Architecture Quiz

Matching: Match the best description to the appropriate architectural style.

1. Colorful with narrow windows
2. Balconies with spiral staircase a. Italianate
3. Columns, arches, and triangular roof (pediment) b. Victorian
c. Gothic Revival
4. Boxed chimneys with a raised basement d. Art Deco
5. Finials and castle-like e. Colonial
6. Low-pitch roof and widow’s walk (cupola) f. Georgian
g. Federal
7. Ornate and very detailed h. Classical Revival
8. Low foundation and few windows

Fill in the blank: Fill in the blanks to complete the sentence.

9. There are ______ historic buildings in the Charleston area.
10. We are studying ______ Low Country architectural styles.
11. The most modern architectural style we are studying is ______.
12. The oldest architectural style we are studying is ______.
13. The three principles of studying architecture are ________, ________,
    ____________.
14. The three questions you should ask yourself when analyzing architecture are:

   a. I the building _______ or _______
   b. What is the _____________ of the _________ living in or using the
      building?
   c. How does the building __________________?
True/False: Decide if the following statement is true or false.

15. The architectural styles we are studying can only be found in the Charleston area.

Short Answer: Respond to the following questions in short answer form.

16. What is another name for the Classical revival style?

17. What is another name for the Victorian style?

18. What are the two architectural styles of the Aiken-Rhett House?

19. How does analyzing architecture contribute to the study of history?

Identification: Identify one building we are focusing on for each architectural style.

Choose the building that corresponds to the architectural style listed.

20. Colonial:
   a. Francis Silas Rodgers Mansion
   b. Aiken-Rhett House
   c. The Powder Magazine
   d. Drayton Hall

21. Georgian:
   a. Riviera Theatre
   b. Middleton Place
   c. Drayton Hall
   d. Avery Institute
   e. Both b & c

22. Federal:
   a. Aiken-Rhett House
   b. Avery Institute
   c. County Jail
   d. Fireproof Building
23. Classical Revival:
   a. Fireproof Building
   b. French Huguenot Church
   c. County Jail
   d. Market hall
   e. Both a & d

24. Gothic Revival:
   a. French Huguenot Church
   b. Riviera Theatre
   c. County Jail
   d. Aiken-Rhett House
   e. Both a & c

25. Italianate
   a. Market Hall
   b. Avery Institute
   c. Drayton Hall
   d. Francis Silas Rodgers Mansion

26. Victorian:
   a. County Jail
   b. The Powder Magazine
   c. Riviera Theatre
   d. Francis Silas Rodgers Mansion

27. Art Deco
   a. Aiken-Rhett House
   b. Market Hall
   c. Riviera Theatre