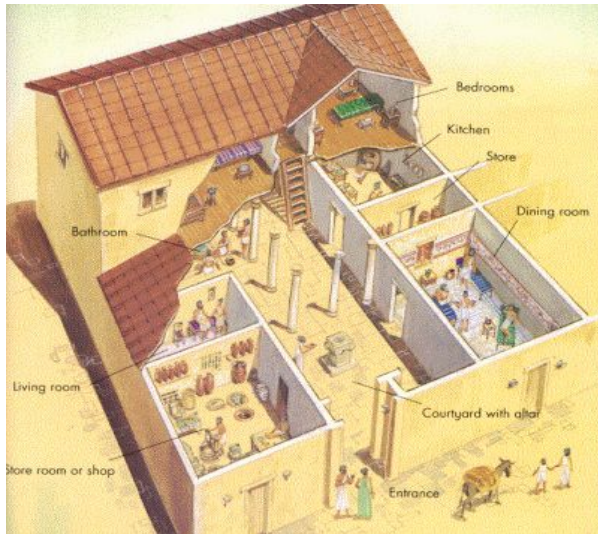


Ancient Greek Homes



Ancient Greek homes were built around a courtyard or garden. The walls were often made from wood and mud bricks. They had small windows with no glass, like our windows at home, but they did have wooden shutters to keep out the blazing hot sun.

People sat on wooden chairs or stools, they did not have much furniture in their homes.

The rich people decorated the walls and floors with colourful tiles and paintings.

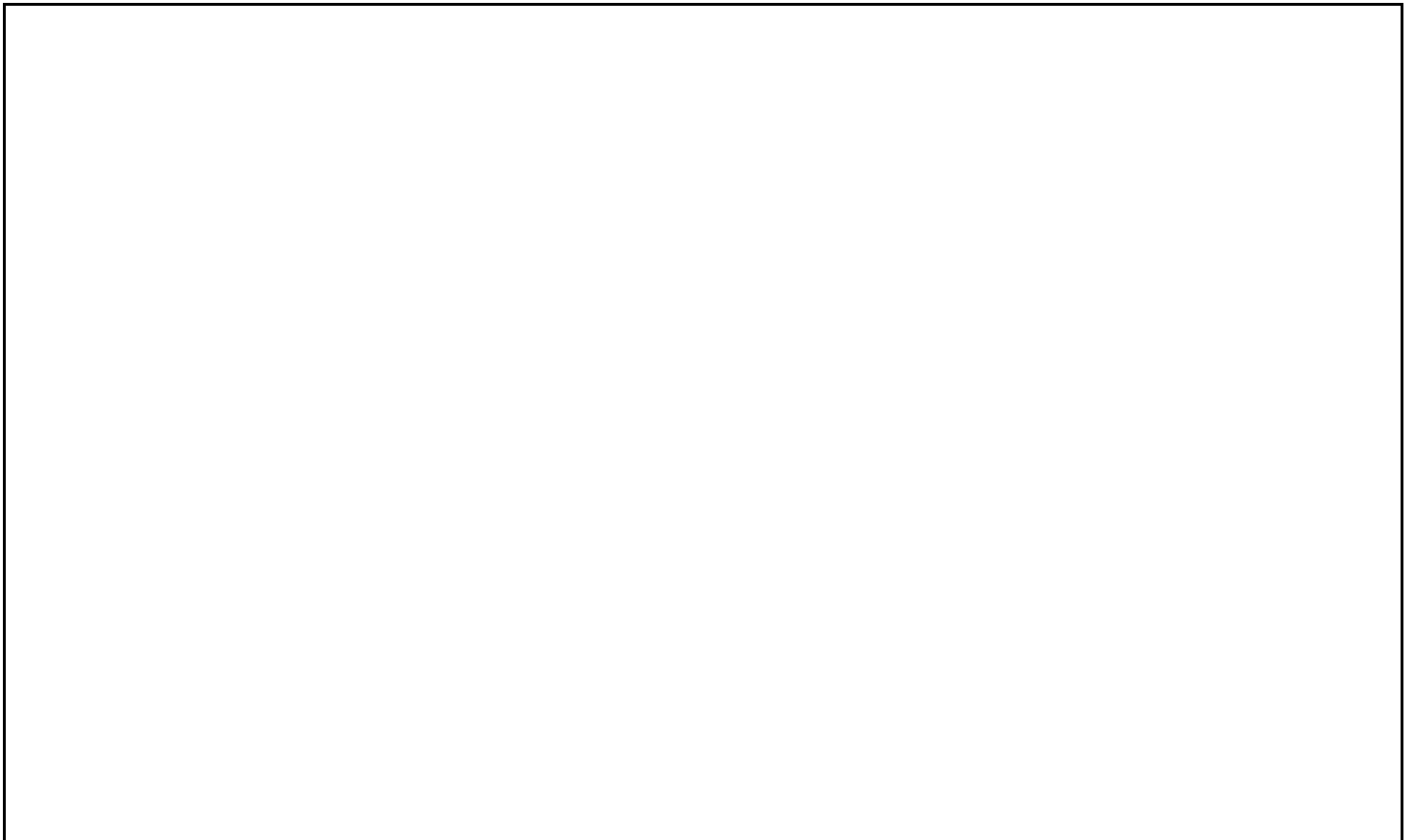
Many homes didn't have a bathroom. There were public baths, but most people washed

using a small bucket or in a nearby stream. At night, the Greeks slept on beds stuffed with wool, feathers or dry grass. The only light they had came from oil lamps and candles, which meant lots of the Greeks went to bed as soon as it was dark outside.

Can you design your own Ancient Greek house?

(Don't forget to use the information above to help you with your design).

The outside of my Greek house design:



The inside of my Greek house design:

