

21267 The Illager Desert Patrol

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There's big fun for Minecraft® players in this small LEGO® set for kids aged 7 and up. With 4 LEGO Minecraft figures, fun features and authentic accessories, The Illager Desert Patrol (21267) is a mini toy with mega Minecraft action.

Set in a Minecraft desert outpost, kids role-play being a Cactus Knight, with its diamond armor and shield and sword. When 3 illager figures arrive to steal treasure, kids must defend the outpost. The set includes missiles that kids can launch with a flick of their finger, a variety of weapons and a barrel that holds the treasure.

LEGO® Minecraft® desert action – The Illager Desert Patrol is an action-packed kids' treat that brings the popular video game to life for boys and girls aged 7 and up.

4 Minecraft® figures – Includes 3 illagers, 1 hero character and a variety of authentic accessories, including a diamond sword, shield and armor.

Video-game toys for kids – Kids use cool weapons and launch missiles with a flick of their finger to stop illagers stealing their treasure.

Desert castle gaming toy – This small LEGO® set for kids is filled with Minecraft® battle action centered around protecting a barrel full of treasure.

105-piece set – The completed playset measures over 3 in. (8 cm) high, 4 in. (11 cm) wide and 2 in. (6 cm) deep.

The front of the box shows a desert outpost! There are 3 illagers equipped with crossbows and an axe! On top of the outpost, a cactus knight in diamond armor is jumping down on them to protect his treasure!

The back of the box shows the back of the desert outpost. The illagers are in the back and the cactus knight is in the outpost with his armor taken off!

The top of the box shows a real size image of the cactus knight.

The build is 105 pieces in total and is for ages 7+.

Bags 1 and 2 include the pieces for the cactus knight, 3 illagers, and the desert outpost!

Welcome to Text-Based Building Instructions from Bricks for the Blind. Here is some helpful information on how to best use screen readers and browsers: bricksfortheblind.org/help-with-screen-readers. Before you start building, here are some terms we will 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/21267>) 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, 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 - Cactus Knight, Illagers, and Desert Outpost

Group 1 - Pages 5-6.

Group 2 - Left Minifigure on Page 7.

Group 3 - Right Minifigure on Page 7 and 1 transparent orange 1x1 plate from Page 11.

Group 4 - Page 8-10 and rest of Page 11.

Group 5 - Steps 1-14.

Group 6 - Steps 15-21.

Group 7 - Steps 22-31.

Let's get to building!

Building Instructions (Bag 1, Book 1):

Group 1 - Cactus Knight

Sub-build 1.1. Locate 1 green pair of legs, 1 green torso printed with light green, green, and dark green vertical stripes, 1 teal chestplate, 1 green square head printed with black eyes and light green and green stripes, 1 teal helmet, and 1 teal sword. Assemble your minifigure and make sure the chestplate faces the front and the ridged side of the helmet faces the front, then attach the sword to his hand!

Sub-build 1.2. Let's make a part! Let's make a shield! Vertically place a light grey 2x3 tile printed with dark brown wood and light grey dots, upside down in front of you. Then vertically place a transparent 1x1 round plate with a bar underneath on the upper anti-stud so it is centered horizontally. Now attach the shield to his hand! Now put him away while we make a pillager!

Group 2 - Illager

Sub-build 2. Locate 1 dark blue pair of legs, 1 dark brown torso printed with light grey buttons and a red v-neck, a light grey square head with a nose printed with light blue eyes, and 1 silver axe. Assemble your minifigure then attach the axe to his hand! Now put him away while we make another!

Group 3 - Illager

Sub-build 3. Locate 1 black pair of legs, 1 dark red torso printed with a black belt, and red and black plaid shirt, a light grey square head with a nose printed with light blue eyes, and 1 magenta crossbow. Assemble your minifigure then attach the crossbow to his hand! Now put it away while we make another!

You will have an extra transparent orange 1x1 plate. Save it for later!

Group 4 - Illager

Sub-build 4.1. Locate 1 black pair of legs, 1 dark red torso printed with a black belt, and red and black plaid shirt, a dark grey neck piece with a side stud, a light grey square head with a nose printed with light blue eyes, and a dark grey clip. Assemble your minifigure and make sure the side stud of the neck piece faces the back. Then attach the clip to the side stud so the clip hands are on the left and right.

Sub-build 4.2. Attach the short end of a dark tan 4L bar with a stop to the clip so the bar faces up.

Sub-build 4.3. Let's make a part! Let's make a flag! Vertically place a black 2x3 tile printed with a light grey pillager face upside down in front of you. Then vertically place a gold 1x1 round plate with a clip underneath on the upper anti-stud so it is centered horizontally. Now attach the clip of your part to the top of the bar behind the illager so the tile side faces the front.

Sub-build 4.4. Attach a brown crossbow to his hand. Now put him away while we make a torch!

Sub-build 5. Place a dark brown 1x1 telescope bar in front of you. Then place a transparent yellow 1x1 plate on top. Now place a transparent orange 1x1 plate from group 3 on top. Now put it away while we make the outpost!

Group 5 - Desert Outpost

Step 1

Vertically place a tan 6x8 plate in front of you. Then vertically place a tan 2x4 tile with 2 studs on the front right corner.

Step 2

Place a red brown 2x2 tile with a stud behind the ppp. Then place a dark grey 2x2 plate on the 3rd and 4th rows from the front, to the left of the 2x4 tile with 2 studs.

