PPD & PDD study materials:

***ARE 5.0 Handbook

Books:
- Building Construction Illustrated, Ching
- Building Codes Illustrated, Ching
- Architect’s Studio Companion: Rules of Thumb for Preliminary Design
- Architecture Graphic Standards
- IBC 2015
- Fundamentals of Building Construction, Olin

Documents:
- FEMA 454, Chapters 4 & 5

Practice Questions/Online Courses:
- Hyperfine Architecture
- Brightwood Online Question Bank
- Ballast 5.0 Practice Exams

Youtube:
- Engineering Mindset
- Mike Ermann - Amber Books

Blogs/forums:
- ***NCARB 5.0 Community
- Facebook Group NCARB
- 4.0 Jenny’s Notes

Other sources I didn’t use but heard are useful:
- Designer Hacks
- Black Spectacles
- MEEB (avoid at all cause)
- Heating, Cooling, Lighting: Sustainable Design Methods for Architects, Lechner
- Plumbing, Electricity, Acoustics: Sustainable Design Methods for Architecture
- The Architect’s Handbook of Professional Practice
- Olin’s Construction: Principles, Materials, & Methods
- Sun, Wind, and Light: Architectural Design Strategies
- Architect Exam Prep

PPD focused

Third party study guides:
- Ballast
- Brightwood (Kaplan 4.0)

MUST READS:
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PDD focused

Third party study guides:
- Ballast
- Brightwood (Kaplan 4.0)
- Kaplan CDS chapters

Documents:
- AIA Contracts (A201, B201...)
- NPS Treatments for Historic Masonry Buildings

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