

## **43265 Arendelle Frozen Castle**

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Winter adventures await kids and fans aged 5 and up in this fun LEGO® | Disney Frozen Arendelle Frozen Castle (43265) building fantasy toy, featuring a buildable castle playset with opening doors, a dining room and a bedroom, 2 buildable sleds that kids can race and more fun storytelling elements. Plus, the buildable model kit includes Elsa and Anna LEGO | Disney mini-doll figures and an Olaf LEGO | Disney snowman figure.

Buildable castle playset for kids – Treat girls and boys aged 5 and up to this Arendelle Frozen Castle building playset that's ready for imaginative role play and makes a fun display afterward.

Castle construction toy – This kids' model kit features a castle with doors that open into a dining room, a bedroom with 2 beds, 2 buildable sleds, 3 characters from the Disney hit Frozen and more.

Storytelling functions – This buildable castle playset has opening front doors and 2 movable beds and drawers on the upper floor, plus 2 buildable sleds for racing.

Fun kids' building toy – Assemble the buildable castle toy, then join Anna and Elsa, each in different outfits, plus Olaf, and replay favorite movie scenes or new stories.

Expand life skills – With 3 LEGO® | Disney characters and a buildable castle playset, this kids' construction set helps foster imagination, creativity and other life skills through fun.

Measurements – This 177-piece LEGO® | Disney building set toy includes a Disney's Frozen castle that measures over 10 in. (25 cm) high, 2.5 in. (6 cm) wide and 1.5 in. (4 cm) deep.

The front of the box shows Arendelle Frozen Castle in the back! Olaf is by the door waving at Elsa and Anna who are sledding on the snow!

The back of the box shows the back of Arendelle Frozen Castle! The first floor has a dining table and a fireplace and the second floor has 2 beds! Outside, there are 2 sleds and a cute penguin!

The top of the box shows Elsa, Anna, and Olaf together!

The build is 177 pieces in total and is for ages 5+.

Bag 1 includes the pieces for Elsa, Anna, 2 sleds, and the first floor.

Bag 2 includes the pieces for Olaf and the second floor.

Welcome to text-based instructions from Bricks for the Blind. Before you start building, here are some terms we'll be using:

- In Front of/Front: towards you.
- Behind/Back: away from you.
- Up: towards the ceiling.
- Down: towards the floor.
- Stud: the bump on a LEGO brick. Example: A 2x1 brick has two studs on it.
- Vertically: with the longest side going from front to back

- Horizontally: with the longest side going from left to right.
- Upright: pointing up towards the ceiling.
- Standing upright: The piece is perpendicular to the ground, like a wall.
- Lying flat: The piece is parallel to the ground, like a piece of toast which fell off the table.
- That one/ppp: previously placed piece.
- Plate: piece with studs.
- Tile: smooth piece without studs (unless otherwise specified)
- A jumper plate is a 1x2 plate with a single stud on top, or a 1x3 plate with only two studs on top.
- “Anti-stud” is a term for the portion of a LEGO piece which accepts studs, like the bottom of a plate or brick.
- Symmetrically: a mirror image. Example: If you place a 2x1 brick with technic connector on the front wall at the right, connector to the front, and then place another such piece symmetrically on the back wall, at the right, the technic connector of the second piece should point to the back, since it will be placed symmetrically.
- Centered-vertically: even amount of space in front of and behind piece
- Centered-horizontally: even amount of space left and right of piece.
- Row: studs lined up horizontally (left to right/side to side).
- Column: studs lined up upright or vertically (top to bottom/back to front).

For builders with low vision, or a sighted building partner may want to follow along with the printed visual instructions that come with each kit, or PDF versions are always online at LEGO.com for each set: (<https://www.lego.com/en-us/service/buildinginstructions/43265>) As low vision users may benefit from viewing the instructions on a personal device where they can zoom in on content and use assistive technologies to enhance the visuals.

#### Sorting the pieces:

To begin a successful build, it helps to sort the pieces into groups, bags, or small containers. Have a friend or family member do this in advance following the instructions below. You will see that the pieces should be sorted according to the building steps in the kit. Doing this in advance makes locating the pieces for each step easier. See below on how to sort the pieces to correspond to the steps in this set. Number the containers using letters A-Z, numbers, or meaningful names. The parts will be sorted into one or a small number of steps in the instructions. Example: Steps 1-3 means collect all the parts used in steps 1,2 and 3, and put them in one container.

