

Memory game: Elevated architecture 2

Pairs (Pelmanism): important names and terms. Before you watch the film "Elevated architecture", study the following terms from the film. Afterwards you can cut them out and play "pairs" with them.

capital	top of a column or pillar. From the Latin word "capitellum" = little head.
Romanesque	belonging to the stylistic era of the Romanesque; i.e.: Romanesque capital
Trier	town in Western Germany. Important town and residence of the emperor in Late Roman times.
sacred building	built for religious or ritual uses (i.e.: church, temple). From the Latin word "sacer" = holy
Speyer	important historic town on the Upper Rhine in Germany
crypt	a room (vault) which is situated beneath the choir or the altar of a church. The room was used for altars and the tombs of saints.
Benedictine	Christian order, founded by Saint Benedict of Nursia in the 6th century.
abbey	a monastery presided over by an abbot
Gothic style	architectural style of the Middle Ages. It follows the Romanesque period.
cathedral	large episcopal church