ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

Photo Real Scale Building Kit by INNOVATIVE HOBBY SUPPLY

Jim's Department Store

- A new alternative to plastic form scale building models!
- Photo Real Scale Building kits may be the most realistic kits available!
- Great for use on model dioramas, slot car, and train track layouts!
- Designed using photos of real building elements for the most realistic appearance

Footprint Dimensions

Model Base
8" x 11"

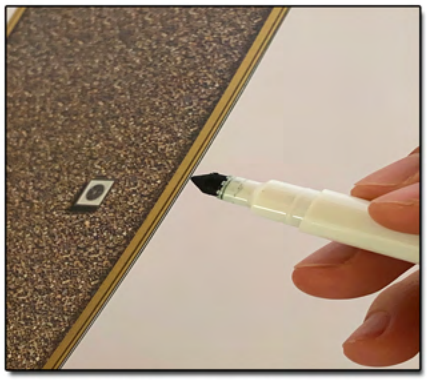
Leroy 66 Vintage Gas Station Building

All scale building kits offer many optional features, for a variety of creative ways to complete each project!

Free replacement parts are available call: 866-712-4059

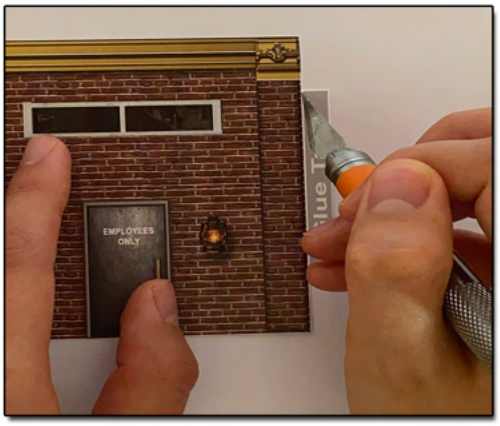
STEP 1 - Collect the correct tools. For best results, we suggest you gather at least the most basic tools you will need to complete assembly. While you may find more tools that will help you achieve outstanding results, we suggest you start with the following: Hot glue gun, scissors, variety of water based colored markers, tweezers, straight edge rulers, hobby knife, instant setting high strength hobby glue.

STEP 2 - Empty contents of the kit, and carefully cut out all the individual parts to be assembled. Please note that the most precise cuts you can make will result in a dramatically better looking finished project.



STEP 3 - With appropriate color markers, detail the edges of all the parts you cut out. This will result in a finely finished project once assembled.

STEP 4 - **Scoring.** Using a scoring tool (see picture) and a straight-edge ruler, apply pressure onto the surface of the part you wish to bend, on top of a line you want to fold. This is called scoring. Scoring along lines to be bent makes bending all printed parts easier, and results in a much cleaner looking fold. Bend parts using the length of your straightedge ruler. *Scoring is an essential skill.*



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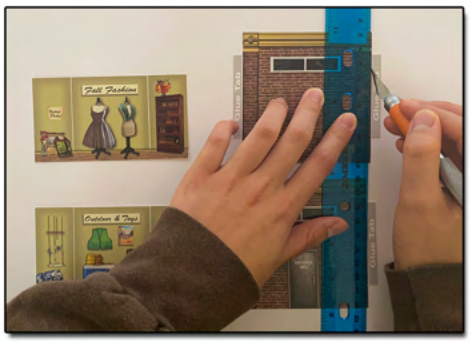


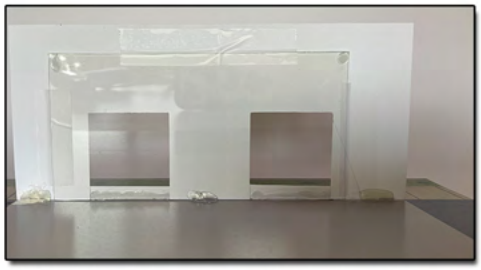
STEP 5 - With scale building kits, there is usually no correct place to begin. In this case, we'll start by scoring Jim's Department Store side walls and Illusion Rooms. Carefully Score the Glue tabs with a straight edge. And For the Illusion Rooms score the two white lines. Like shown above.

STEP 6 - When scoring the Illusion Rooms make sure to use a straight edge. After Scoring carefully fold the 'side walls' of the Illusion Room inward, like the image above. For the next step lets start preparing the front wall and windows!

