TIP Sheet

MEP Modeler
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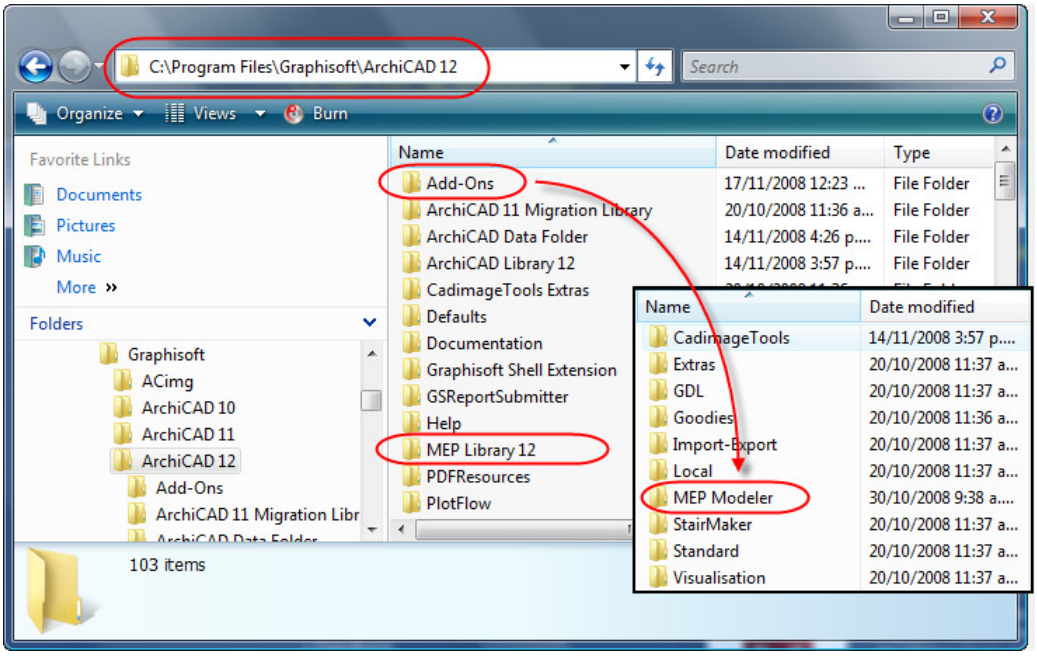
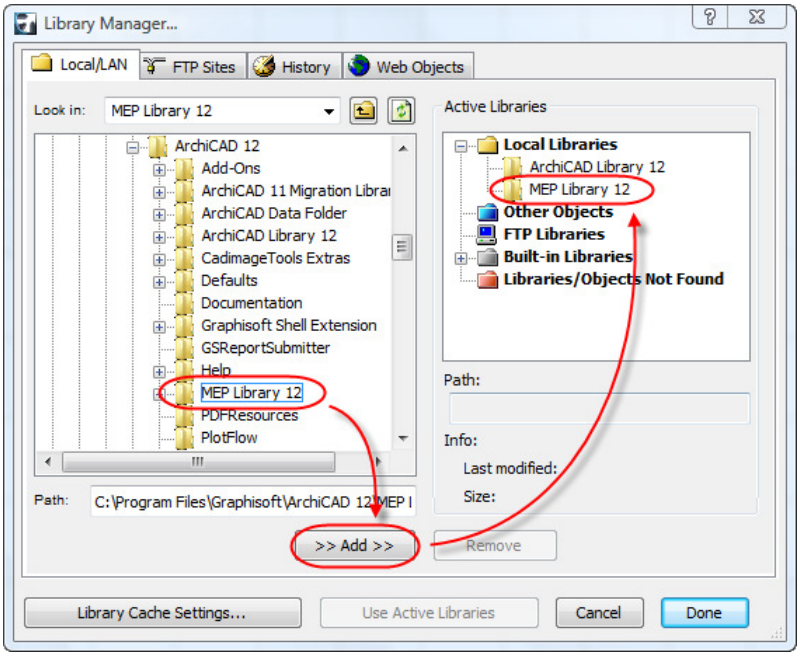
The MEP Modeller build on your Install CD is build 2535, once you have installed this you will need to update it to the current ArchiCAD build version. Go to http://www.graphisoft.com/products/archicad-solutions/mep-modeler/MEP_downloads.html and follow the instruction steps.

