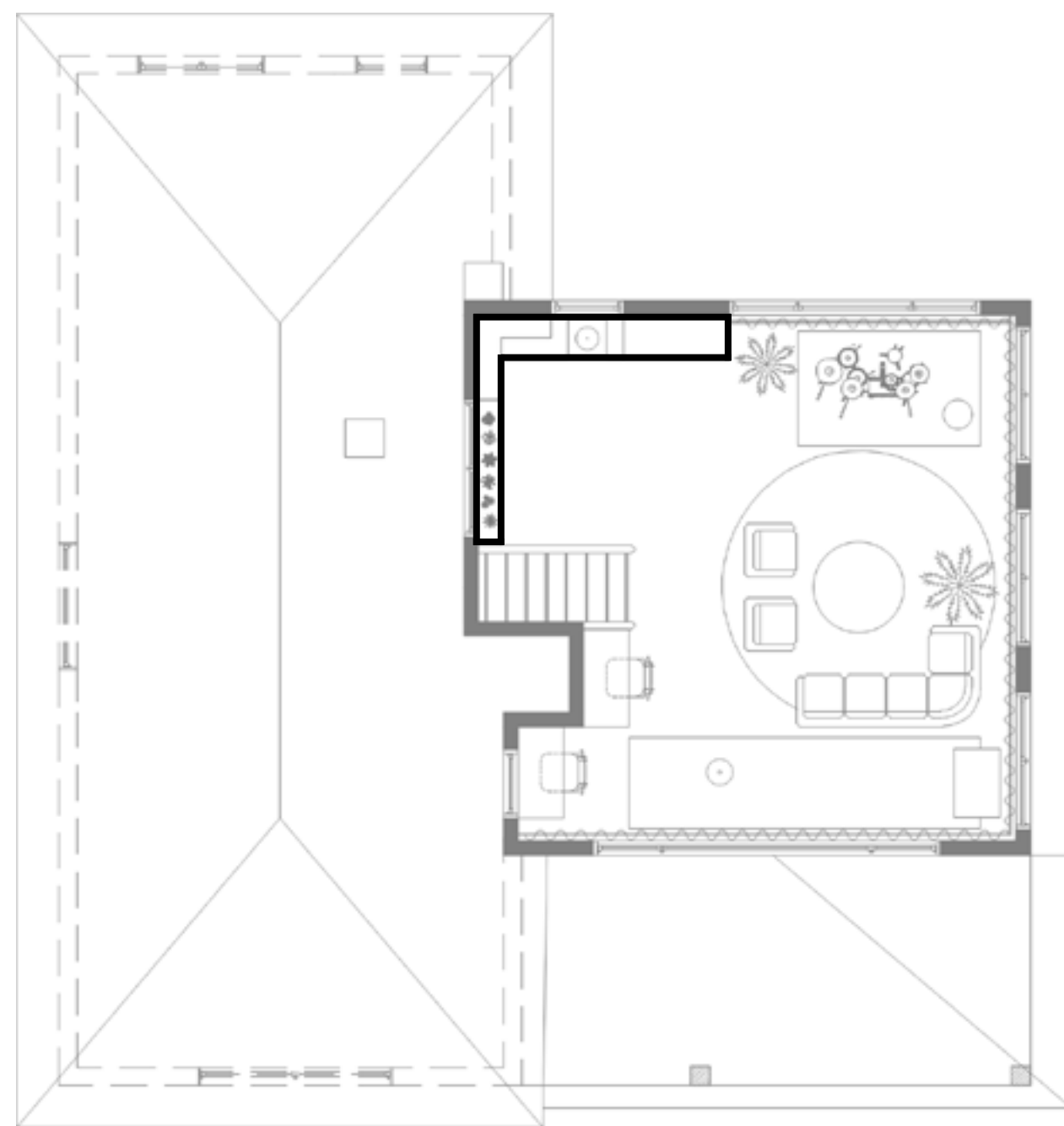
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10	Bedroom Closet
11	Jack and Jill Bathroom Vanity
12	Bathroom Storage
13	Bathroom Storage and Laundry Chute
14	Bedroom Storage
15	Ensuite Vanity
16	Clothing Storage and Media Unit
17	Powder Room Vanity
18	Dining Room Built-in Bench
19	Kitchen Cabinets and Countertops with Foyer Closet (For Jackets and Shoes)
20	Coffee Station
21	Pantry Shelving

Millwork Ideation: Main and Upper Floor

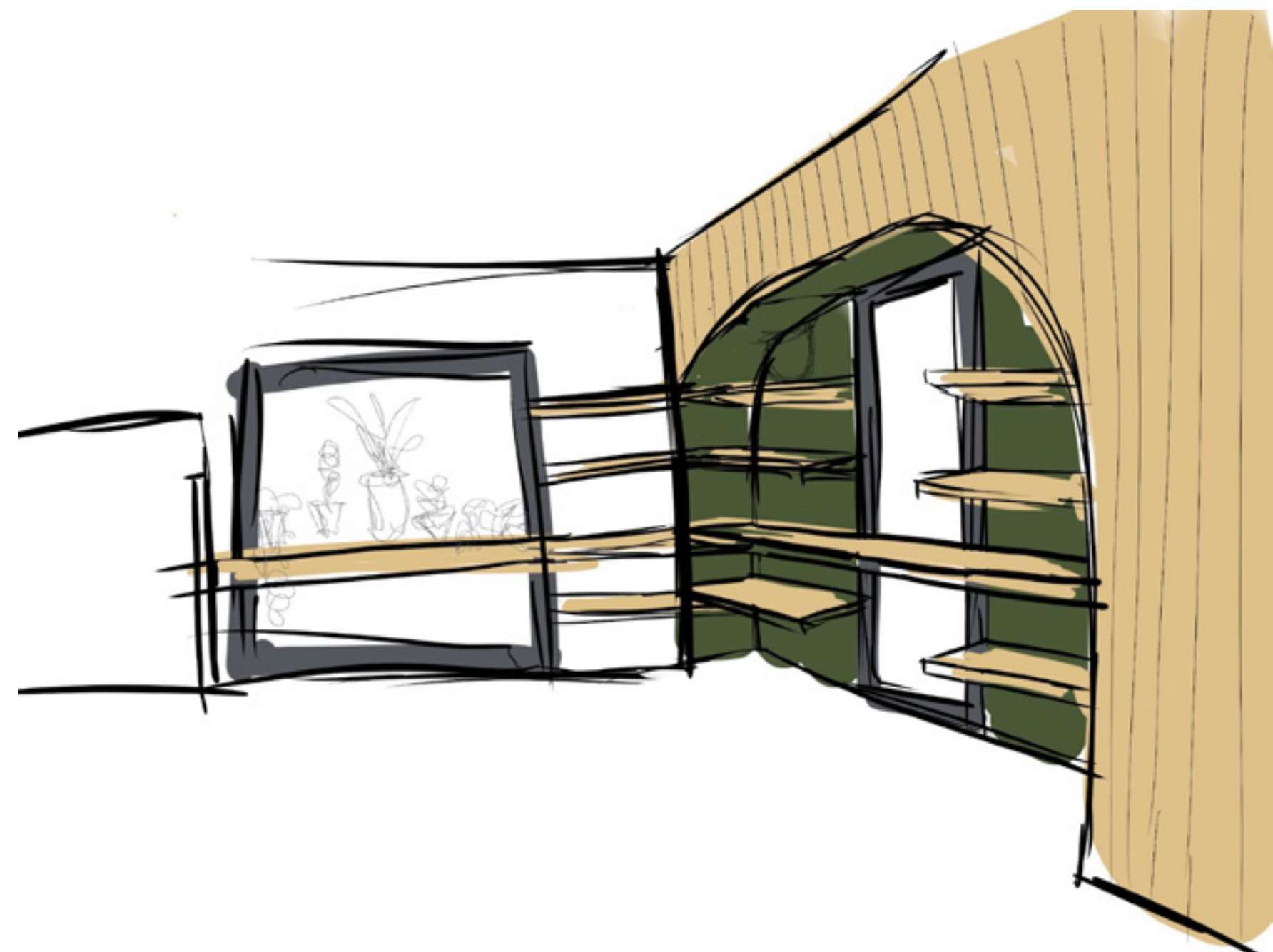




ITEM	MILLWORK PIECE
22	Drum and Record Display
23	Children's Workspace

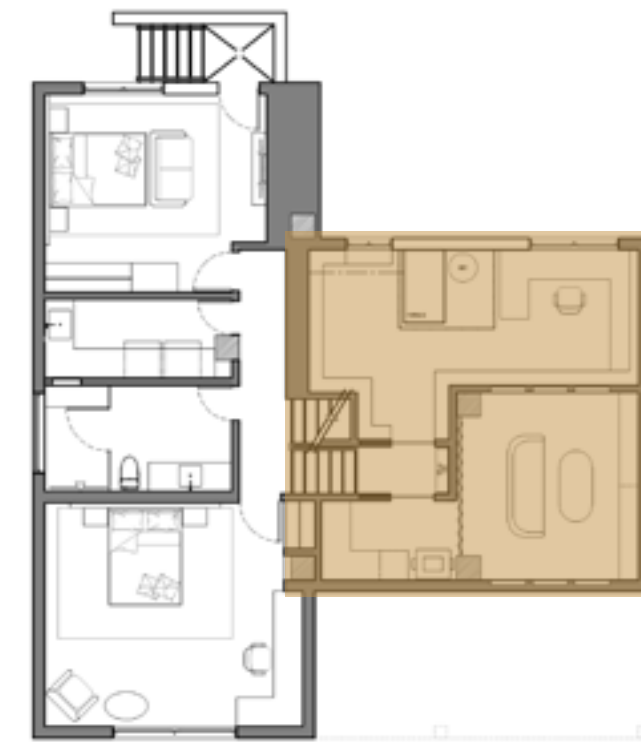


Drum and Record Display



Design Development

Design Development: The Basement Floor



Reflected Ceiling Plan



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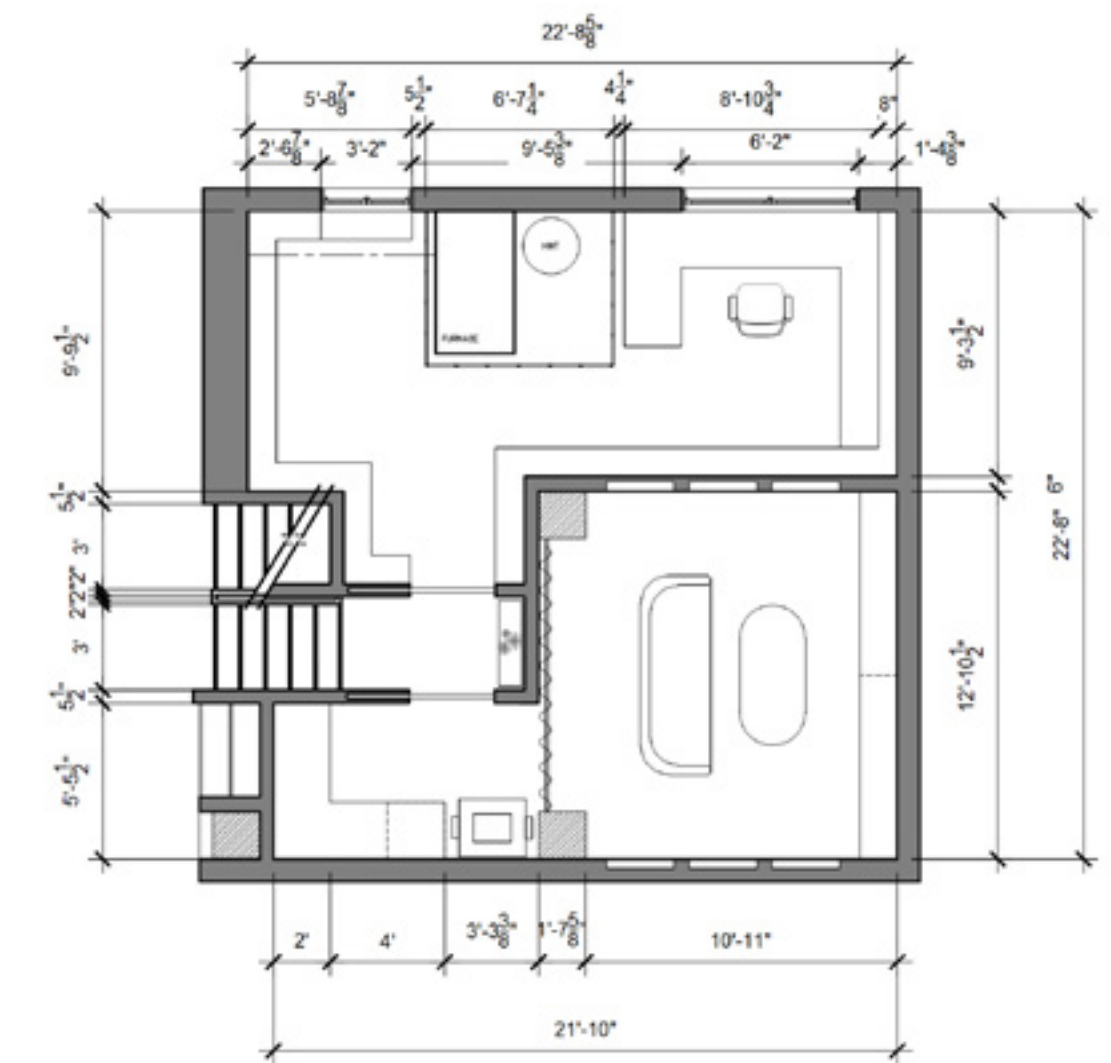


4. Rechargeable Touch Series Wireless LED Art Light



5. Dial Ceiling Surface Light, Eureka

Dimensions



Design Development: The Entertainment Area and Concession

A place where the family can get together and enjoy a movie together on a wide screen television with surround sound.