This LEGO set comes with 2 bags labeled 1 and 2, 2 sets of instructions, and some loose pieces. Sort the pieces into groups or piles as described below. Note that where there are multiple colors of the same brick in a step, the colors will be split into 2 groups to make telling the difference easier for the builder! LEGO includes a few spare parts in case you lose something. Set these into their own group away from the rest, in case you need them later.

- Bag 1 - Elsa, Anna, Sleds, and First Floor
- Group 1 - Left Minifigure on Page 5.
- Group 2 - Right Minifigure on Page 6.
- Group 3 - Steps 1-7.
- Group 4 - Steps 1-27.
- Group 5 - Steps 28-37.

Bag 2 - Olaf and Second Floor

Group 6 - Page 3.

Group 7 - Steps 1-19.

Group 8 - Steps 20-32

Group 9 - Steps 33-45.

Let's get to building!

Building Instructions (Bag 1, Book 1):

Group 1 - Elsa

Sub-build 1. Locate 1 dark blue dress, 1 dark blue and white torso printed with light blue ice shards, 1 tan head printed with light blue eyes and red lips, and 1 blonde hair. Assemble your minifigure then put her aside while we make Anna!

Group 2 - Anna

Sub-build 2. Locate 1 pair of legs printed with blue shoes and light blue pants, 1 light blue torso printed with a vest, 1 tan head printed with light blue eyes and pink lips, and 1 light brown hair with a light blue hat. Assemble your minifigure then put her aside while we make the sleds!

Group 3 - Sleds

1. Let's make 2 identical sleds! Horizontally place a light blue 2x4 plate in front of you.
2. Place a white 2x2 plate on the 2 rightmost columns.
3. Vertically place a nougat 1x2 sloped curved brick on the rightmost column so it slopes to the right.
4. Vertically place a tan 1x2 panel with a long wall and a middle wall to the left of the 1x2 sloped curved brick so the long wall faces the right.
5. Horizontally place a white 1x2 plate with 2 clips on the long side on the front left corner so the clips face the front. Then repeat symmetrically to the back.
6. Place a nougat 2x2 tile with 2 studs on the 2 leftmost columns so the studs are on the left.
7. Horizontally attach a white hockey stick to the front-facing clips so the angled part is on the right and faces up. It should be centered horizontally on the sled! Then repeat symmetrically to the back. Now you should have 2 sleds! Put them away while we make the first floor!

Group 4 - First Floor

1. Horizontally place a light blue 8x16 plate in front of you.
2. Vertically place a tan 1x2 slope brick on the back left corner so it slopes to the back. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.

3. Vertically place a brown 1x4 brick with 3 holes on the leftmost column in front of the 1x2 slope brick. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
4. Vertically place a transparent orange 1x2 plate on the 2nd column from the left so it is centered vertically.
5. Horizontally place a tan 1x2 slope brick on the 2nd and 3rd columns from the left, in front and behind the ppp so they slope to the right.
6. Vertically place a tan 1x2 slope brick on the front left corner so it slopes to the front. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
7. Vertically place a tan 1x6x6 curved door frame on the leftmost column so the round side of the pillars faces the left and it is centered vertically.
8. Vertically place a nougat 1x4 arch brick on the 2nd column from the left so it is centered vertically.
9. Vertically place 2 tan 1x2 slope bricks, 1 in front of the other, on top of the ppp so they slope outwards to the front and back.
10. Vertically place a nougat 1x2 masonry brick on top of the 2 ppp so it is centered vertically and the brick grooves face the right.
11. Rotate your build 180 degrees so the curved door frame is on the right. Then place a teal 1x1x6 pillar on the front row of the 2nd column from the left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
12. Horizontally place a teal 1x2 log brick on the front row to the right of the left 1x1x6 pillar. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
13. Horizontally place a white 1x2 half circle tile on top of each of the ppp so the rounded sides face the front.
14. Let's make 2 identical windows! Horizontally place a teal 1x4x6 door frame in front of you so the indented ridge faces the front. Then attach a silver grated window to the front.
- 15-16. Now you should have 2 identical windows! Horizontally place 1 on the left side of the 2nd row from the front so the leftmost column is free and the grated window faces the front. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
17. Place a teal 1x1x6 pillar on the front row on the 5th column from the left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
18. Place a white 1x1 round tile on the front row to the right of the left ppp. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
19. Let's make a door! Horizontally place a dark brown 1x6x6 door frame in front of you so the indented ridge faces the front.

