

THE EAMES CHAIR - DESIGN EXAMINATION QUESTION

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Why are Charles and Ray Eames regarded as influential designers ?

1. Write a specification for a two seater settee, designed in the style of the Eames Lounge Chair.

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2. Draw / sketch a range of initial ideas for the settee. Your ideas must meet the specification you have written.

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3. Select one of your initial ideas and develop it further, so that it meets the 'two seater settee' design need. Use a combination of notes and sketches.

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4. Explain through the use of notes and sketches, how your developed idea meets your specification.