A place where Devon and his friends can get together play on his various gaming consoles while streaming

A place where they can be as loud as they like, knowing the room has been soundproofed to consider the elderly and young ones that share the home.

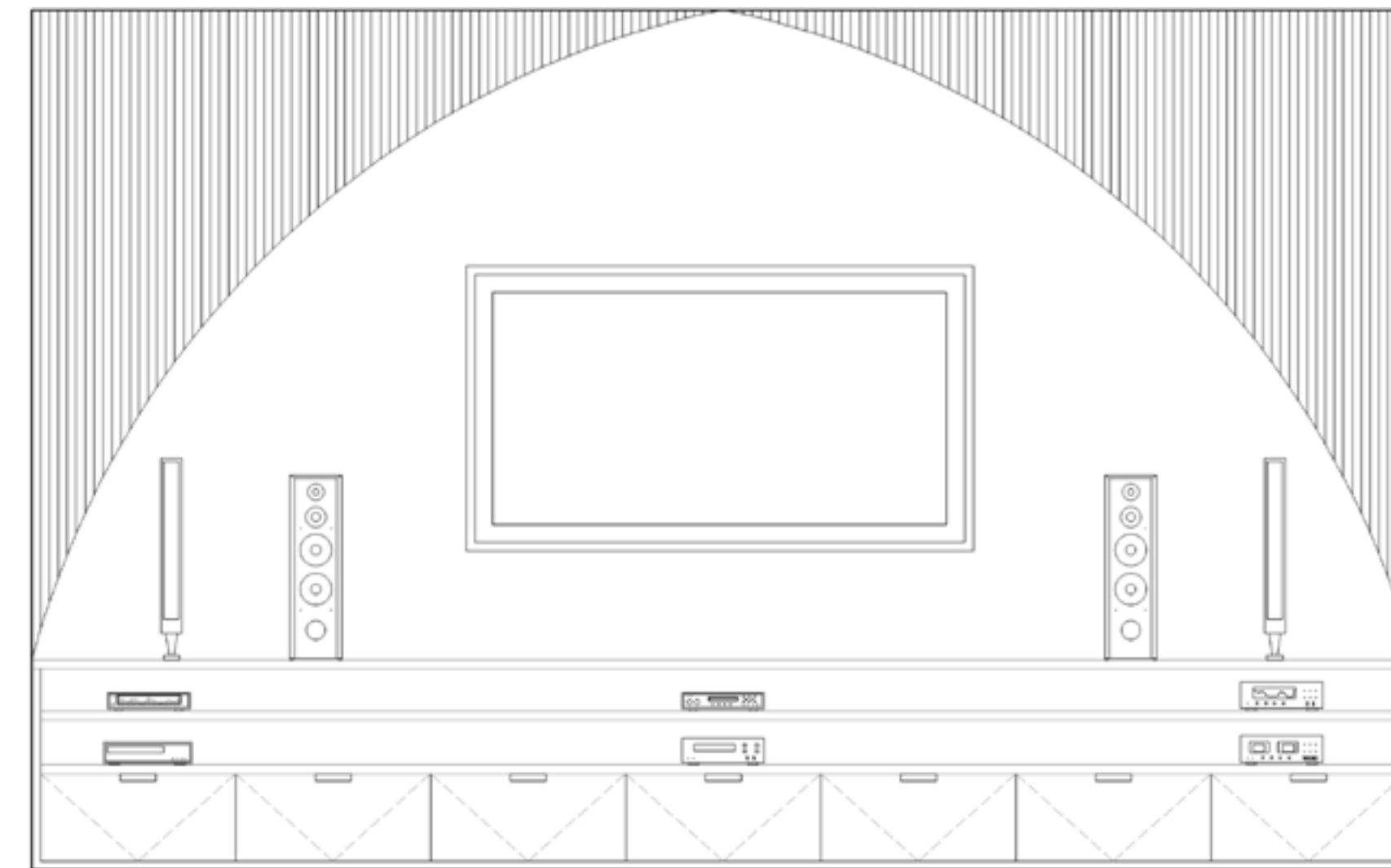
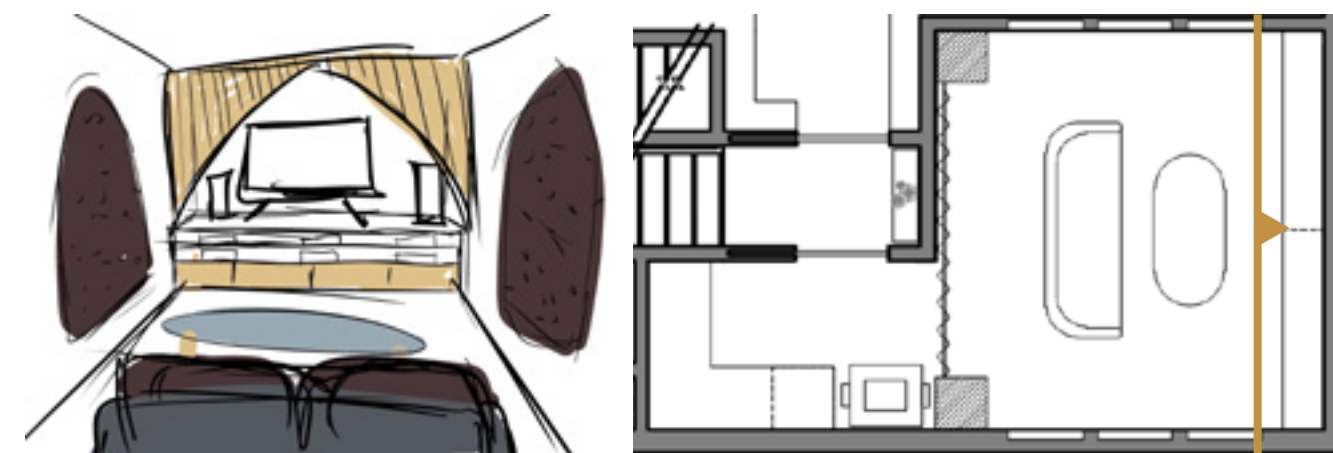


1. Asphalt Brandon Pier Carpet, Tigressa Cherish, *Fitzgerald Carpet One*
2. Corfu Polished Marble Countertop, *Ciot*
3. Solid Maple Wood Slat Wall Panels, *Ibenmu*
4. Cognac U-Series Sofa, *DWR*
5. Paloma Coffee Table, *DWR*
6. Firecracker Acoustic Wall Panels, *APC*
7. MDF Cove Crown Moulding, *Cambridge Crown and Trim*
8. MDF Colonial Baseboard, *Cambridge Crown and Trim*

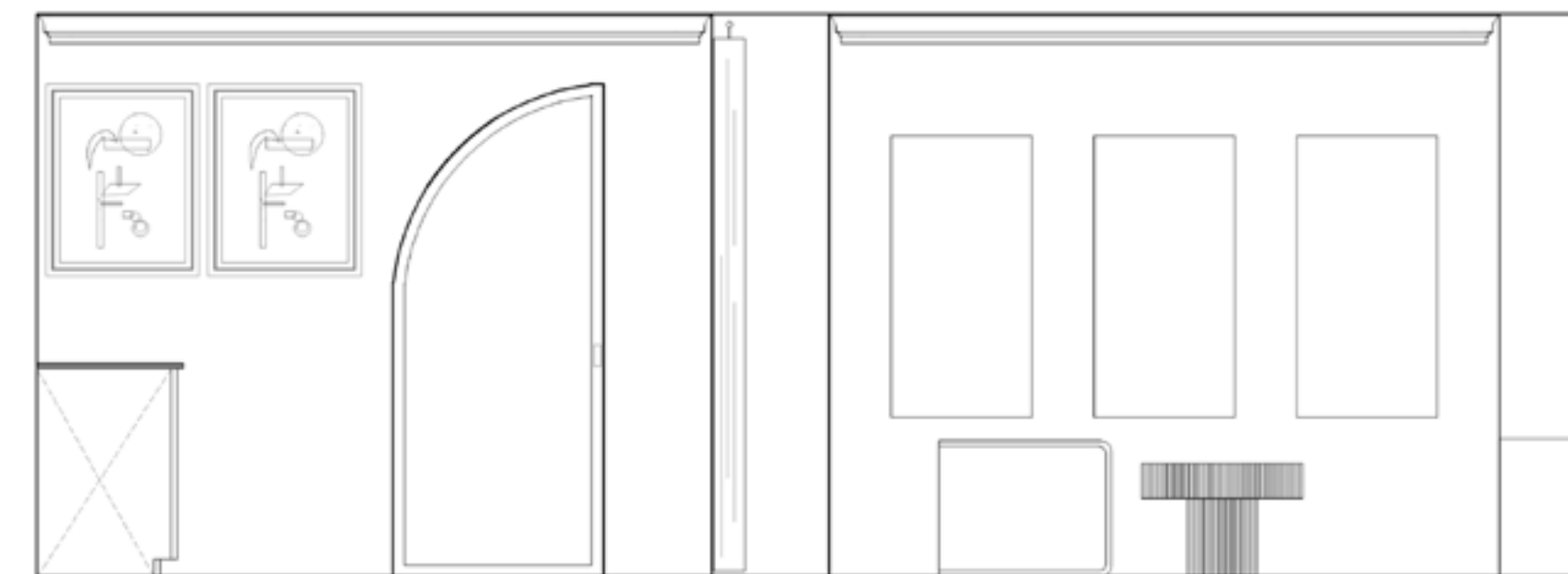
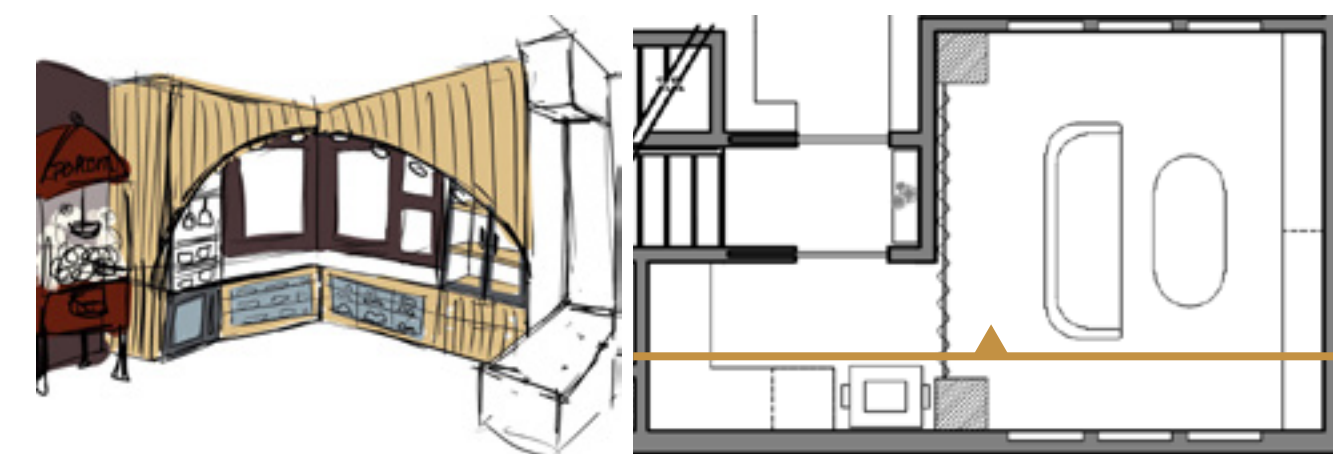


Design Development: The Entertainment Area and Concession

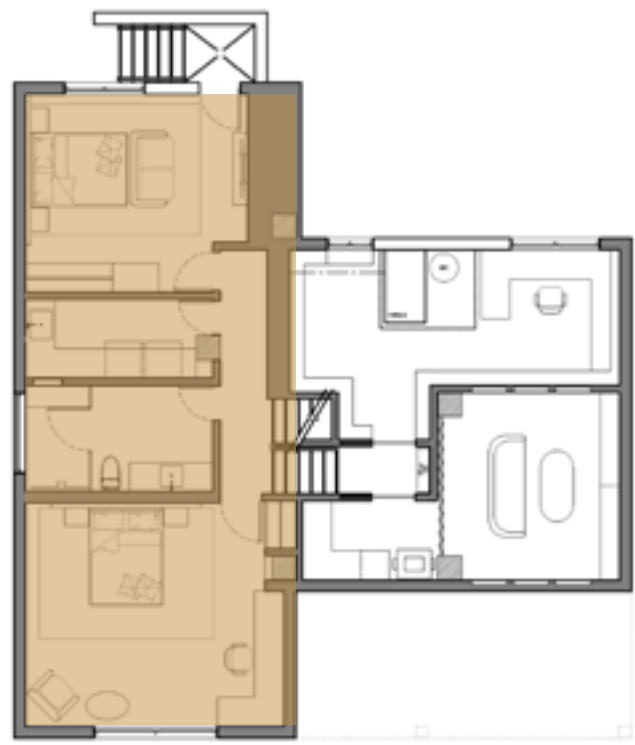
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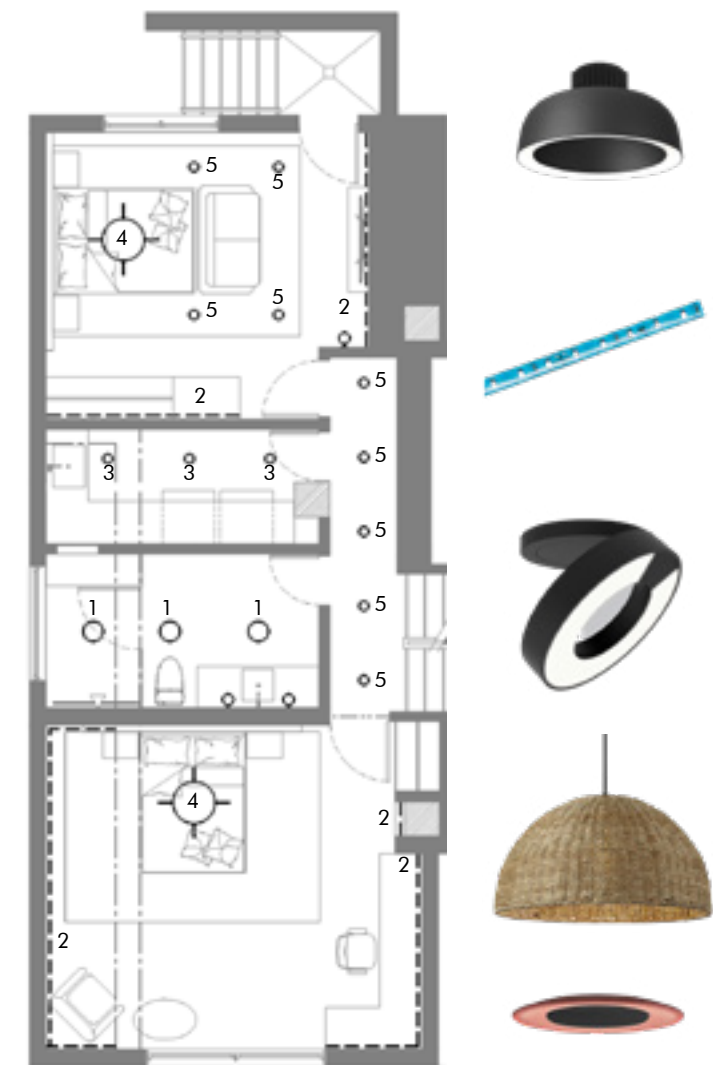
Design Development: The Lower Floor



