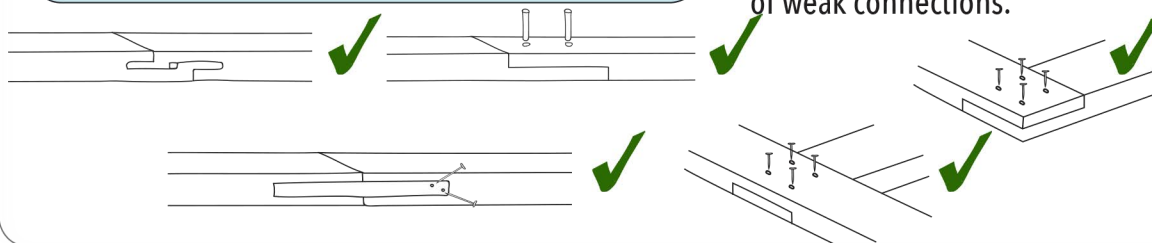




#2 : BAND YOUR HOUSE TOGETHER

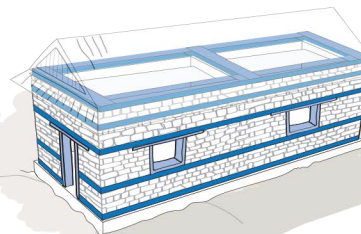
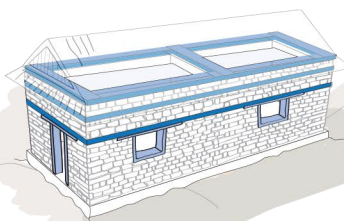
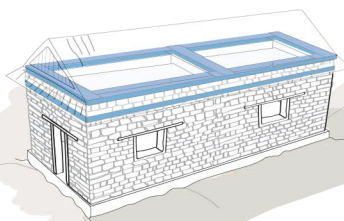
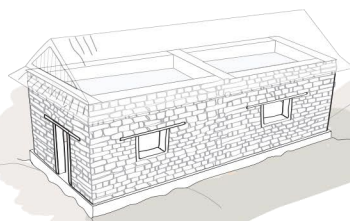
Banding prevents your walls from being pulled or pushed apart.

PROVIDE STRONG BAND CONNECTIONS



Some bands failed because of weak connections.

PROVIDING BANDS IS ESSENTIAL



Provide as many bands as you can

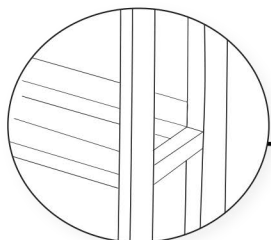


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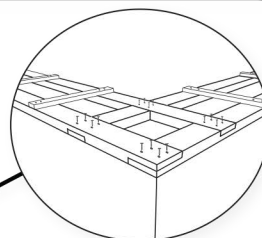
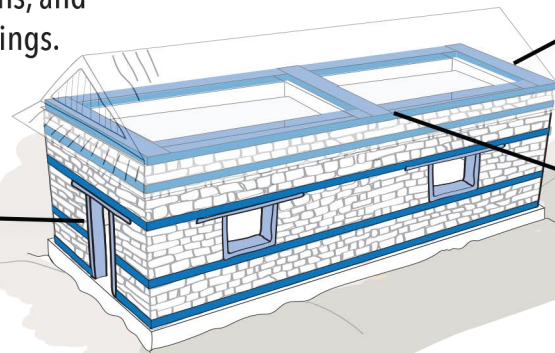
- 1 Top of wall band
- 2 Floor plate band
- 3 Window and door lintel band
- 4 Window sill band
- 5 Bottom of wall band

ENSURE BAND CONTINUITY

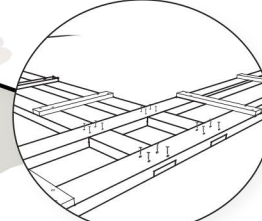
It's important to make strong connections at band corners, band intersections, and where bands intersect door openings.



Doors

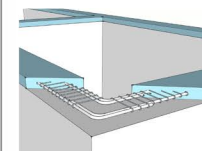


Corners

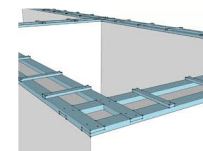


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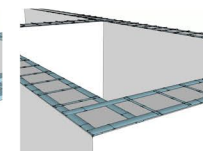
USE STRONG MATERIALS FOR BANDING



Reinforced concrete band



Timber band



Bamboo band
(Strips with skin removed)



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