20. Vertically attach 2 brown doors printed with gold flowers to the front.
21. Now place a gold 1x1 round flower plate on each of the front-facing studs.
22. Horizontally place your door on the 2nd row from the front, behind the 1x1 round tiles so it is centered horizontally and the doors open to the front.
23. Horizontally place a magenta 2x4 slope brick on the front two rows on the second, third, fourth and fifth columns from the left so it slopes to the front. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
24. Horizontally place 2 white 2x3 slope bricks, 1 to the right of the other, on top of the 1x6x6 door frame, in between the 2x4 slope bricks so they slope and overhang to the front.
25. Vertically place a tan 1x6x6 curved door frame on the leftmost column so it is centered vertically and the rounded sides of the pillars face the left.
26. Horizontally place a tan 1x4 brick on the front left corner. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
27. Horizontally place a tan 1x8 brick in between the ppp so it is centered horizontally.

#### Group 5 - First Floor

28. Let's make a part! Horizontally place a nougat 2x6 plate with inverted sloped sides in front of you.
29. Then horizontally place a magenta 2x6 plate on top so it is centered.
30. Place a mint blue cupcake wrapper on the back row on the 2nd column from the left. Then place a light magenta 1x1 swirl on top.
31. Place a transparent 1x1 wine glass on the front row on the 3rd column from the right.
32. Place a transparent blue 1x1 cone brick on the back right corner. Then place a green stem with 3 tips on top so 1 tip faces the front. Now place a magenta flower on the front-facing tip. This is a table with snacks!
33. Rotate your main build 180 degrees so the 1x6x6 door faces the back. Now horizontally place your table on the 3rd and 4th rows from the front so it is centered horizontally.
34. Horizontally place a tan 1x16 brick on top of the front row of the 1x6x6 curved door frames.
35. Vertically place a magenta 1x2 tile on the back left corner. Then vertically place a magenta 1x4 tile with 2 studs in front. Then repeat both parts symmetrically to the right.
36. Horizontally place a magenta 1x6 tile on the back row to the right of the left 1x2 tile. Then repeat symmetrically to the right. Now repeat both parts on the front row.
37. Vertically place 2 magenta 1x6 tiles, 1 to the right of the other, in between the ppp. Now put your build away while we make Olaf and the second floor!

## Building Instructions (Bag 2, Book 2):

### Group 6 - Olaf and Penguin Toy

Sub-build 3.1. Place a white snowman body printed with buttons and brown arms in front of you so the hands face the front. Then place a white snowman head on top so the face faces the front.

Sub-build 3.2. Place a brown stem with 3 tips on top. Then attach an orange unicorn corn to the front-facing hole. This is a carrot!

Sub-build 3.3. Place a black 1x1 half cone brick in front of you. Then place a black 1x1 ball printed with a white penguin face with an orange nose and light blue button for an eye on top. This is a penguin toy! Now put Olaf and your toy away while we make the second floor!

### Group 7 - Second Floor

1. Horizontally place a tan 6x16 plate in front of you.
2. Place a tan 2x2 brick in the back right corner.
3. Place a white 2x2x2 slope brick to the left of the ppp so it slopes to the back.
4. Vertically place a tan 1x2 log brick to the left of the ppp.
5. Horizontally place a mint blue 1x2 slope brick on the back row to the left of the ppp so it slopes to the right. Then horizontally place a mint blue 1x2 brick to the left. Now horizontally place a mint blue 1x2 slope brick to the left so it slopes to the left. Then vertically place a tan 1x2 log brick on the back 2 rows to the left.
6. Horizontally place 2 mint blue 1x2 slope bricks, 1 to the right of the other, on top of the previous slope bricks and 1x2 brick so they slope outwards to the left and right.
7. Horizontally place a white 1x2 tri slope tile on the 2 ppp so it slopes to the back.
8. Place a white 2x2x2 slope brick on the back 2 rows to the left of the 1x2 log brick that is on the left so it slopes to the back.
9. Place a tan 2x2 brick in the back left corner.
10. Place a tan 2x2 brick in the back left corner on top of the ppp. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
11. Horizontally place a teal 1x2 plate with a bar on the short side on the back left corner so the bar faces the left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
12. Horizontally place a teal 1x4 plate on the 4 leftmost columns in front of the ppp. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
13. Horizontally place a tan 1x2x2 panel with a window on the back left corner so the wall faces the back. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.