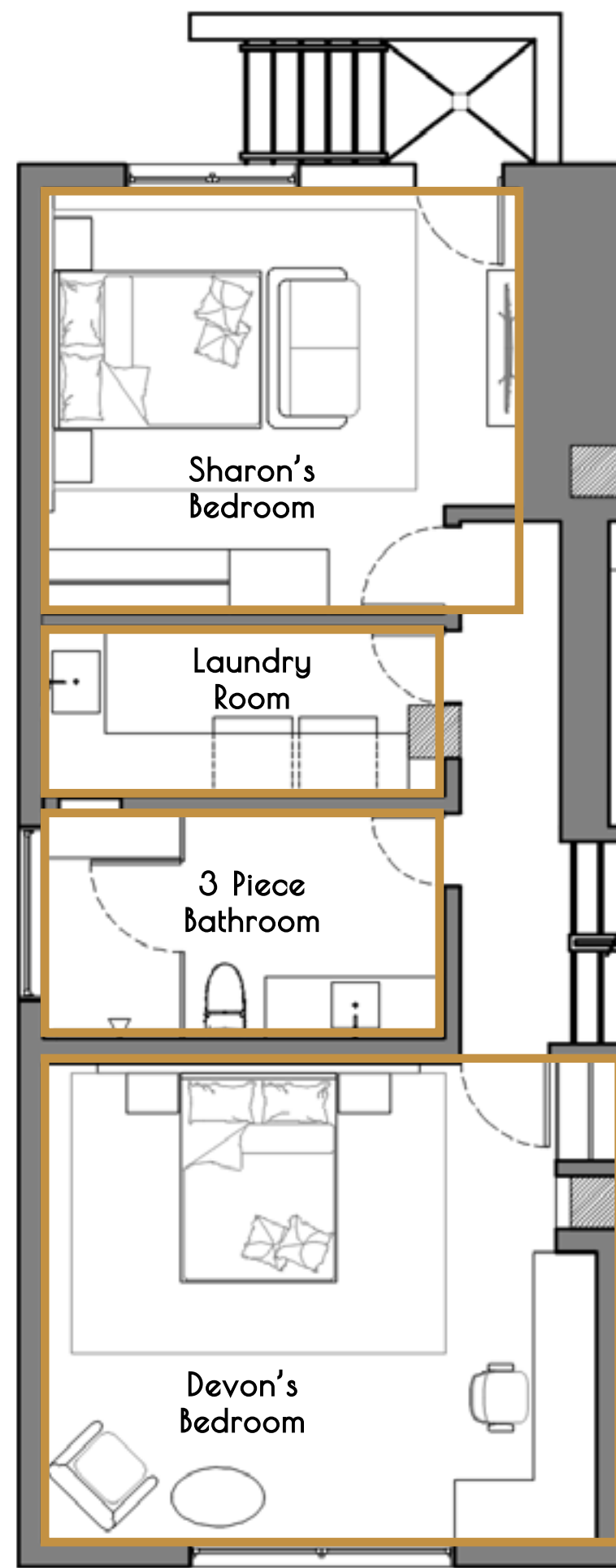
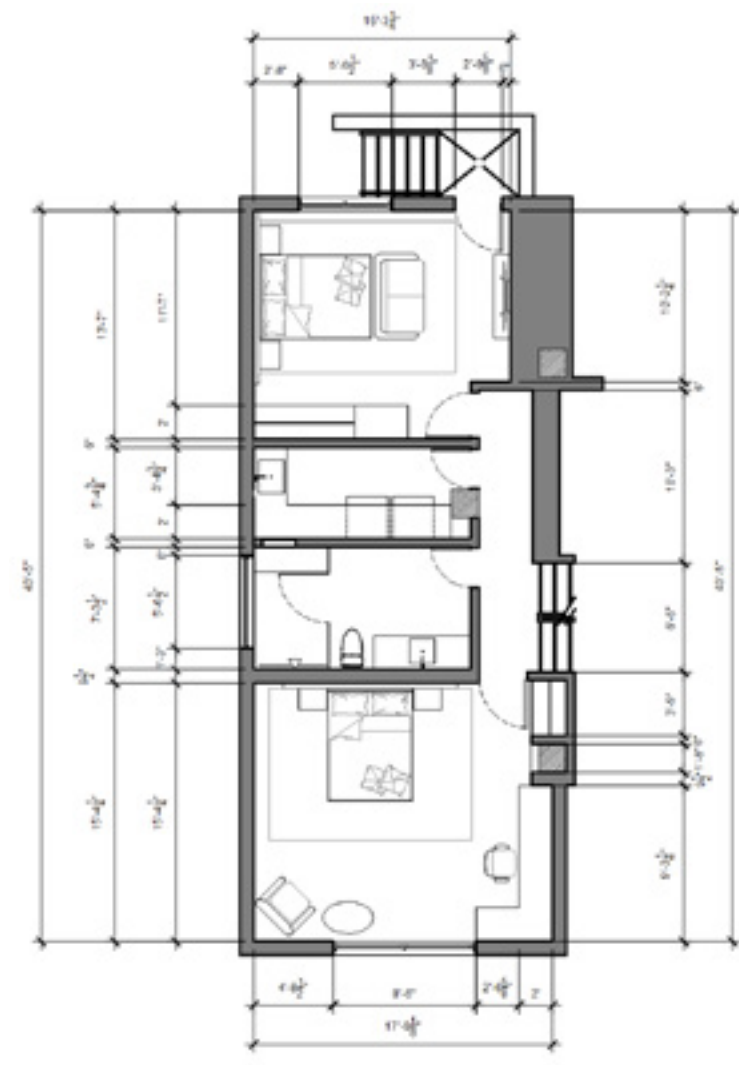
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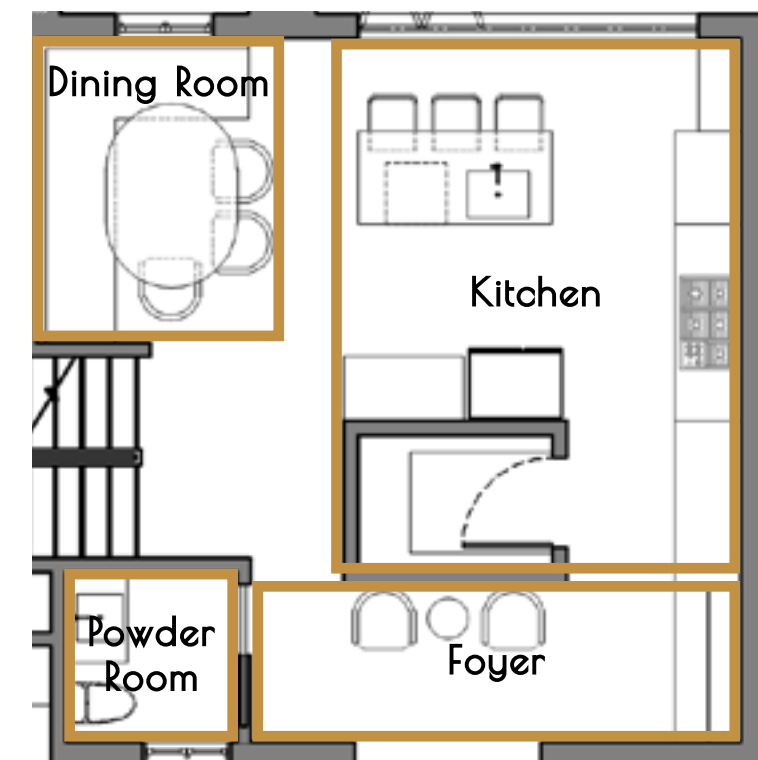
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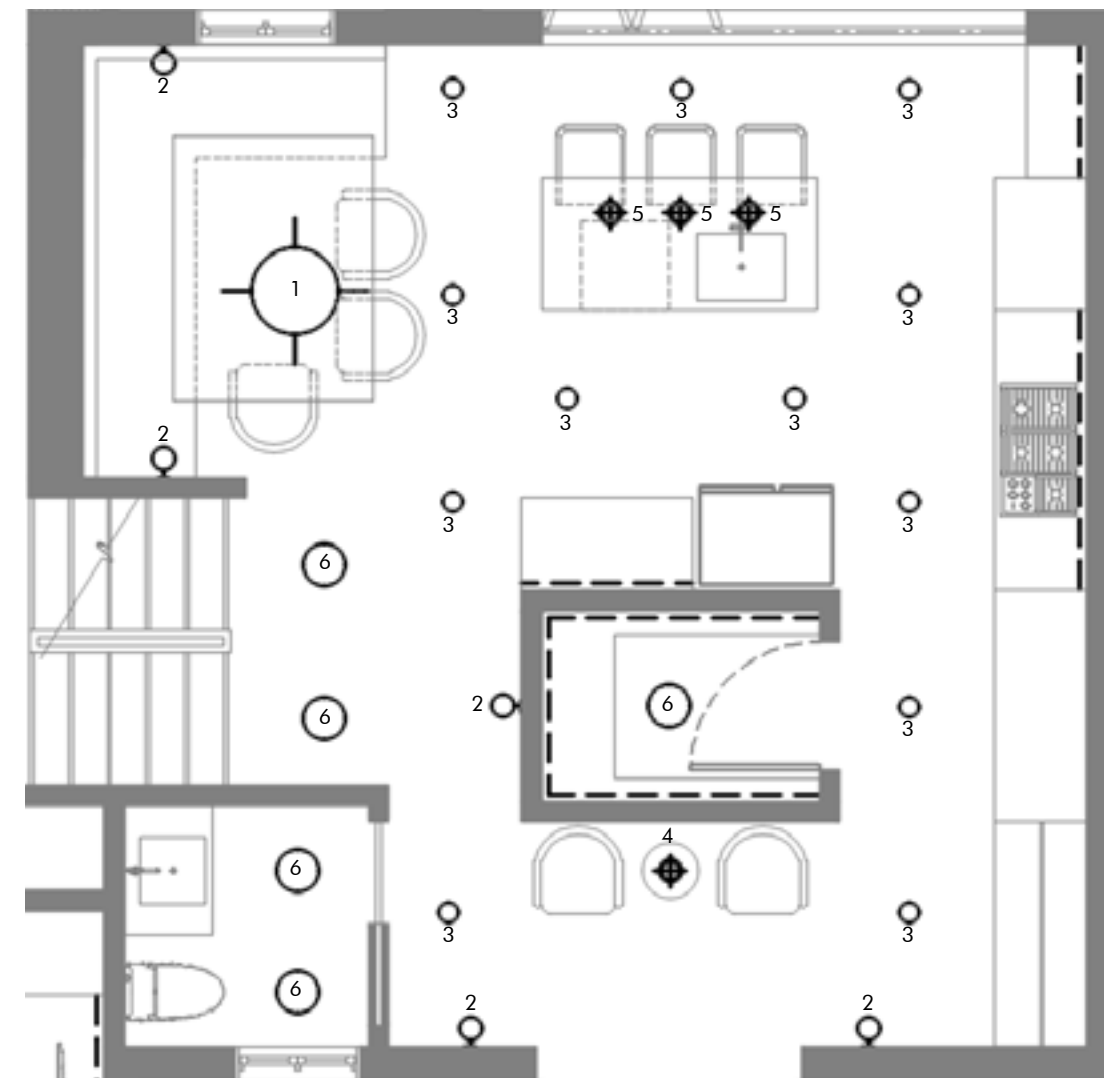
Design Development: The Main Floor



