



Design Exercise

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It's time to applied what you learned about design. Go find an object and study its design. Remember, you can apply design concepts to pretty much anything, including: a door, a water fountain, a pen, a monitor, anything!

Reminder of the design terms you now know:

- *Affordance: How an object can be (affords being) used*
- *Signifier: An indicator or clue to using an affordance*
- *Feedback: An action or results that communicates that something happened*
- *Constraint: Things a design intentionally can't do*
- *Dependencies: Outside factors your design depends on but you can't control*

Jot down your notes on the design you studied here

Don't worry about covering every single aspect of the design, and remember most of these elements are subjective!

Object	
Affordances	
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