40808 Easter Bunny and Chick Egg Hunt
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The building kit makes a fun Easter gift for adults, kids and animal-lovers, as well as an ideal set for family or friends to build together. Assemble the tree, wagon, LEGO bird toy and rabbit toy, then build and attach the brightly colored eggs to the tree branches for the animals to find. Help the chick and Easter Bunny collect the eggs using the net and store them in the wagon.

Animal playset – Surprise any animal fan aged 8 and up with this cute Easter Bunny and Chick Egg Hunt building kit that makes an eye-catching spring toy display for any room or inspires role-play fun.

Easter egg toy – The set includes 2 brick-built LEGO® figures, a mischievous Easter Bunny rabbit toy and a bright-eyed bird toy to decorate the tree and collect the eggs.

Spring toy – Encourage family building fun and brighten up any space with a tree in a meadow with flowers and mushrooms, ready to hold and display all the colorful Easter eggs.

Building kit – Accessories, including 6 buildable eggs with elements in a range of colors, a net and a buildable wagon with rolling wheels, help spark storytelling and role play.

Dimensions – A 140-piece building kit with a buildable tree model measuring over 5.5 in. (14 cm) high, 5.5 in. (15 cm) wide and 3.5 in. (10 cm) deep.

The front of the box shows a white tree that has colorful eggs hanging off of it! In the front, there is a chicken and a rabbit with a net and wagon to get the eggs!

The back of the box shows the white tree with eggs! There is an egg that was taken off the tree and is now in the wagon!

The top of the box shows a real size image of a pink 1x1 quarter circle tile.

The build is 140 pieces in total and is for ages 8+.

Bag 1 includes the pieces for the chicken, rabbit, wagon, and the grass.

Bag 2 includes the pieces for the tree and eggs.

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).

A note on LEGO Technic™ part names. These parts are somewhat different from regular LEGO bricks. Here are some definitions in case the builder or helper is not familiar with LEGO Technic™.

Axles - An axle is a connector which has an X shaped cross-section. Because their cross section is not round, anything connected to an axle using an axle-hole will rotate with that axle. Axles are longer than they are wide, and the length of an axle corresponds with how many bricks long it is. Aka a 3L axle is three bricks long. Axles come in a variety of lengths, with a 2L axle being the shortest available. They may be combined with pins, or have circular stops on them. A stop prevents the axle from sliding through an axle-hole at a specific point on the axle.

Pins - A pin is a connector which has a circular cross section and a flanged notch out of one or both ends. This flanged notch allows them to click into bricks with a pin-hole. Pins come with and without friction ridges, which are small bumps on the pin which prevent them from rotating freely. For standard pins, black is a high friction pin, and gray is a low friction pin. A standard length pin is two brick lengths long, with a stop in the middle. This prevents a brick from being pushed from one side of the pin to the other. A 1L pin is one brick long and still retains the stop, however it also includes a hollow stud at the other end. A 3L pin is three bricks long, and only contains a stop at one side, allowing two bricks to be pushed onto the other side of the pin. Pins may also have one side which is an axle.

Technic brick - a brick which contains one or more holes which accept technic pins.

Lift-arms - A lift-arm is a basic structural element, similar to a brick or a plate, but usually without any studs. It is a beam with rounded ends and with holes in it, with the same spacing as the studs on a LEGO brick. lift-arms come in a variety of lengths, including a 1x1 lift-arm which looks like a cylinder. Thick lift-arms are as wide as a LEGO brick, and thin lift-arms are half as wide as a LEGO brick, but not the same thickness as a LEGO plate! The holes in a lift-arm arm may accept axles or pins. They also come in a variety of shapes, including tees, ells and triangles.

Gears - A gear is a functional element. They are typically discs with teeth on the outside, there are also worm gears which look like a spiraling cylinder! Gears connected by axles transmit or even transform rotational motion!