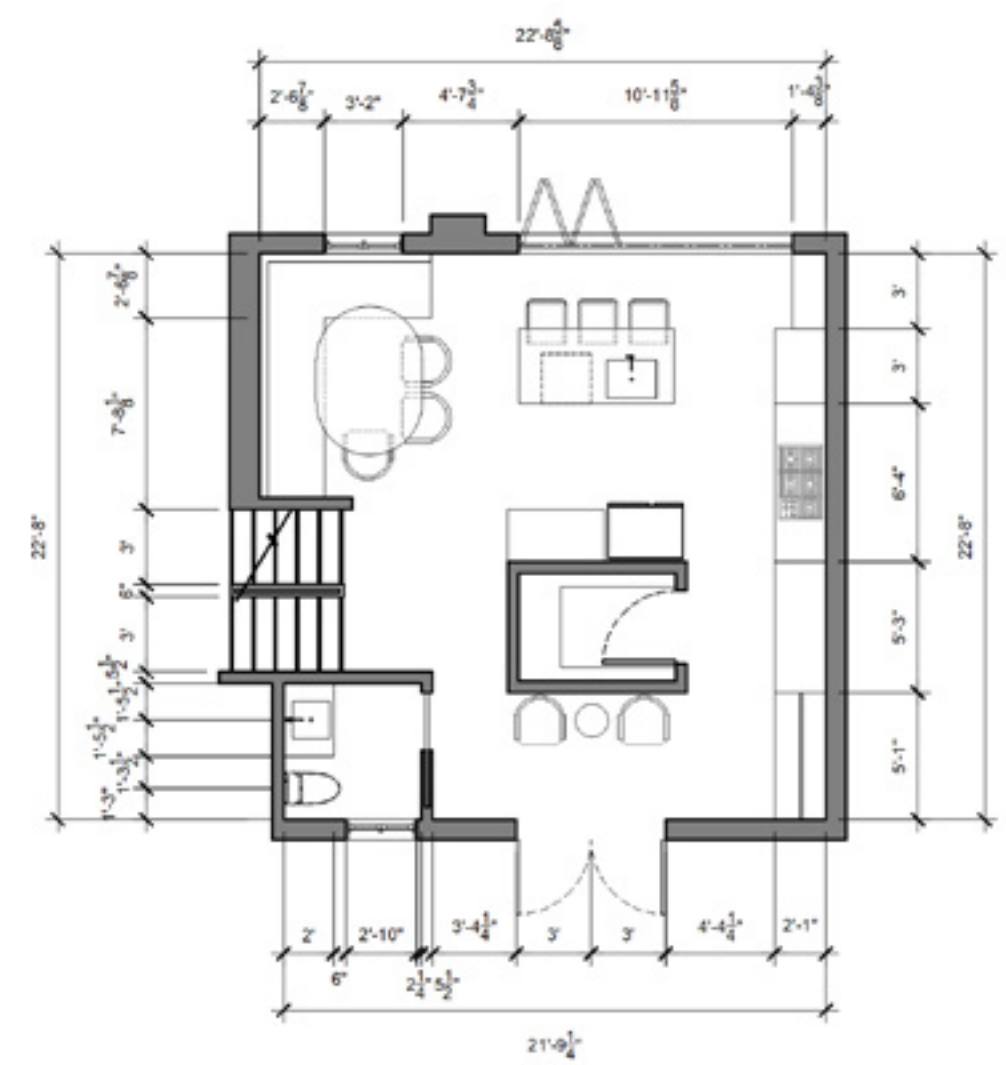
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1. LED Canoe Lighting Fixture made of Walnut for the Dining Room, Studio Vayehi
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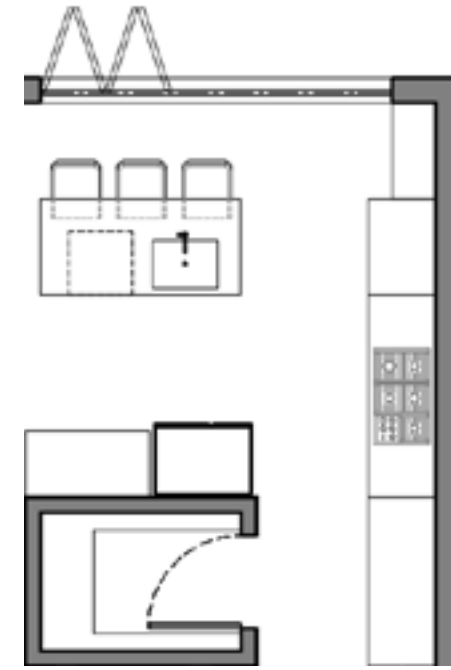
Design Development: The Kitchen

A place where the family can get gather, sit along the island, and eat breakfast together.

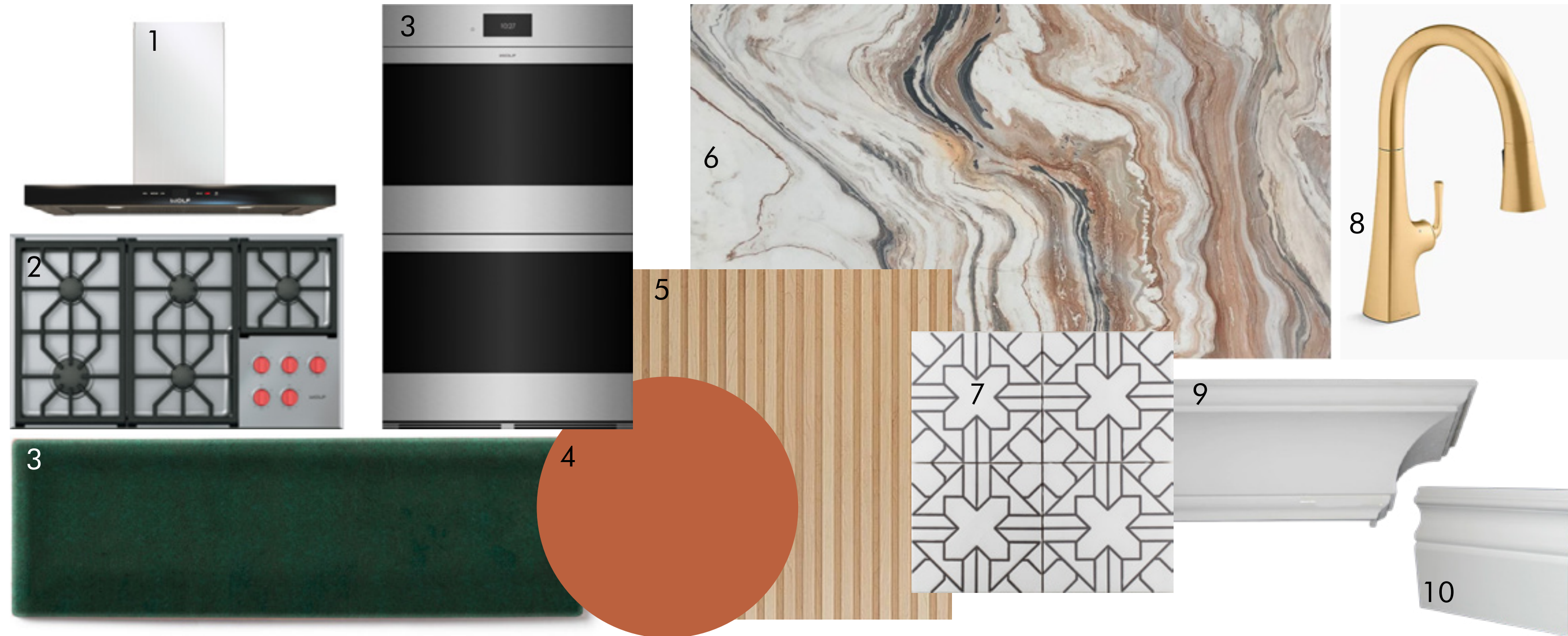
A place with ample storage for a large family of 5.

A place where the family can learn to cook the traditional foods of their Jamaican culture.

A place to learn, experiment, and create.

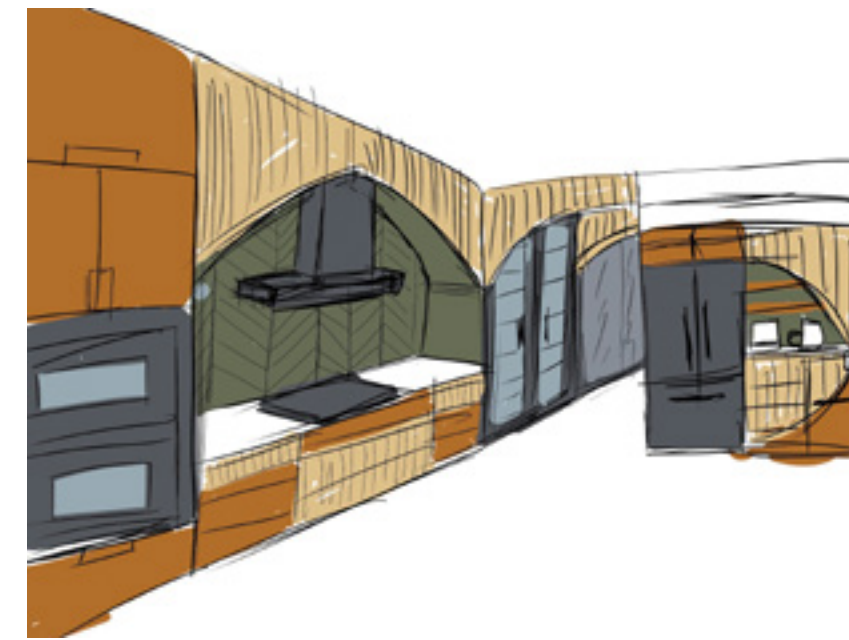


1. 42" Black Cooktop Hood, *Wolf*
2. 36" Professional Gas Cooktop with 5 Burners, *Wolf*
3. Evergreen Backsplash, 2"x4", *Fireclay Tile*
4. Husky Orange, *Sherwin Williams*
5. Solid Maple Wood Slat Wall Panels, *1benmu*
6. Corfu Polished Marble Countertop, *Ciot*
7. Moroccan Encaustic Cement Tile, *Best Tile Boutique*
8. Vibrant Brushed Moderne Brass, Graze Touchless Pulldown Faucet, *Kohler*
9. MDF Cove Crown Moulding, *Cambridge Crown and Trim*
10. MDF Colonial Baseboard, *Cambridge Crown and Trim*