After updating the Graphisoft MEP Modeler, you will have two (2) new files in your ArchiCAD 12 Folder.
MEP Modeler within *\\Graphisoft\ArchiCAD 12\Add-Ons* and **MEP Library 12** within *\\Graphisoft\ArchiCAD 12*



By default ArchiCAD 12 will load the MEP Add-On, and you will need to add the MEP Library to your loaded libraries.
Open the Library Manager, **File > Libraries and Objects > Library Manager**, find the **MEP Library 12** folder and hit **>>Add>>** then **Done**.



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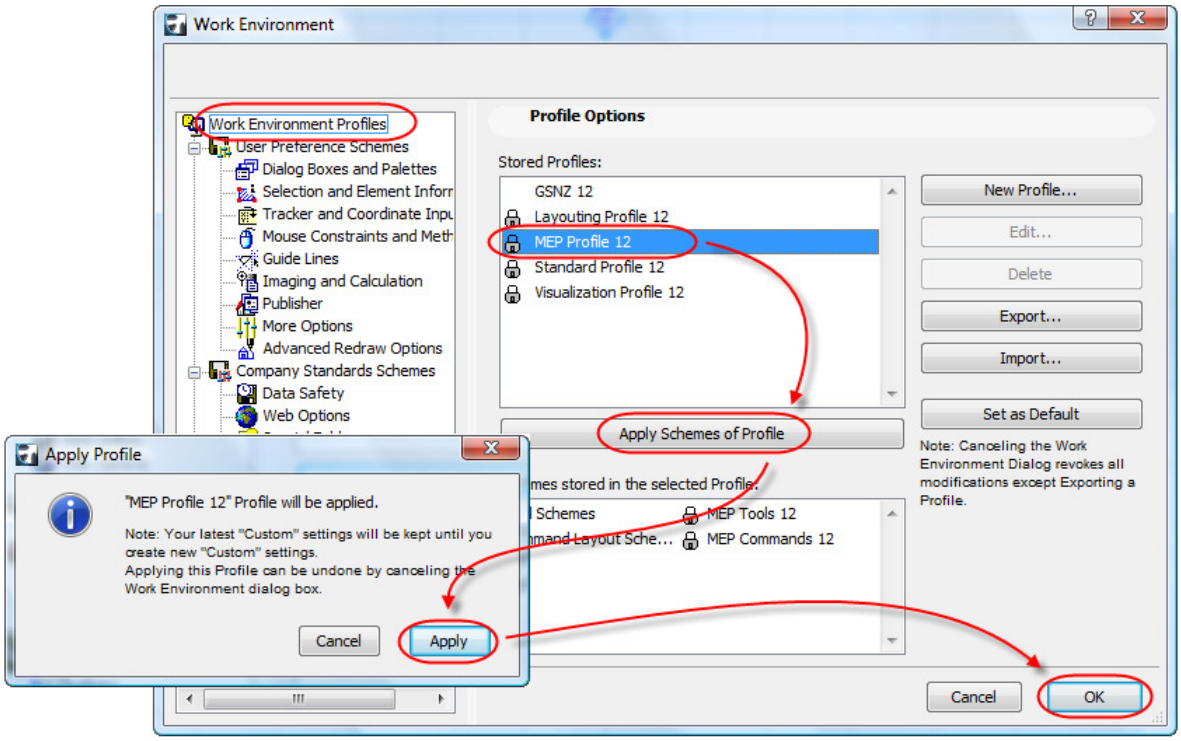
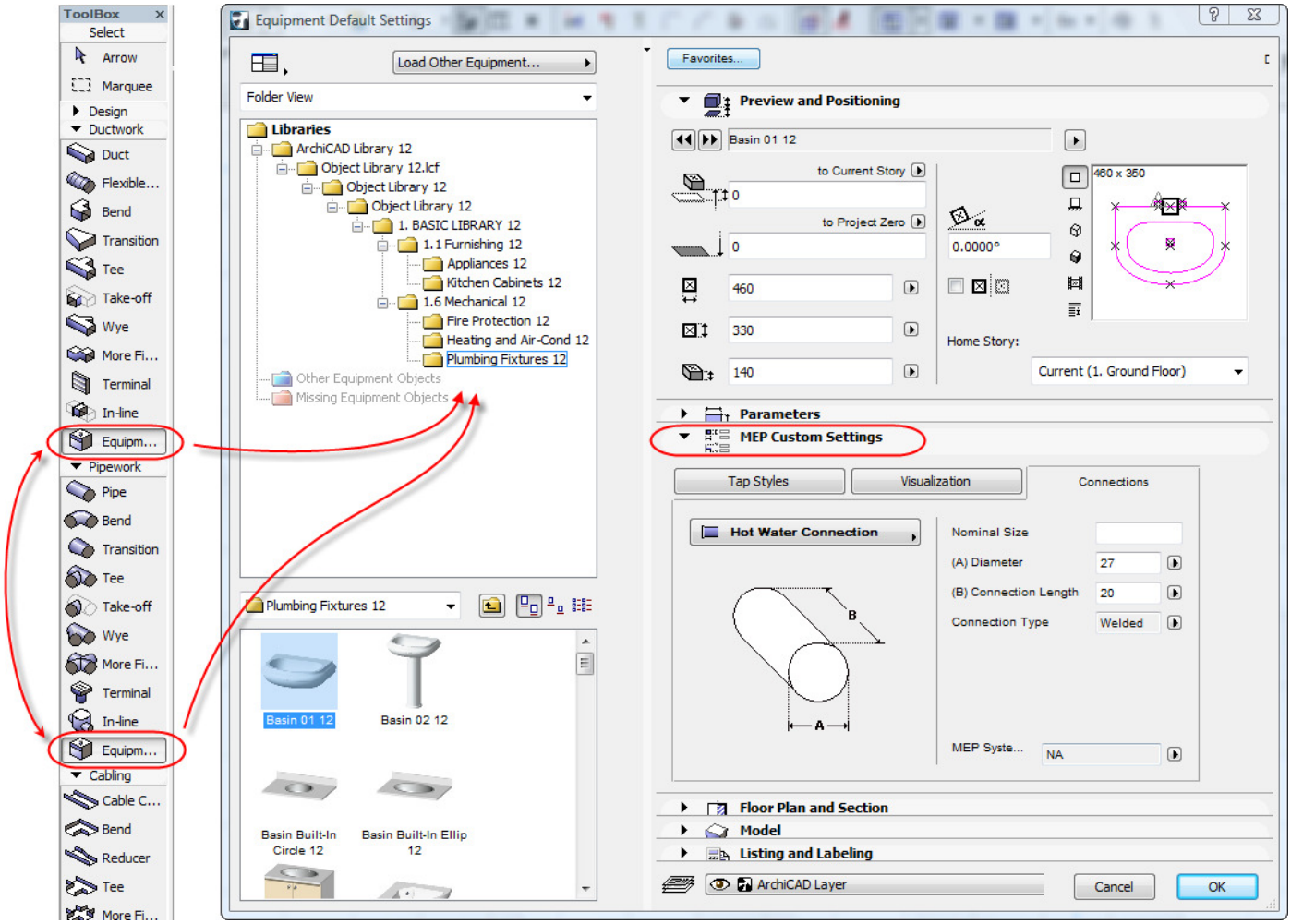
You will also need to change the Work Environment, go to **Options > Work Environment > Work Environment...**, from the **Stored Profiles** highlight **MEP Profile 12**. Click **Apply Schemes of Profile**, from the new dialog click **Apply** then **OK**.



With the MEP modeler Add-On running ArchiCAD's standard Appliances, Kitchen Cabinets, Fire, Heating and Plumbing objects are now found through the **Equipment** tab in the **ToolBox**. And will now have additional **MEP custom settings**.