Axle and Pin Connectors - These elements are typically smaller than lift-arms and are used to connect some combination of pins or axles. They might have pins or axles, as well as axle or pin-holes. They have a lot of different angle combinations! The simplest just connects two axles or pins together in a straight line.

Bushes/Bushings - LEGO Technic™ uses bushes largely as spacers, but they also can reduce friction between rotating parts, or can form useful elements such as handles. Bushes are typically light gray, generally cylindrical, and have an axle-hole running through the middle. They have a flange at the front and back to make them easier to pull on and off.

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/40808) 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 to 2, 1 set 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 - Chicken, Rabbit, Wagon, and Grass
Group 1 - Steps 1-6.
Group 2 - Steps 7-8.
Group 3 - Steps 1-8.
Group 4 - Steps 9-14.
Group 5 - Steps 1-4.

Bag 2 - Tree and Eggs
Group 6 - Steps 5-13.
Group 7 - Steps 14-15.
Group 8 - Step 16.
Group 9 - Steps 17.

Let’s get to building!

Building Instructions (Bag 1, Book 1):

Group 1 - Chicken

1. Place a light grey 2x2 brick in front of you.

2. Horizontally place a dark grey 1x2x2 brick with side studs on 3 sides on the front row so the side studs face the front, left, and right. Then repeat symmetrically to the back.

3. Vertically place a yellow 2x3 plate upright on the right-facing side studs so 1 row hangs down.

4.1. Let’s make a part! Vertically place a yellow 2x3 plate in front of you. Then horizontally place a yellow 1x2 slope tile on the back row so it slopes to the back. Now horizontally place a yellow 1x2 plate with a clip on the short side in front of the ppp so the clip faces the left. Then place a yellow 2x2 sloped curved tile on top so it slopes to the front.

4.2. Vertically place your part upright on the front-facing side studs so 1 row hangs down and the clip faces the left.

5.1. Let’s make a part! Vertically place a yellow 2x3 plate in front of you. Then place 2 white 1x1 round tiles printed with an eye, 1 to the right of the other, on the back row. Now horizontally place a yellow 1x2 jumper plate in front of the 2 ppp.

5.2. Place an orange 1x2 slope tile on top of the ppp so it slopes to the front. Then horizontally place a white 1x2 tile with a round side on the front row so the round side faces the back.

5.3. Rotate your main build 90 degrees counterclockwise so the clip faces the front. Now vertically place your part upright on the front-facing side studs so 1 row hangs down and the 1x1 round tiles are on top.

6.1. Let’s make a part! Vertically place a yellow 2x3 plate in front of you. Then horizontally place a yellow 1x2 slope tile on the back row so it slopes to the back. Now horizontally place a yellow 1x2 plate with a clip on the short side in front of the ppp so the clip faces the right. Then place a yellow 2x2 sloped curved tile on top so it slopes to the front.

6.2. Vertically place your part upright on the left-facing side studs so 1 row hangs down and the clip faces the front.

Group 2 - Chicken

7. Place a yellow 2x2 tile with a stud on top. Then place a yellow 1x1 slope tile on top so it slopes to the front.

8. Attach a nougat net to the right front-facing clip so the net is on top and points to the back. Now put your chicken away while we make the rabbit!

Group 3 - Rabbit

1. Place a light grey 2x2 brick in front of you.

2. Horizontally place a dark grey 1x2x2 brick with side studs on 3 sides on the front row so the side studs face the front, left, and right. Then repeat symmetrically to the back.

3. Place a light grey 2x2 tile with 2 studs on top so the studs are on the left.

4. Vertically place a light grey 2x3 plate upright on the right-facing side studs so 1 row hangs down.

5.1. Let's make a part! Vertically place a light grey 2x3 plate in front of you. Then horizontally place a light grey 1x2 slope tile on the back row so it slopes to the back. Now horizontally place a light grey 1x2 plate with a clip on the short side in front of the ppp so the clip faces the left. Then place a light grey 2x2 sloped curved tile on top so it slopes to the front.

