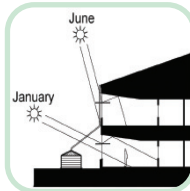


What is a Green Building?

A green building is one where the qualities of both the indoor and outdoor environments have been considered and protected during its design, construction, maintenance and use.



Site selection & planning, landscaping, stormwater management, construction and demolition recycling

SITE-SENSITIVE



Materials reuse, efficient building systems, use of recycled and rapidly renewable materials

PROTECTIVE OF NATURAL RESOURCES



Low energy usage, clean/renewable energy

ENERGY EFFICIENT



Efficient fixtures, wastewater reuse, efficient irrigation

WATER EFFICIENT



Improved indoor air quality, increased daylighting, better thermal comfort/control, no HCFCs or CFCs

HEALTHIER INDOOR ENVIRONMENT