

Eclectic Revival Styles Dutch Colonial Revival



Dutch Colonial Revival buildings began to be built in the United States in the early 1900s. The Dutch Colonial Revival style is imitative of early Dutch Colonial buildings in the Northeastern United States. Dutch immigrants brought the style to the United States and the basic shape of the building is the same as it was in Holland in the 1600s. The Dutch Colonial Revival style is part of the Revival or Romantic architectural movements that were popular in the United States at the end of the 19th and the early 20th centuries.

Dutch Colonial Revival structures are typically two-story, with a gambrel roof, shallow eaves, and sometimes sport Dutch doors or half-timbering. Dutch Colonial Revival features are often mixed with Colonial Revival styles.



Dutch Colonial Revival - *Common character defining features*

Windows (pg. 53)

- Four-over-four, Six-over-six
- Rectangular tops
- Arranged in pairs or threes
- Shutters

Porches/Balconies (pg. 62)

- Relatively restrained
- Small in size
- Square or round columns

Doorways (pg. 58)

- Single
- Rectangular

Roofs (pg. 66)

- Side gabled
- Gambrel

Building Materials (pg. 74)

- Shingles
- Clapboard