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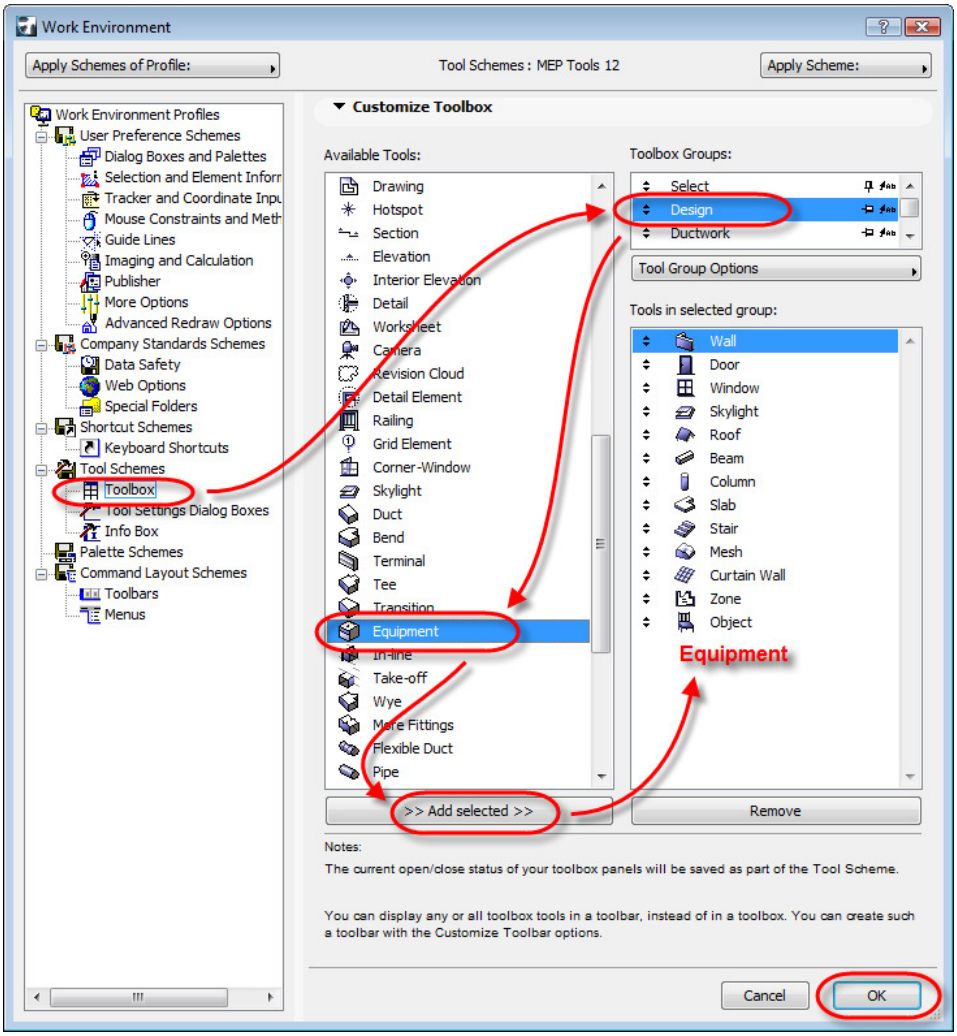
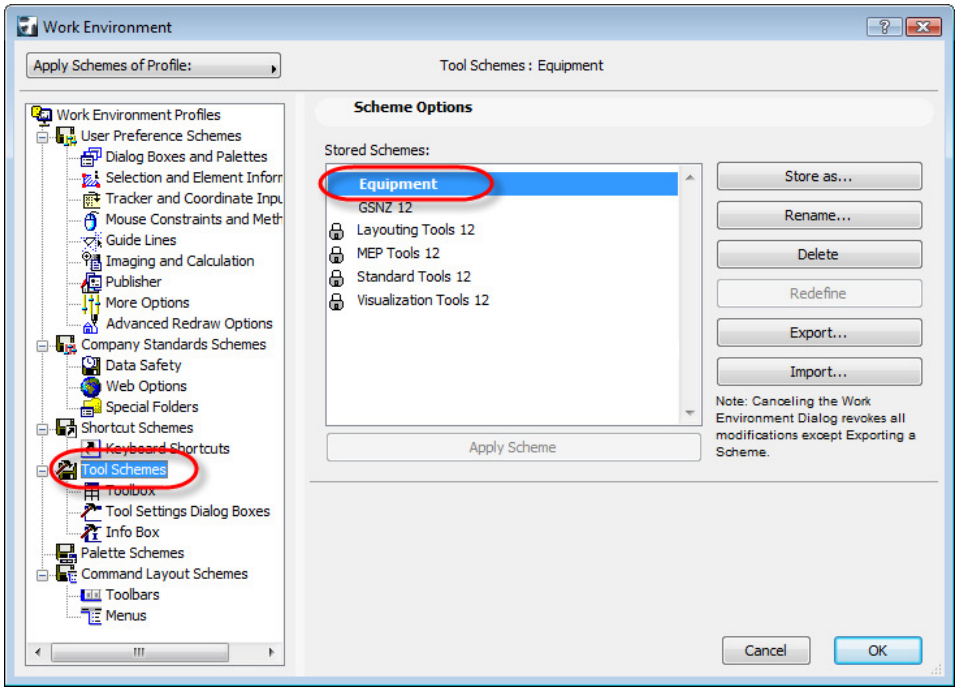
If you are not using the MEP Modeler and as such no longer need to use the MEP Work Environment, the standard ArchiCAD appliances will no longer be available. It is necessary to add the Equipment tab to your ToolBox.