5.2. Vertically place your part upright on the front-facing side studs so 1 row hangs down and the clip faces the left.

6.1. Let's make a part! Vertically place a light grey 2x3 plate in front of you. Then place 2 white 1x1 round tiles printed with eyelashes, 1 to the right of the other, on the back row. Now horizontally place a light grey 1x2 jumper plate in front of the 2 ppp.

6.2. Place a pink 1x1 quarter circle tile on top of the ppp so the curve faces the back. Then horizontally place a white 1x2 tile with a round side on the front row so the round side faces the back.

6.3. Rotate your main build 90 degrees counterclockwise so the clip faces the front. Now vertically place your part upright on the front-facing side studs so 1 row hangs down and the 1x1 round tiles are on top.

7.1. Let's make a part! Vertically place a light grey 2x3 plate in front of you. Then horizontally place a light grey 1x2 slope tile on the back row so it slopes to the back. Now horizontally place a light grey 1x2 plate with a clip on the short side in front of the ppp so the clip faces the right. Then place a light grey 2x2 sloped curved tile on top so it slopes to the front.

7.2. Vertically place your part upright on the left-facing side studs so 1 row hangs down and the clip faces the front.

8.1. Let's make 2 identical parts! Place a light grey 1x1 rounded plate with a bar in front of you so the bar faces the right. Now horizontally place a light grey 1x2 sloped curved tile on top so it slopes and overhangs to the left.

8.2. Attach a light grey 1x1 tile with a clip to the right-facing bar so the anti-stud faces the right.

8.3. Now you should have 2 identical parts! Place the 1x1 tile with a clip part of your part on the left column so the 1x2 sloped curved tile slopes to the top left, and the anti-studs face the left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right. Now put your rabbit away while we make the wagon!

Group 4 - Wagon

9. Place a nougat 4x4 plate in front of you. Then place a tan 2x2 tile on top so it is centered.

10.1. Horizontally place a tan 1x2x1 panel on the front row so it is centered horizontally and the wall faces the front. Then repeat symmetrically to the back.

10.2. Vertically place a tan 1x2x1 panel on the leftmost column so it is centered vertically and the wall faces the left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.

11. Place a tan 1x1x1 corner panel on the front left corner so the corner wall faces the back left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right. Now repeat both parts symmetrically to the back.

12. Flip your build upside down. Now vertically place a black 1x4 plate with small pins on the rightmost column so the pins face front and back. Now vertically place a tan 1x2 plate with an upright bar on the long side on the leftmost column so it is centered vertically and the bar is on the left.

13. Place a brown 2x2 inverted sloped curved tile on the 2 leftmost columns so it is centered vertically and slopes to the right . Then repeat symmetrically to the right.

14. Let's make 2 identical parts! Insert a light grey wheel into a black tire. Now you should have 2 identical parts! Attach them to the front and back facing pins. Now flip your wagon over so it is right side up then put it away while we make the grass!

Group 5 - Grass

1. Horizontally place a green 4x8 plate with a round side in front of you so the round side faces the back.

2. Place a lime green 6x6 round plate on the front 3 rows so it is centered horizontally and overhangs 3 rows to the front.

3. Horizontally place a green 4x8 plate with a round side underneath the front 3 rows so it is centered horizontally and the round side faces the front.

4.1. Place a light green 2x2 sloped curved tile on the front 2 rows so it is centered horizontally and slopes and overhangs to the front. Then repeat symmetrically to the back.

4.2. Place a light green 2x2 sloped curved tile on the leftmost column so it is centered vertically and slopes and overhangs to the left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.

Building Instructions (Bag 2, Book 1):

Group 6 - Tree

5. Place a green 1x1 round plate on the front left corner. Then place a white 1x1 cone brick on the front right corner. Then place a yellow 2x2 dish on top of the ppp. Now place a white 1x1 cone brick to the left of the front row of the rightmost 2x2 sloped curved tile. Then place a dark orange 1x1 dome brick on top. These are mushrooms!

