Masonry buildings use **lintels** above a window and **sills** below a window to frame and support the opening. Find different examples of these building parts and draw them in the space below.







BROOKLYN BOROUGH HALL

Many American government buildings are designed to look like buildings from Ancient Greece, which was considered a model for our democracy. Can you find these **Greek Revival** elements in Borough Hall?



A **volute** is the spiral, scroll-like ornament that forms the capital of an **lonic Column**.

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The **Egg and Dart pattern** is an Ancient Greek design that represents life (egg) and death (dart).

It is expensive and hard to build **columns** from a solid piece of stone. Instead, they are often built from individual **drums** that are stacked on top of one another.

Located in Brooklyn at 209 Joralemon Street, this institutional building was designed by architects Calvin Pollard and Gamaliel King in the Greek Revival style.

Completed in **1848**, it is Brooklyn's oldest public building and houses the **Office of the Brooklyn Borough President**.



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