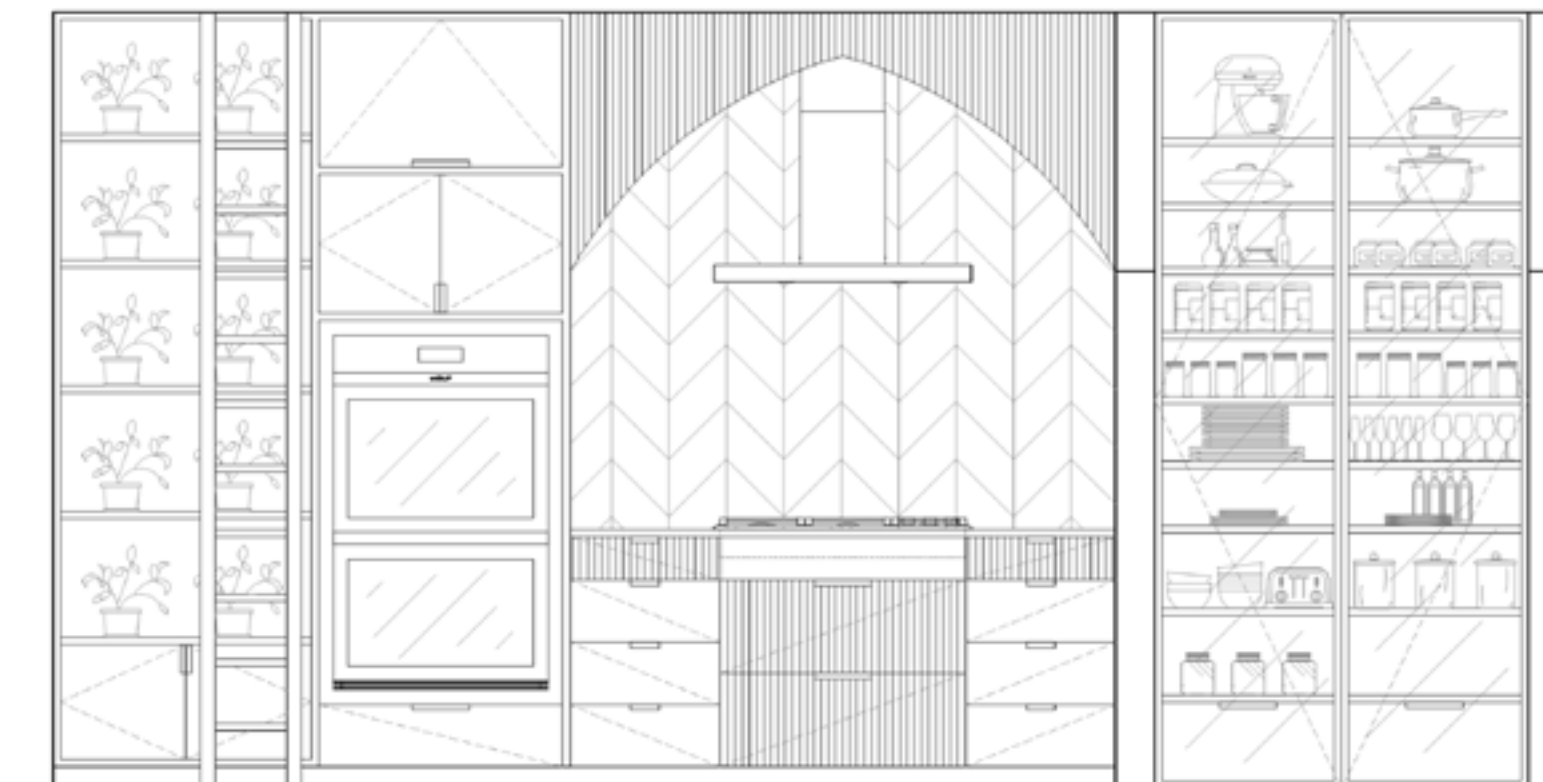
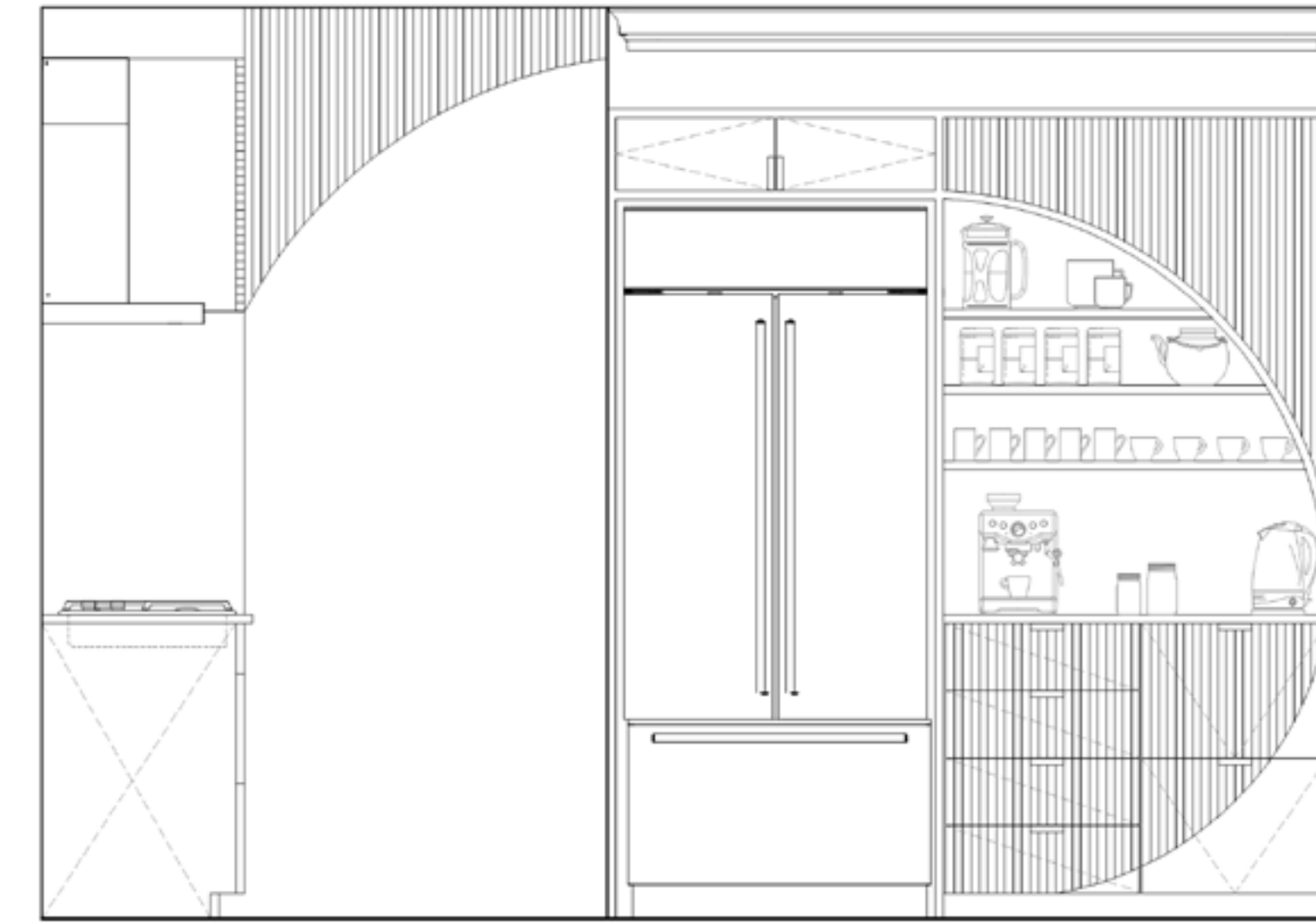
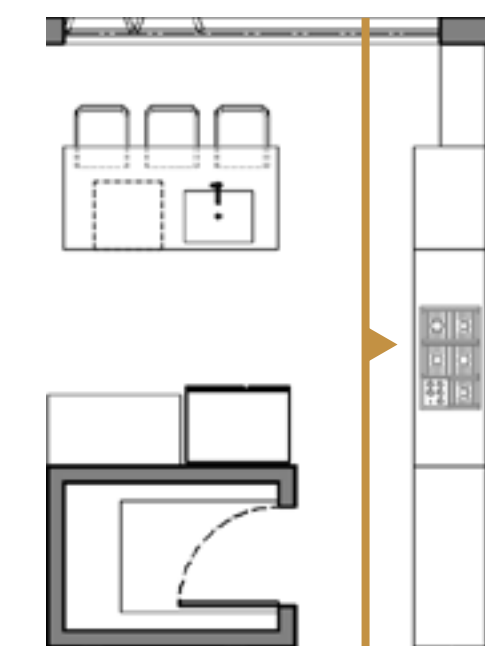
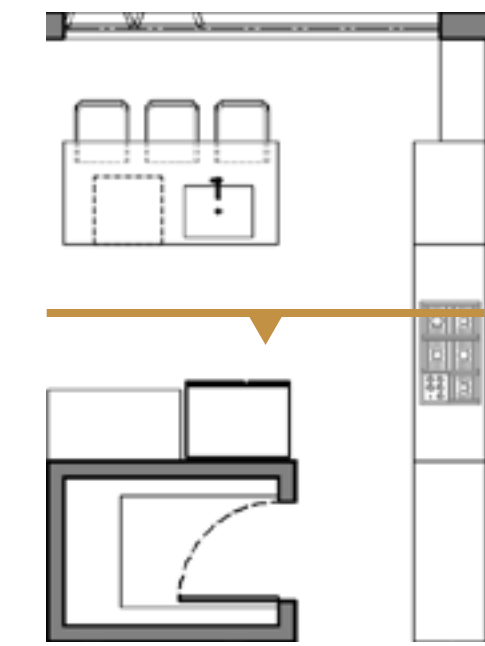


Design Development: The Kitchen

Fridge and Coffee Station



Oven, Stove, and Storage



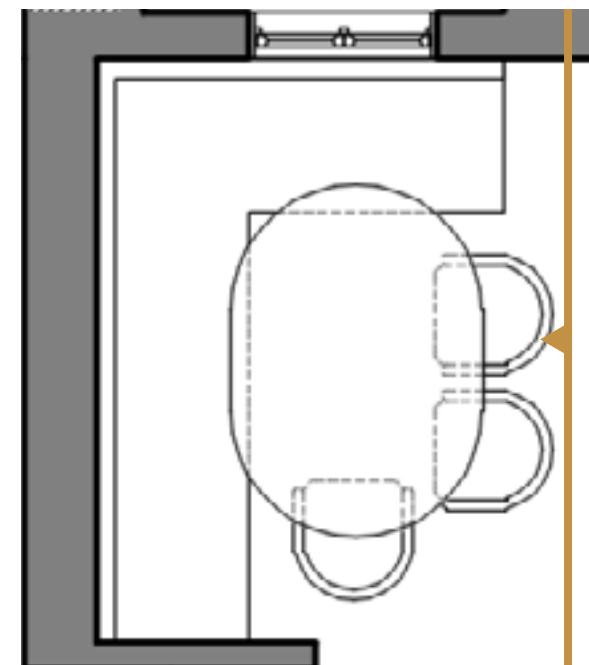
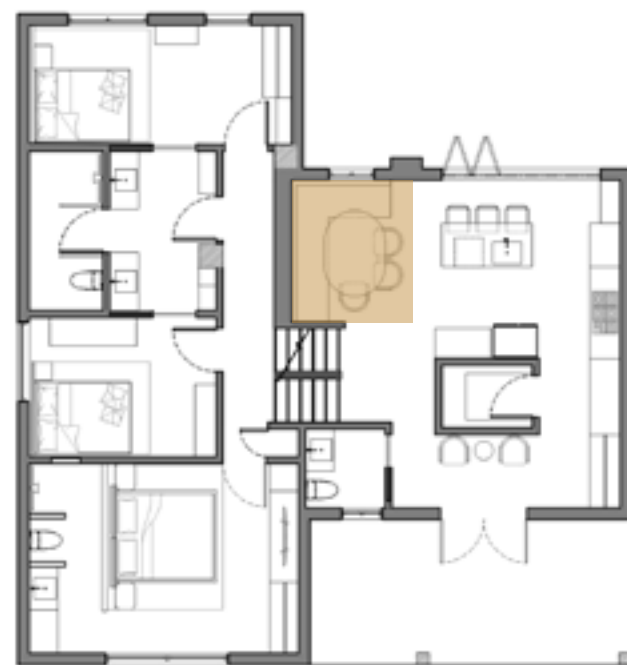
Design Development: The Dining Room

A place where the family shares their meals together.

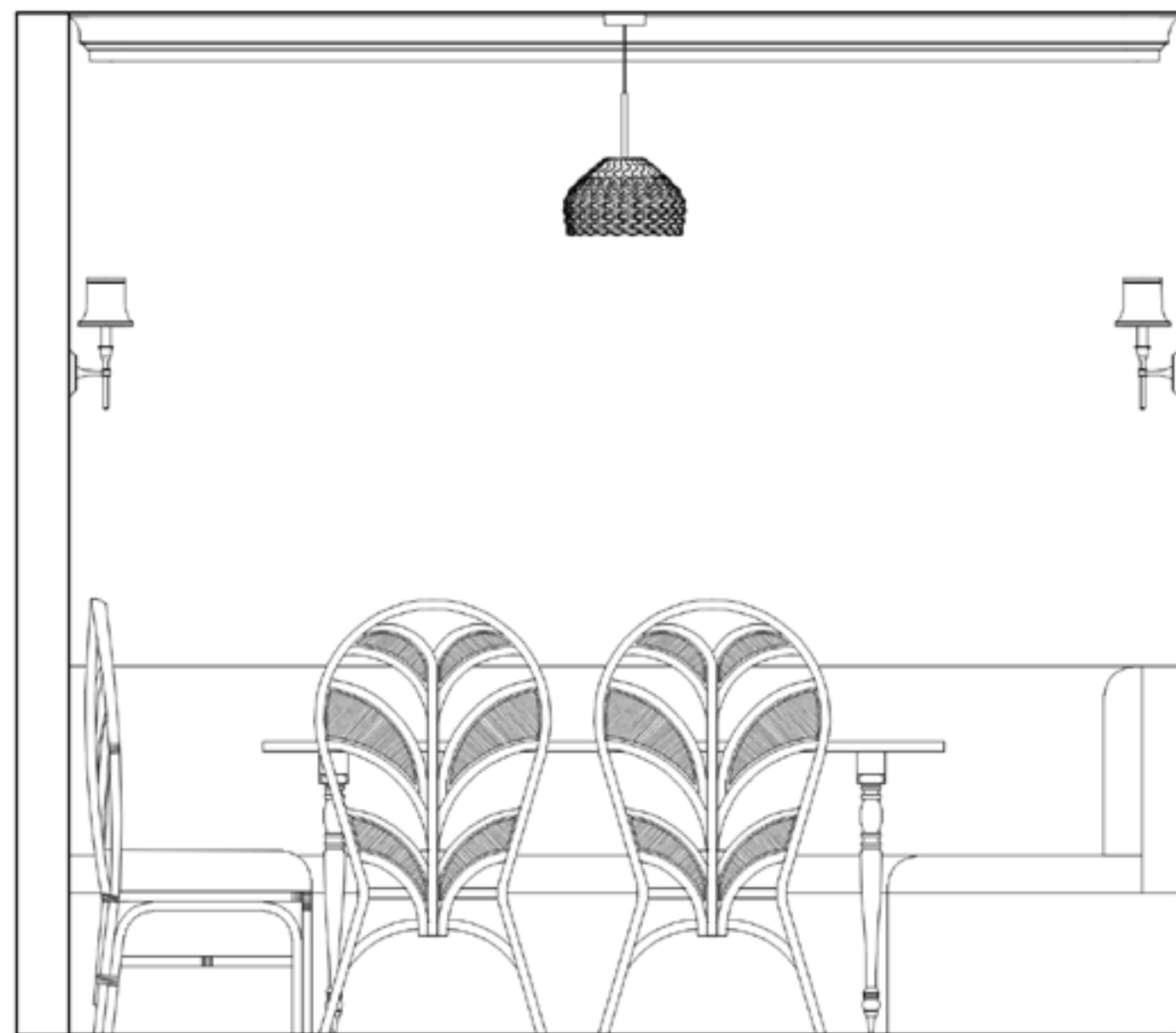
A place for everyone and their friends to gather and converse while enjoying food together.

A place where the kids can do homework, arts, and crafts.

A place to learn, experiment, and create.



1. MDF Cove Crown Moulding, *Cambridge Crown and Trim*
2. Moroccan Encaustic Cement Tile, *Best Tile Boutique*
3. Granada Dining Table with Supplementary Table Top, *Bo Concept*
4. Granite Fieldstone Wall, *Masonal Stone Inc.*
5. Rattan Dining Set with Palm Leaf Design, *The Missing Piece Interiors*
6. MDF Colonial Baseboard, *Cambridge Crown and Trim*



Design Development: The Foyer

The first room you enter, the last room you see before you leave.

A place to sit and read.

