WOODWORK

Woodworking is a skill that is applied to manipulate wood into a product. In woodworking, one needs to know woods very well and the tools that are appropriate for manipulating them.

Wood

Wood is a technical material gotten from trees. Trees are grown to good age, and are then felled down. The felled trees are cut into logs. The logs are seasoned and processed into planks or boards. Wood is also a fuel just like kerosene. It can easily burns. It does not conduct electricity when dry.

Tools used in Woodwork

Some of the tools that can be used in basic woodwork are: hammer, saw, chisel, plane, sandpaper, square, pinches, drillers, nails, pencil, etc. These tools are categorised into the following: marking out tools, etc.

Operations in Woodwork

Some of the operations one carry out in woodwork are:

Drawing. In woodwork, every project is usually planned both with drawing and materials bill and even the working procedure. It is good to know how to do basic drawings to be able to be good in this skill. To be able to draw one needs: pencils, rulers, protractor, dividers, compass, etc.

Marking out. After drawing and planning a project. One would go to get materials for the project. Marking out is simply the transfer of ones drawn design on the materials. After marking out, you would know where to saw and how to saw and even know how to carry out the other operations.

Other operations in woodwork: nailing, sawing, drilling, planing, smoothening, spraying, etc.