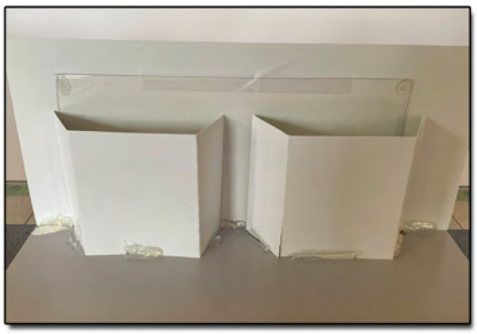
Step 7 - Grab the Front wall of the building. Carefully cut out the inside of the windows like shown above. Make sure to not cut out the upper part of the window that has signs. Look at the image above for better understanding.

STEP 8 - After cutting out part of the windows, grab the piece of plastic glass included in the kit. Carefully take off white wrapper on both sides of the glass until you can see through. Place the glass evenly behind the front wall windows. Place two small globs of glue on the top right and left corners to secure it in place. Then place small pieces of tape around the glass to hold it tight on the back of front wall.

STEP 9 - Next flip the front wall so its facing towards you. Grab the two Bottom Window Add ons, glue with hot glue on to the bottom of the front windows. Make sure its lined up with the window frames and the ground. Like shown above. You can also wear gloves if worried about finger prints on glass.



STEP 10 - After assembling the glass windows and bottom window add ons, glue the front wall on to the base. Glue the Front wall facing the side walk on the base. When gluing use hot glue. I recommend gluing one small glob of glue on the right and left ends behind the front wall, and one in the middle. Make sure the building is lined up evenly and is 90 degrees from ground before gluing.



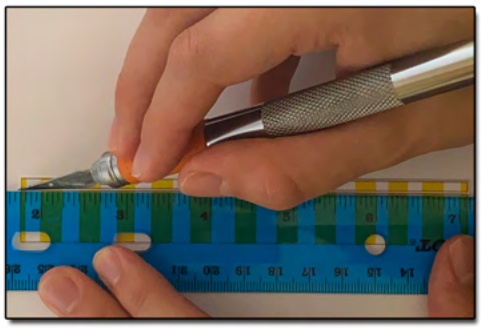
Step 11 - Grab the two Illusion Roms we scored earlier. Line up the Rooms with the windows. After Place a small glob of glue behind the illusion rooms. The 'side' walls of the illusion rooms, place them at a angle like shown above. Then place a small glob of glue behind.

Step 12 - Finally we've finsihed assembling the Front wall. When it's done the front should look something like this. You should be able to see through the windows and see the Illusions Rooms, how cool ! For the next step lets assemble the other walls.

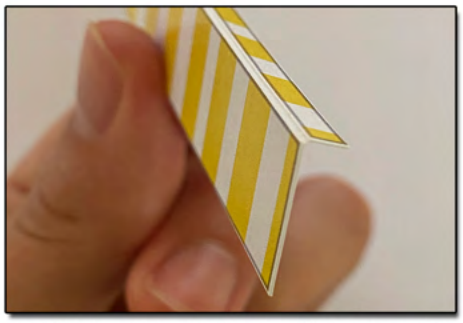
Step 13 - Glue the Side walls on to the Front wall. Make sure to glue the right sides. You can either use white glue or hot glue to assemble the walls. Place a small amount of glue on the glue tabs, then a little bit behind the wall for extra support. After assembling, glue the the Back wall on to the building.

STEP 14 - After Gluing the Back Wall, it should look something like this. When gluin g make sure its lined up beofre, and 90 degrees from ground. The back wall should be facing towards the parking lot side. Next let's glue on the roof.

STEP 24 - When gluing the roof, before I recommond to line up all sides evenly so it looks nice. After lining up the roof with the walls, Carefully lift a corner, and place a small amount of hot glue, gently lower it and push down to secure it, repeat on all corners. Now that our roof is done, lets assemble the add ons.



STEP 25 - Grab one of the optional awnings. The kit provides two options, a yellow one and a red one. Pick the one you like the most. After Score and Fold with the straight edge on the white line like shown above.



STEP 26 - Now to finish off the Awning, fold the small tab downwards after scoring. Like shown above.

STEP 27 - After Scoring and Folding the awning, place a small amount of hot glue on to the folded downward tab. Glue the tab on to the white line located between the Jim's Department Store sign and windows. When done, it should look something like this.

STEP 28 - Then you can also add the Jim's Department Store Sign to give a 3D affect. Optional.

Go to the next page to see the final results.

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Front of Building

Left Side of Building

Right Side of Building

Rear of Building