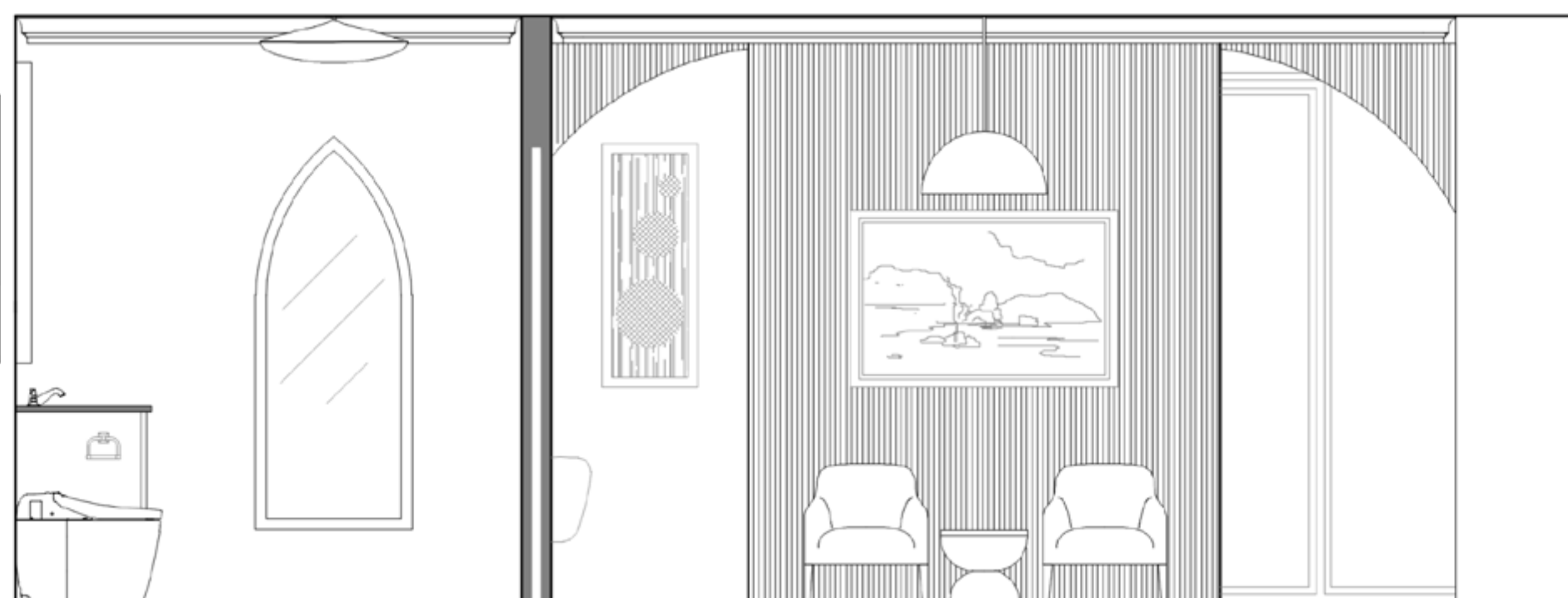
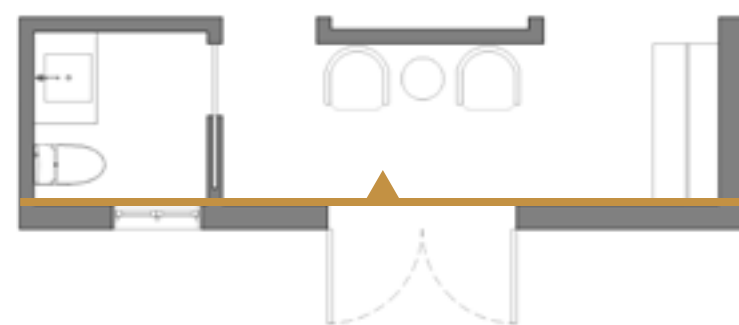
A place to put on your shoes.

A place to wait for the kids to come home.

A place to store your shoes and jackets.

A place to use the restroom.

A warm hug to welcome and say goodbye.



1. Lagoa Armchair, *Tacchini*
2. Solid Maple Wood Slat Wall Panels, *Ibenmu*
3. Iris Side Table, *Rove Concepts*
4. Hard Maple Hush, *Value Wood Floors*
5. Metal Dome LED Pendant for Foyer, *Union Lighting*

Design Development: The Upper Floor



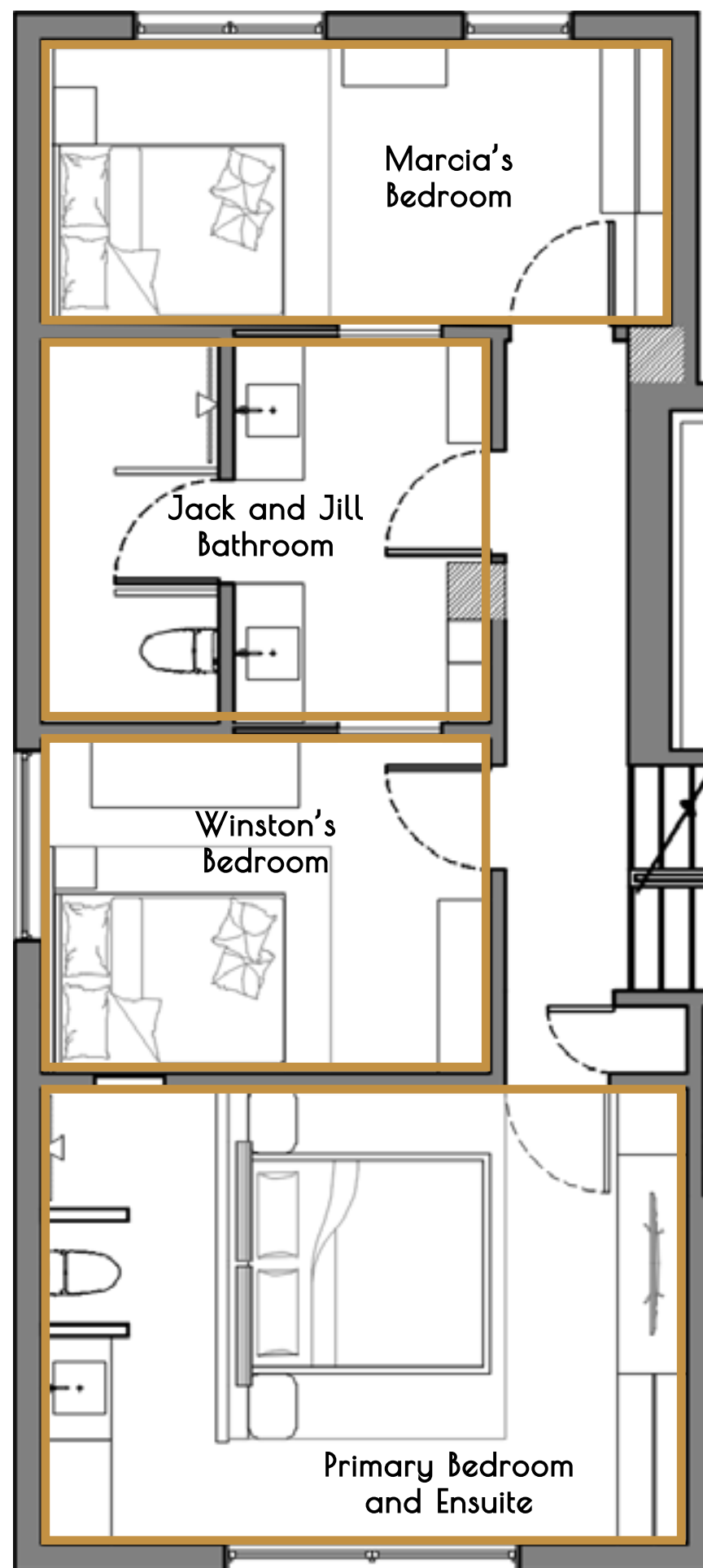
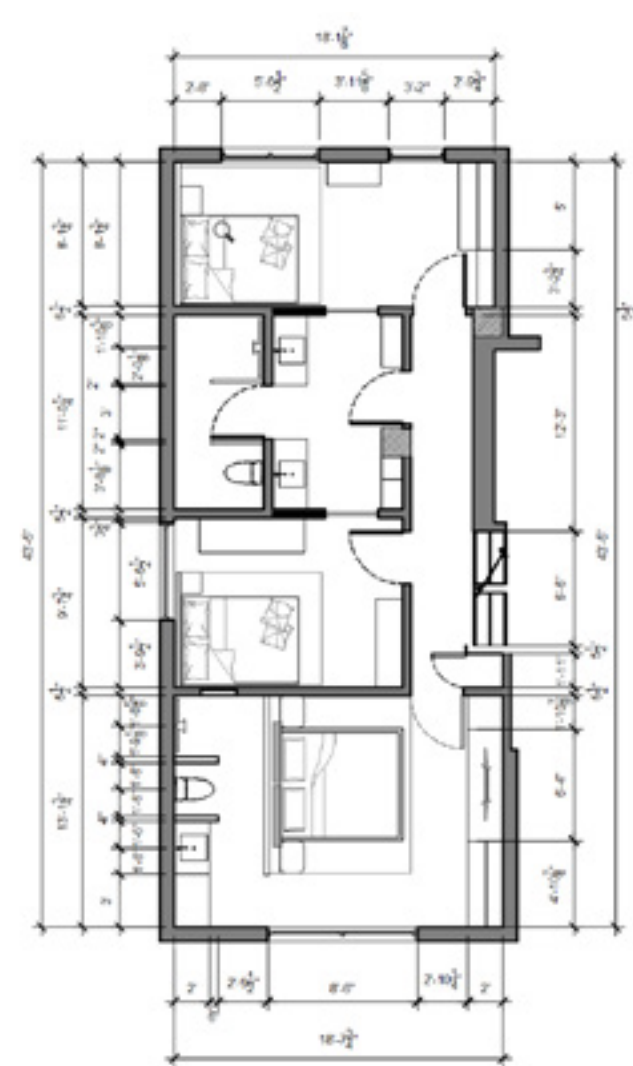
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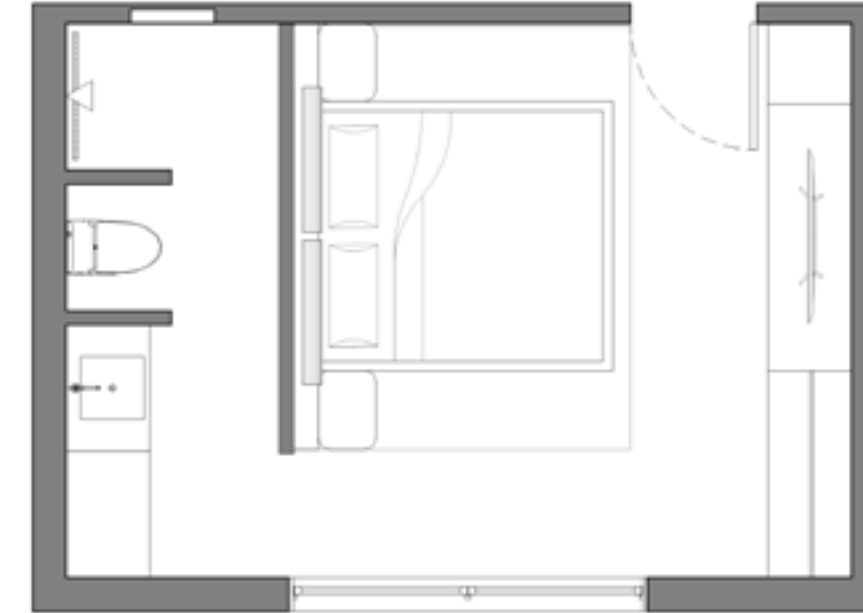
Design Development: The Primary Bedroom and Ensuite

A place to escape the loud and busy world.

A sanctuary to be stress free.

A space to unwind, relax, and refresh.

A space made for only the head of the household.