To do this go to **Options > Work Environment > Work Environment...**, Under **Tool Schemes** choose **Toolbox**, and then select your **Toolbox Group**. From **Available Tools** scroll down and select **Equipment**, hit **>>Add selected>>** then **OK**.



Remember to save these changes to a **Tool Scheme**,



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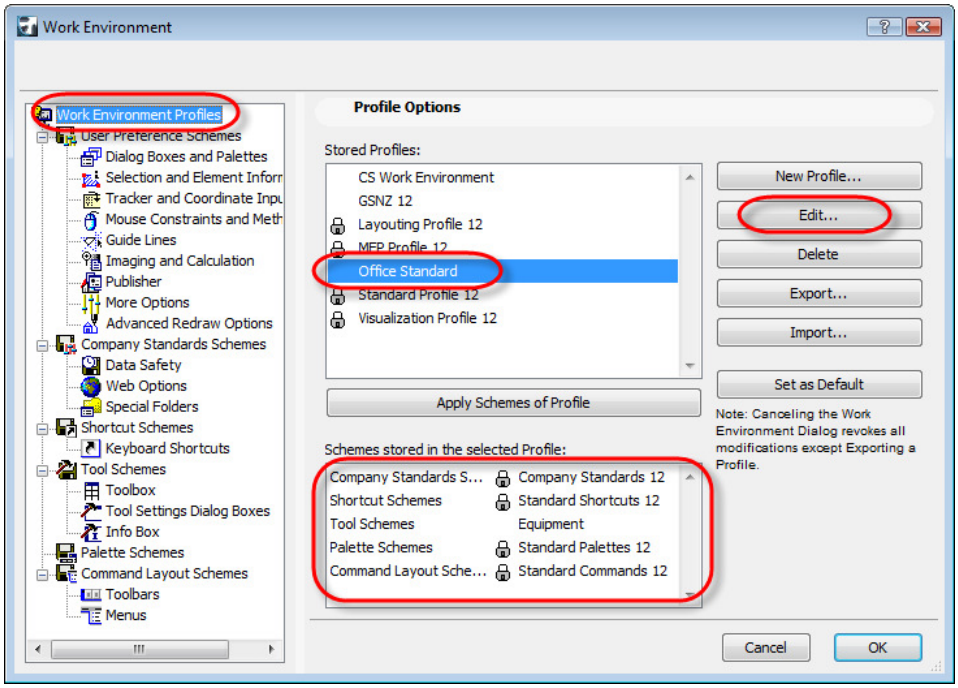
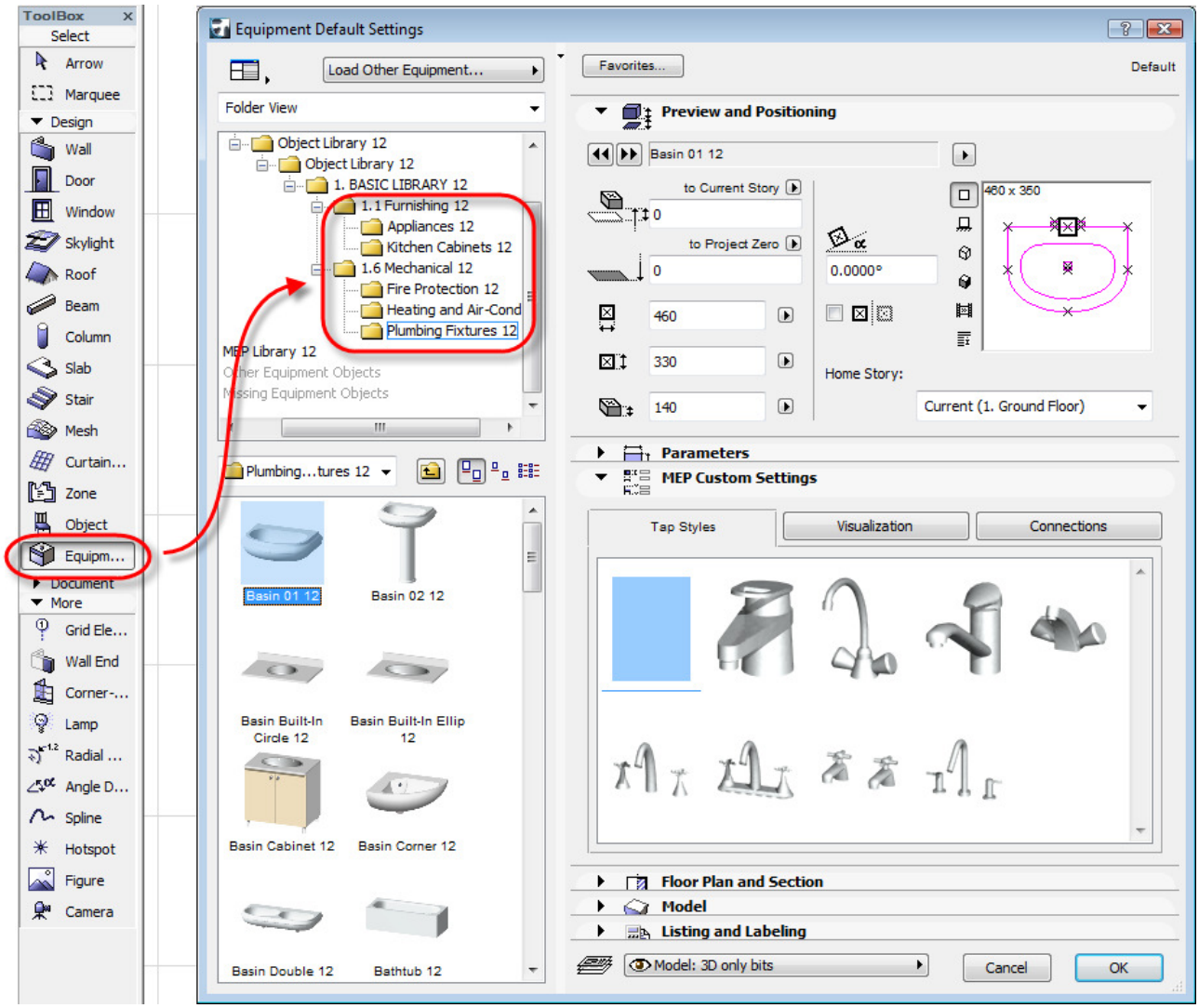
And then update your **Work Environment Profile**.



Now back in ArchiCAD, the **Equipment** Tab is shown within the **ToolBox** and this is where you will find all your ArchiCAD Plumbing, Heating, Fire Protection, Kitchen and Appliance objects.