

UNIT 3C_THE PAPER ARCHITECT

Task 1: Choose the correct answer for each question.

1. Why was Zaha Hadid known as "the paper architect"?
A. She worked mainly with paper-based models
B. Most of her early designs were never built
C. She only taught architectural theory
D. She designed paper buildings for exhibitions
2. What helped her designs begin to be realized after 2005?
A. She simplified her architectural style
B. More women entered the profession
C. Her designs became more affordable
D. Her projects were finally commissioned and built

Task 2: Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the list. There are two extra words.

boundaries, commission, emphasis, charm, facilitate, disillusioned, persuaded

1. Hadid was interested in pushing _____ and trying new ideas.
2. Many people left the profession because they became _____ with traditional design.
3. A major project she received in 2005 was a _____ for BMW in Leipzig.
4. Her architecture aimed to _____ everyday life, not just look beautiful.
5. The 100-metre running track showed the school's _____ on sports.

Task 3: Match each paragraph (1–4) with its main idea (A–E). There is one extra option.

Paragraph	Main Idea	Options:
1	—	A. Her death and lasting legacy B. Early criticism and her slow rise to fame C. Her interest in sport and education D. Her rejection of traditional artistic roles E. How new technologies helped her style succeed
2	—	
3	—	
4	—	

Task 4: Write True, False, or Not Given based on the text.

1. Zaha Hadid was the first woman to become a professional architect in Britain.
2. Many of her early designs were too complex to build at the time.
3. She wanted her buildings to reflect her personal emotions.

4. The Guangzhou Opera House was one of her earliest student projects.
 5. She designed a school where pupils could observe each other from different parts of the building.
-

Task 5: Complete the sentences with no more than three words from the passage.

1. Hadid started sketching her ideas in the form of _____.
2. The MAXXI art museum is located in _____.
3. She used new technology to experiment with _____.
4. Her aim was to build structures that were both innovative and _____.
5. Her buildings were designed to offer viewers _____ at every turn.