6. Place a white 4x4x2 half cone brick with a top-facing axle hole on top so it is centered. Now place a white 2x2 round tile with a pinhole on top of the ppp.

7. Place a green plant with 3 stems on the 1x1 round plate that is on the front left corner. Then place a green 1x1 round plate with 3 leaves on each of the stems so the leaves face outwards of the plant. Then place a pink 1x1 round flower plate on top of each of the 3 ppp.

8. Place a black 4L axle on the top-facing axle hole that is in the middle of the 2x2 round tile with a pinhole. Now place a curved 2x2x3 curved brick with 2 axle holes on top of the ppp so the other axle hole faces the left. Now place a red 2L axle in the axle hole of the ppp. Then place a curved 2x2x3 curved brick with 2 axle holes on top of the ppp so the other axle hole faces up. Now insert a red 2L axle into the axle hole of the ppp so it faces up.

9.1. Let's make a part! Place a white 2x2 round brick in front of you. Then place a white 2x2 plate on top.

9.2. Vertically place a white 1x2 plate with an upright bar on the long side on the left column so the bar is on the left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.

9.3. Place a white 2x2x2 cone brick on top. Now place a brown torch holder with 5 bars on top so the 4 bars face up. Make sure the bars are in the corners!

9.4. Place your part on top of the top-facing axle so the bars of the 1x2 plates with an upright bar face left and right.

10. Horizontally place a white 1x2 rounded plate on the left-facing bar of the 1x2 plate with an upright bar so it overhangs 1 column to the left. Then place a white 1x1 round plate on the right column of the ppp. Now repeat both parts symmetrically to the right.

11.1. Let's make 4 identical parts! Place a white 1x1 round plate in front of you. Then horizontally place a white 1x2 rounded plate on top so it overhangs 1 column to the left.

11.2. Now you should have 4 identical parts! Place the 1x1 round plate part of 1 part on the front left bar of the torch holder so it overhangs to the front left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right. Now repeat both parts symmetrically to the back.

12. Place a tan 2x2 round plate on top of the 4 ppp so it is centered! Now place a white 2x2 round tile with a pinhole on top of the ppp.

13. Horizontally place a white curved branch with a stud on the left column of the leftmost 1x2 rounded plate that is on the upright bar of the 1x2 plate so overhangs to the left. Then horizontally place a white 3x4 leaf plate on top of the ppp so the stud with the longer branch overhangs to the left. Then repeat both parts symmetrically to the right.

Group 7 - Tree

14.1. Let's make 2 identical parts! Let's make the eggs! Place a light orange 2x2 inverted dome brick in front of you. Then place a light blue 2x2 round plate on top. Now place a lime green 2x2 dome brick on top.

14.2. Now you should have 2 identical parts! Place 1 underneath the leftmost column of the left 3x4 leaf plate. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.

15. Place a white curved branch with a stud on the 1x2 rounded plate that is overhanging to the front left corner so it faces the front left corner. Now place a white 3x4 leaf plate on top of the ppp so the stud with the longer branch overhangs to the front left corner. Then repeat both parts symmetrically to the right. Now repeat everything symmetrically to the back.

Group 8 - Tree

16.1. Let's make 2 identical parts! Let's make the eggs! Place a light blue 2x2 inverted dome brick in front of you. Then place a pink 2x2 round plate on top. Now place a yellow 2x2 dome brick on top.

16.2. Now you should have 2 identical parts! Place 1 part underneath the 3x4 leaf plate that is in the front left corner. Then repeat symmetrically to the back right corner.

Group 9 - Tree

17.1. Let's make 2 identical parts! Let's make the eggs! Place a tan 2x2 inverted dome brick in front of you. Then place a yellow 2x2 round plate on top. Now place a pink 2x2 dome brick on top.

17.2. Now you should have 2 identical parts! Place 1 part underneath the 3x4 leaf plate that is in the front right corner. Then repeat symmetrically to the back left corner.

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