

## #9993 2-Window Shop Kit

### Step-by-step assembly instructions

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#### PARTS LIST:

Front Wall  
Left Side Wall  
Right Side Wall  
Back Wall  
Base  
Grooved Trim for top (4)  
Plexiglass for top  
Top Facade  
Plexiglass for large windows (2).

#### SUPPLIES NEEDED:

Masking tape  
White glue (such as #1249 Weldbond)  
Damp clean cloth  
Exterior and interior finishes

 **WARNING:**  
**CHOKING HAZARD – Small parts**  
Not for children under 3 yrs.  
Adult supervision required.



#### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- Identify and inspect all parts using the Parts List and Parts Diagram.
- Read the directions completely before beginning the project.
- If possible, have a dedicated work area so that you are not unpacking, repacking, and moving the project from place to place.
- Choose a work surface that is level, clean, dry, and protected from glue spills.
- Do a dry fit, using masking tape to hold parts in place, to make sure everything fits together correctly before assembling permanently.

## Assembly Instructions

1. Follow the assembly exploded diagram looking at each piece from the outside. Use the **Base** as a guide to place shop on during assembly but do not glue in place at this time.
2. Glue the right side of **Left Side Wall** (trim at top on the outside with notch to the front) into the groove on the back of the left side of **Front Wall**. Be sure bottom and top edges of walls are flush and notch of **Left Side Wall** fits over trim on **Front Wall**. Secure with masking tape. Allow to dry.
3. Glue the left side of **Right Side Wall** (trim at top on the outside with notch to the front) into the groove on the back of the right side of **Front Wall**. Be sure bottom and top edges of walls are flush and notch of **Right Side Wall** fits over trim on **Front Wall**. Secure with masking tape. Allow to dry.
4. Glue the left side of **Left Side Wall** and the right side of **Right Side Wall** into grooves and corner trims on the **Back Wall**. Flush at the bottom with the corner trims and trims extending above the walls at the top. Secure with masking tape. Allow to dry.
5. The completed assembly can be secured in place on the **Base** with masking tape to keep it square during drying.

#### Tips:

- Remove paper from plexiglass before installing in the front windows.
- Remember, it is easier to work on the individual walls on your work table before assembling the shop.
- Suggested Finishing Techniques **BEFORE** Construction:
  - Stain or Paint walls, facade and trims before assembling the store.
  - Apply any outside finish, such as: Brick or Clapboard.
  - Decide how you are going to finish the inside of the store; the walls, are going to electrify the store, hard wire or tape wire?
  - Fit and match wallpaper, wainscoting, paneling, etc. to inside of walls and apply.
  - The plexiglass included for the front windows can be used clear or made into "stained glass" windows. (See "stained glass" windows in "Everything You Wanted To Know About Dollhouses But Didn't Know Who To Ask" instruction book.) Glue the plexiglass into the windows. Be careful to only put glue on the edges. "Stained glass" windows should be finished before gluing in place.
  - Fit any window treatments and secure in place.
  - Glue hardware on door.
  - If **Framed Plexiglass Top** is not assembled, fit the four pieces of grooved trim around large piece of plexiglass and glue at joints. Do not get glue on visible area of plexiglass. Secure with masking tape and allow to dry.

6. Fit **Top Facade** on top of **Front Wall** behind the trim. Make sure the end edges of **Top Facade** are flush with the side edges of **Front Wall**. Glue in place. The **Framed Plexiglass Top** will fit behind the **Top Facade** on top of the walls inside the trims and the corner trims. (DO NOT GLUE the **Framed Plexiglass Top** to the assembly.)
7. After the assembly has dried completely and before gluing it to the **Base**, draw around the inside of the assembly to make a pattern for the floor covering on the **Base**. Remove the assembly from the **Base**. With a piece of tracing paper, trace the drawing, cut around the traced drawing and use the cut out piece as a pattern. Using the pattern, cut the wood flooring, carpet, tile, etc. Apply within the drawn line on the **Base**.
8. Glue assembly to the **Base** around floor covering. Now baseboard can be applied to the walls

## Parts Layout Diagram

### PARTS KEY:

- A - Front Wall
- B - Left Side Wall
- C - Right Side Wall
- D - Back Wall
- E - Base
- F - Framed Plexiglass Top
- G - Top Facade