14. Horizontally place a tan 1x2x2 brick in front of each of the ppp.
15. Horizontally place a white 1x2 half cylinder tile to the right of the left 1x2x2 brick. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
16. Place a white 2x2x2 pyramid brick on the back left corner on top of the panel and 1x2 brick. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
17. Place a transparent light blue 1x1 cone brick on top of each of the 2 ppp.
18. Vertically place a tan 1x2x5 brick on top of the 1x2 log brick that is on the 5th column from the left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
19. Horizontally place a teal 1x6x6 curved door frame in between the front row of the 2 ppp so the rounded side of the pillars faces the back.

#### Group 8 - Second Floor

20. Horizontally place a teal 1x2 log brick on the leftmost column of the 1x6x6 curved door frame and the 1x2x5 brick. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
21. Horizontally place a teal 1x2 jumper plate in front of the 1x6x6 curved door frame so it is centered horizontally.
22. Horizontally place a magenta 1x6 tile to the left and right of the ppp.
23. Vertically place a white 1x2 rounded plate in front of the leftmost and rightmost columns of each of the 2 ppp.
24. Horizontally place a mint blue 2x6 plate on top of the left 2 1x2 rounded plates. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
25. Vertically place a light aqua 1x2 slope tile on the leftmost column of the left ppp so it slopes to the right. Then vertically place a pink 1x2 tile to the right. Now repeat both parts symmetrically to the right.
26. Horizontally place a magenta 2x4 tile to the right of the left 1x2 tile from the previous step. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
27. Rotate your build 180 degrees. Now horizontally place a tan 1x2 inverted slope brick on the front row on top of the left 1x2x5 brick so it slopes to the right. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
28. Horizontally place a teal 2x3 plate on the front 2 rows on top of the left 1x2 inverted slope brick so it overhangs in the front right corner. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.
29. Horizontally place a tan 1x2 plate with a bar on the long side in between the back row of the 2 ppp so the bar faces the front.

30. Horizontally place a magenta 1x8 plate on the 2nd row from the front on top of the ppp so it is centered horizontally. Then horizontally place a magenta 1x3 plate in front of the 3 leftmost and 3 rightmost columns of the 1x8 plate.

31. Horizontally place 2 white 2x3 slope bricks, 1 to the right of the other, on top of the 3 ppp so they are centered horizontally and slope to the front.

32. Vertically place a white 1x2 tri slope tile to the left and right of the 2 ppp so they slope outwards to the left and right.

#### Group 9 - Second Floor

33. Let's make the roof! Horizontally place a white 1x6 plate in front of you.

34. Horizontally place 3 mint blue 1x2 plates with 2 side studs sticking up, 1 to the right of the other, on top so the side studs face the front.

35. Horizontally place a mint blue 1x2 brick on top so it is centered horizontally. Then horizontally place a mint blue 1x2x2 slope brick to the left and right so they slope outwards to the left and right.

36. Horizontally place a mint blue 1x2 brick on top so it is centered horizontally.

37. Horizontally place 2 mint blue 1x2x2 slope bricks, 1 to the right of the other, on top so they are centered horizontally and slope outwards to the left and right.

38. Horizontally place a white 1x2 jumper plate on top so it is centered horizontally. Now horizontally place 3 white 1x2 half circle tiles, 1 to the right of the other, upright on the front-facing side studs so the rounded sides face down. This is the roof!

39. Horizontally place your roof on top of the 2x3 slope bricks so it is centered horizontally and the upright 1x2 tiles with a rounded side face the front.

40. Place a transparent light blue 1x1 cone brick on top of the 1x2 jumper plate that is on the roof.

41. Horizontally place a transparent light blue snowflake on top of the ppp.

42-43. Attach a brown claw to the left-facing bar so the bar faces the top left. Then horizontally place a magenta flag on top of the bar of the claw so the flag faces the bottom left. Then repeat both parts symmetrically to the right.

44. Let's make a bell! Place a gold 3x3 dish in front of you. Then place a gold 2x2x2 cone brick on top. Now place a brown claw on top.

45. Vertically attach the clip of the bell to the front-facing bar underneath the roof so it is centered horizontally. Now bring back your previous build and horizontally place it in front of you so the doors open to the front. Then horizontally place your current build on top so it is centered!



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