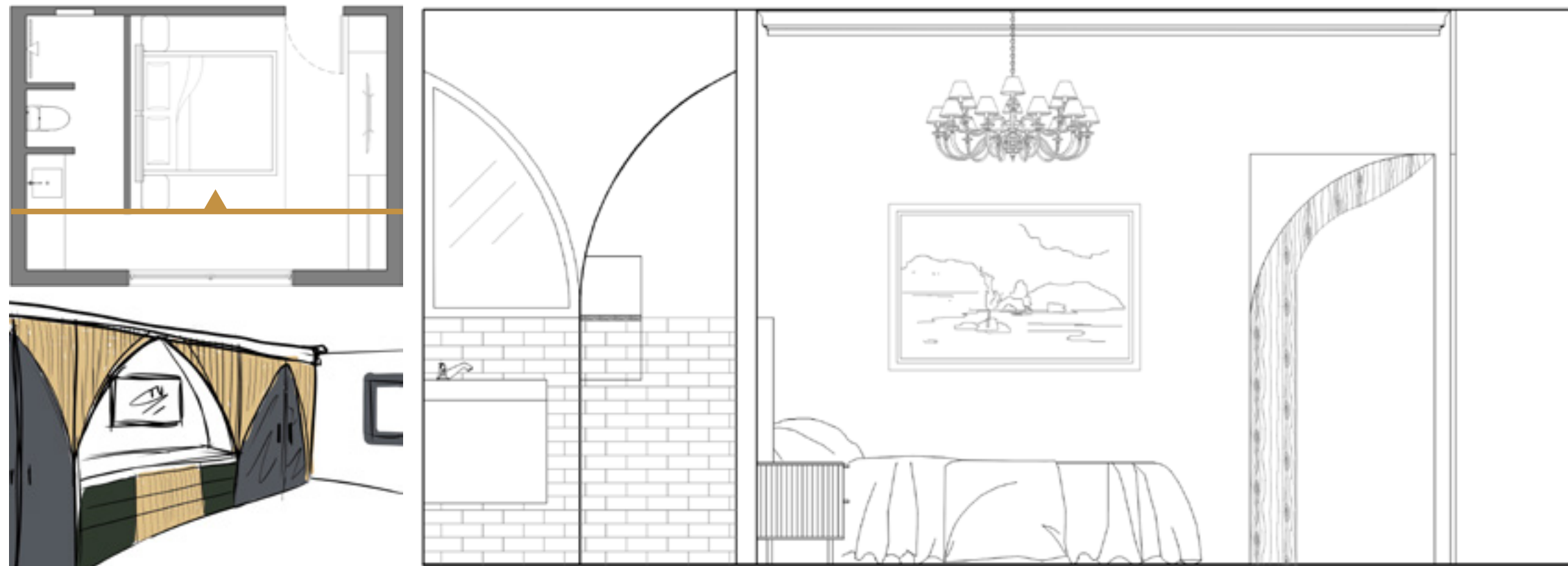
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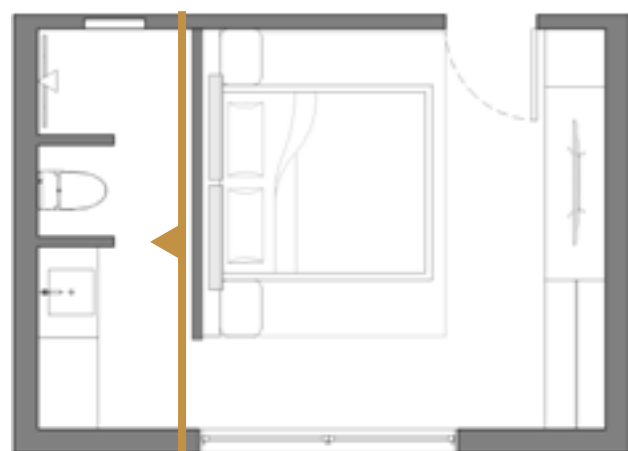
1. Woven Dome Pendant for Primary Bedroom, *Union Lighting*
2. Solid Maple Wood Slat Wall Panels, *Tbenmu*
3. Hard Maple Hush, *Value Wood Floors*
4. Easy Edge Bedside Table, *Sundays*
5. Corfu Polished Marble Countertop, *Ciot*
6. Matte Black 2 Handle Widespread Low-arc bathroom Sink Faucet, *Kohler*
7. Oil Rubbed Bronze Wall Mount Shower Head, *Faucet Depot*
8. Smart Toilet, *Toto*
9. Kelp Wave Tile, *Fireclay Tile*
10. Moroccan Encaustic Cement Tile, *Best Tile Boutique*

Design Development: The Primary Bedroom and Ensuite

Primary Bedroom



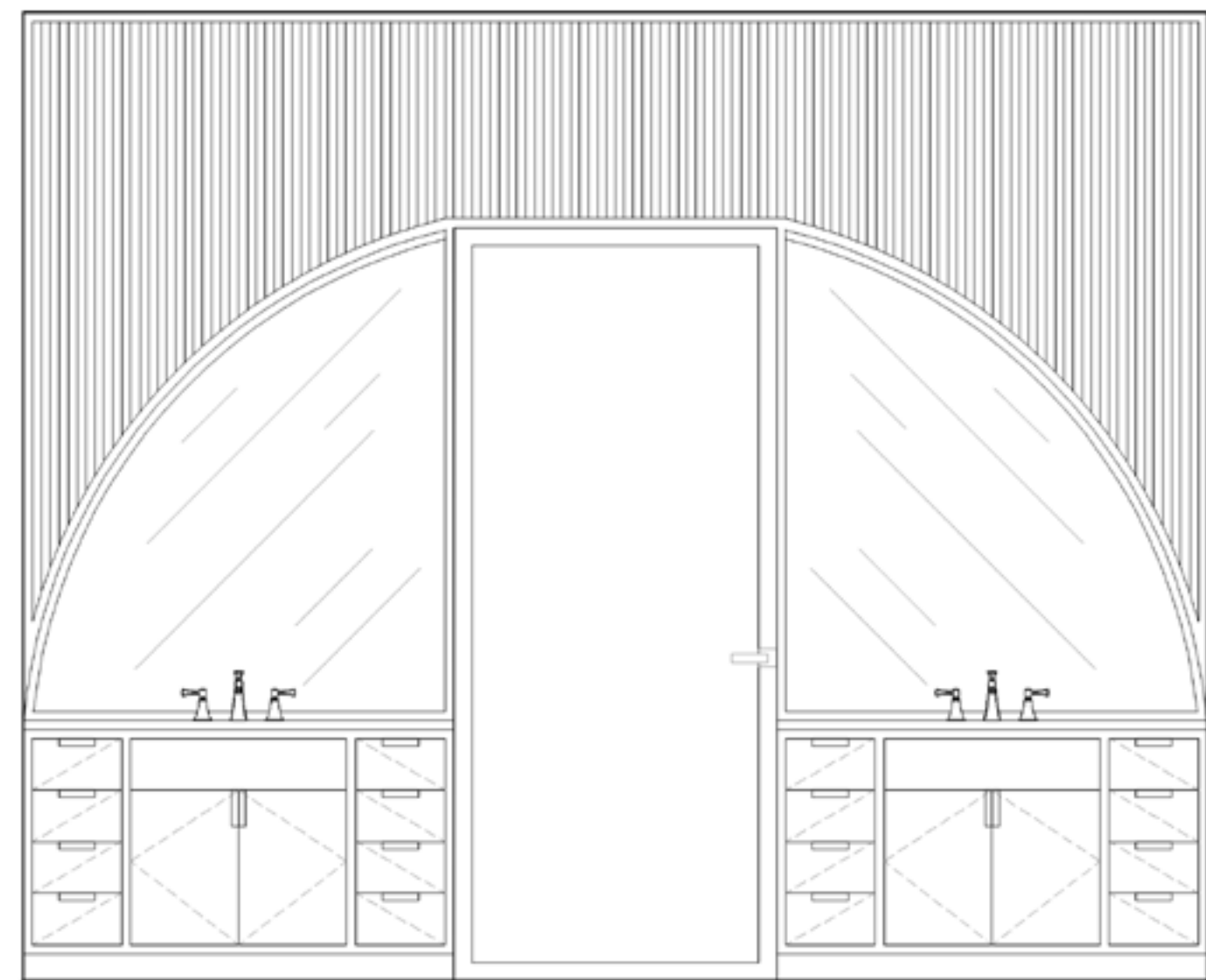
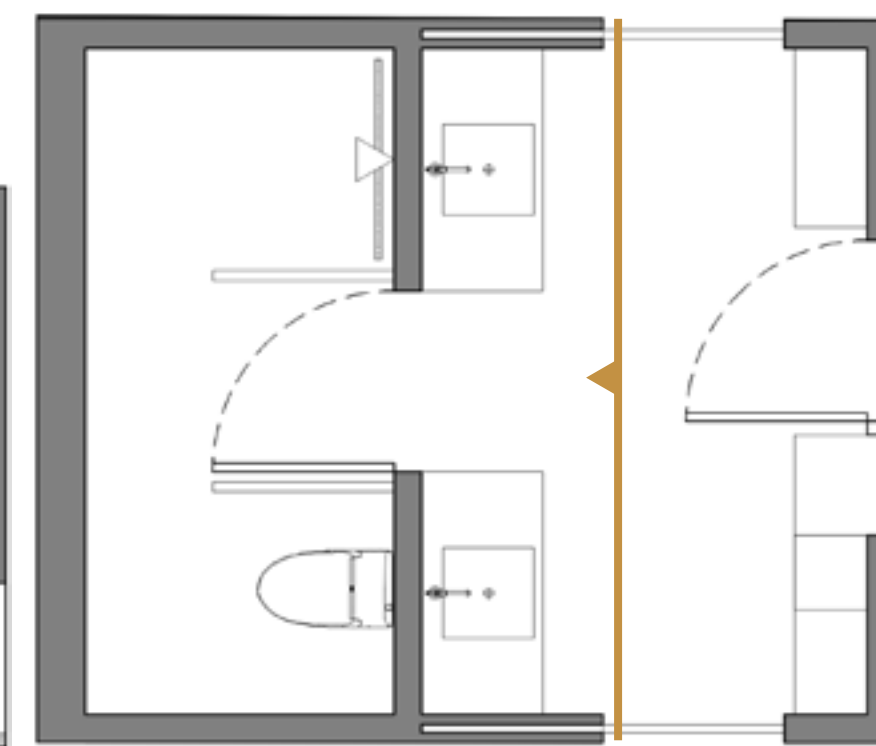
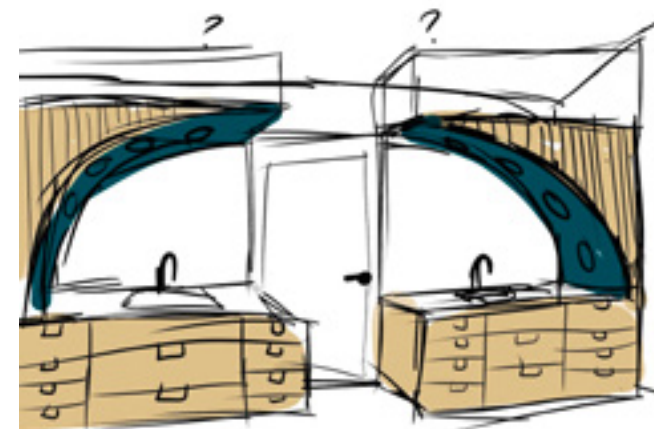
Ensuite



Design Development: Jack and Jill Bathroom

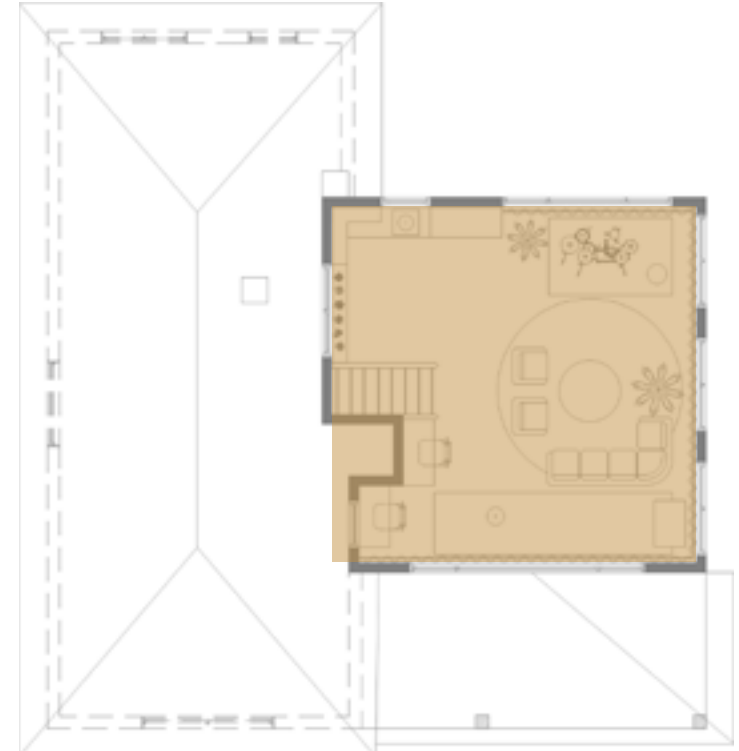
A place to wash off the day.

A Place for the kids to share.



1. Matte Black 2 Handle Widespread Low-arc bathroom Sink Faucet, *Kohler*
2. Solid Maple Wood Slat Wall Panels, *Ibenmu*
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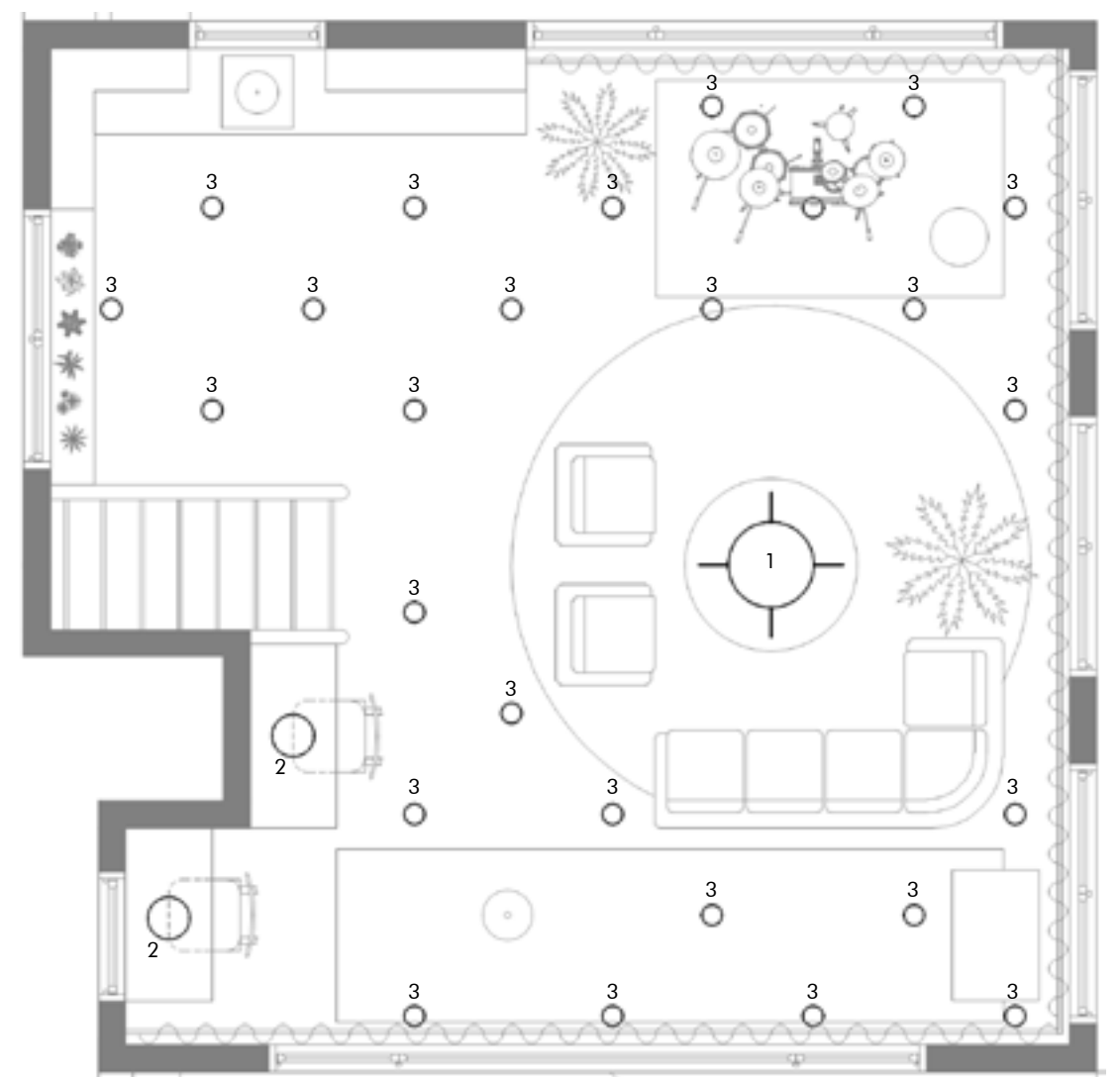
Design Development: The Top Floor Addition