Step 3

Horizontally place a tan 2x4 tile with 2 studs to the left of the ppp so it overhangs 2 columns to the left. Then horizontally place another on the back left corner so it overhangs 2 columns to the left.

Step 4

Horizontally place a tan 6x8 plate underneath the 2 leftmost columns of overhang so the back row is aligned with the back row of the build.

Step 5

Place a dark grey 2x2 plate on the front 2 rows of the 5th and 6th columns from the left. Then place a red brown 2x2 tile with a stud on the 3rd and 4th rows from the front of the 3rd and 4th columns from the left.

Step 6

Place a red brown 2x2 tile with 2 studs on top of the front 2 rows of the 5th and 6th columns from the left so the studs are in the front. Then place another 1 on the 3rd and 4th rows from the front of the 3rd and 4th columns from the right so the studs are in the front.

Step 7

Vertically place a red brown 1x2 masonry brick on the left column of the left 2x2 tile with 2 studs so the brick grooves face the left. Then vertically place another 1 on the right column of the right 2x2 tile with 2 studs so the brick grooves face the right.

Step 8.1

Let's make 2 identical parts! These parts will hold up the gate! Place a red brown 1x1 plate in front of you. Then place a brown 1x1 plate with a clip on top so the clip faces the back. Then place a red brown 1x1 plate on top.

Step 8.2

Now you should have 2 identical parts! Place 1 part to the right of the front stud of the left masonry brick so the clip faces the back, then place another 1 to the left of the right masonry brick so the clip faces the back.

Step 9.1

Let's make 2 identical parts! Let's make the gates! Horizontally place a teal 1x2 plate with a bar on the short side in front of you so the bar faces the left. Then horizontally place a teal 1x2 tile on top.

Step 9.2

Now you should have 2 identical parts! Horizontally attach the bar of 1 part to the left back-facing clip so the tile side is on the right and faces the front. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.

Step 10

Stack 2 red brown 1x1x3 bricks on top of the left 2x2 tile with a stud that is on the 3rd row from the front of the 3rd column from the left. Then repeat symmetrically to the right.

Step 11.1

Let's make 2 identical parts! Stack 2 red brown 2x2 bricks on top of each other, then place them in front of you.

Step 11.2

Horizontally place a red brown 1x2 masonry brick on the back row so the brick grooves face the back.

Step 11.3

Place 2 red brown 1x1 bricks with a side stud, 1 to the right of the other, on the front row so the side studs face the front. Then vertically place the top row of a light orange 2x3 tile upright on the front-facing side studs.

Step 12

Now you should have 2 identical parts! Place 1 part on the front 2 rows of the 5th and 6th columns from the left so the tile side faces the front. Then place another 1 to the right on the 3rd and 4th columns from the right. They should sit on the masonry bricks and the gate holders!

Step 13.1

Let's make 2 identical parts! Place a dark grey 2x2 plate in front of you. Then horizontally place a light grey 1x2 brick with a hole on the back row. Then repeat symmetrically to the front. Now place a dark grey 2x2 plate on top.

Step 14

Now you should have 2 identical parts! Place 1 on top of each of your previous parts so the holes face the front and back.

Group 6 - Desert Outpost

Step 15

Place a teal 2x2 plate in front of you. Then horizontally place a teal 2x4 plate on top so it overhangs 2 columns to the right.

Step 16

Vertically place a 2x12 plate underneath the overhang so 10 rows are exposed to the front.

Step 17

Horizontally place a teal 2x4 plate on the front 2 rows so it overhangs 2 columns to the left. Then place a teal 2x2 plate underneath the overhang.

Step 18

Place a teal 2x2 brick on the 3rd and 4th rows from the front. Then repeat symmetrically to the back.

Step 19

Vertically place a teal 2x4 plate in between the 2 ppp.

Step 20

Horizontally place a teal 1x4 brick on the front row. Then place a red brown 2x2 tile with a stud on the 3rd and 4th rows from the front. Now repeat both parts symmetrically to the back.

Step 21

Horizontally place your part on top of the 1x1x3 bricks and 2x2 plates so it is centered horizontally on them and the 1x1x3 bricks and the 2x2 tiles with a stud are in the front.

Group 7 - Desert Outpost

Step 22

Let's make a part! Let's make a cactus! Horizontally place a green 1x4 plate in front of you.

Step 23

Horizontally place a dark green 2x4 plate on top so it overhangs to the front.

Step 24

Horizontally place a green 1x4 plate underneath the overhang.

Step 25

Horizontally place a green 2x3 plate on the 3 rightmost columns. Now vertically place a green 1x2 plate with 2x2 anti side studs on the leftmost column so the anti-studs face the left.

Step 26

Horizontally place a dark green 2x4 plate on top.

Step 27

Horizontally place 2 green 1x4 plates, 1 in front of the other, on top.

Step 28

Lift your part upright so it sits on the 2x2 anti-studs and the studs face the left. Now place your part on the back left corner.

Step 29

Attach a dark grey 1x1 cone brick to the stud of a light grey bar with a stud. Now insert it into the left front-facing hole so the cone brick faces the front. Then repeat symmetrically to the right. You can flick the back of these to shoot them out!

Step 30

Let's make a part! Let's make a bin of treasure! Place a brown 2x2 bin in front of you. Then place 2 gold 1x2 ingot tiles and 3 teal 1x1 round plates inside! This is gold and diamonds!

Step 31

Rotate your main build 180 degrees. Then place your part on the front left corner.

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21268 The Baby Pig House

21267 The Illager Desert Patrol

21269 The Armadillo Mine Expedition