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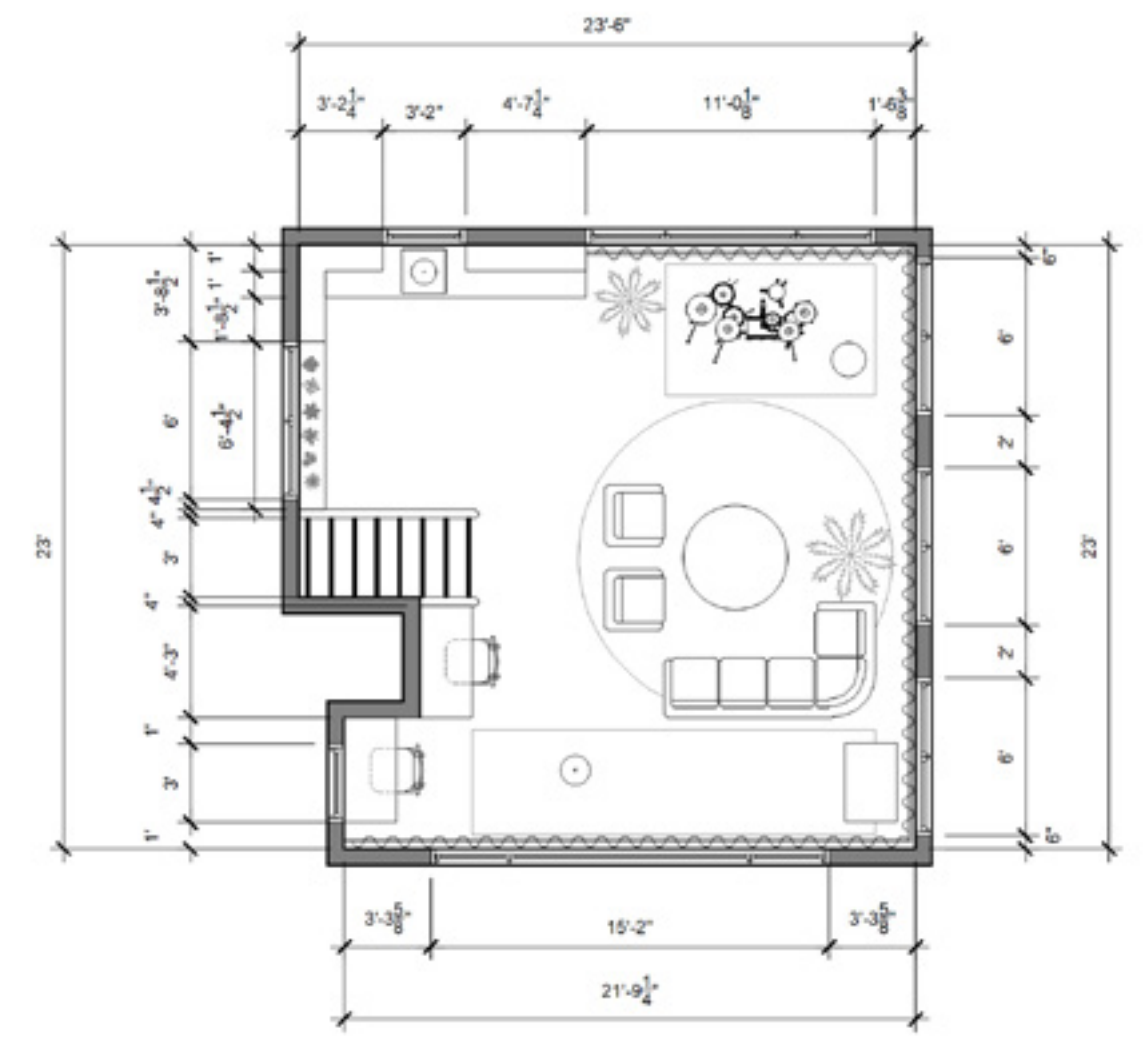
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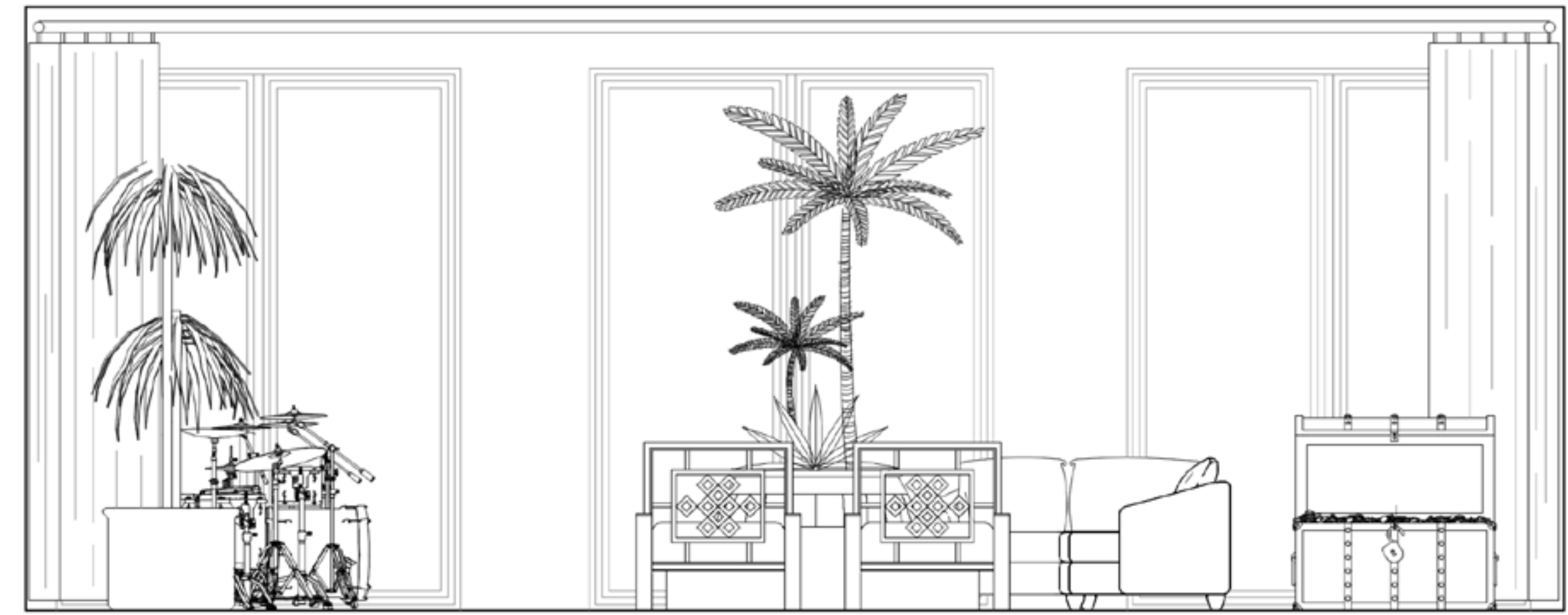
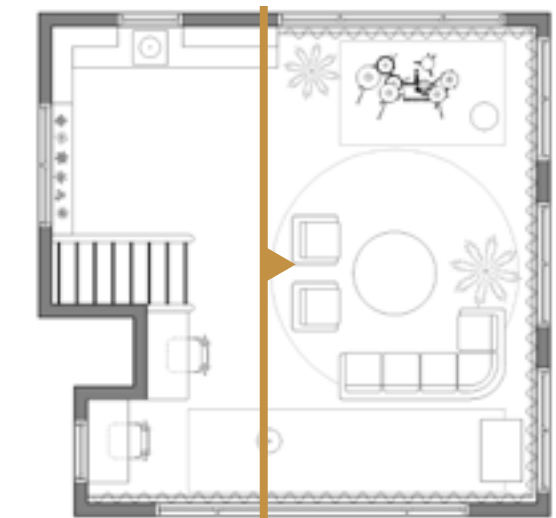
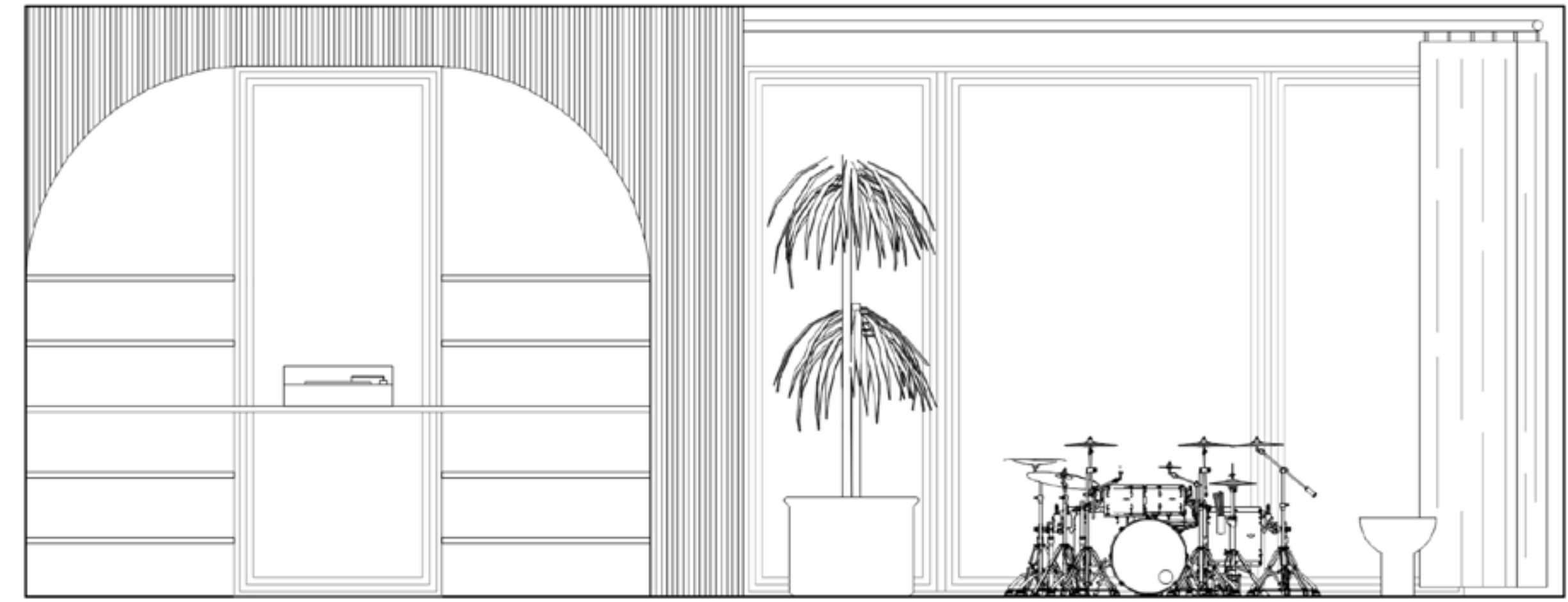
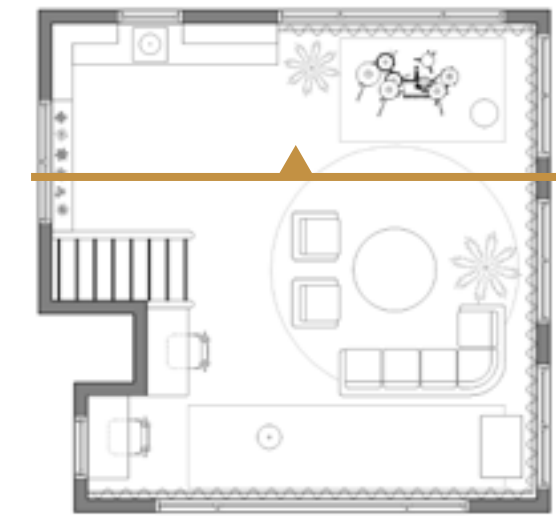


3. Dial Ceiling Surface Light, Eureka



Design Development: The Living Room

A place to gather and have conversations.
 A space to listen to music.
 A space to make music.
 A place to dance.
 A space for doing homework.
 A space for intergenerational play.



Architectural Details

Architectural Details: The Kitchen

