

43235 Ariel's Music Stage

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This kids' building toy includes a LEGO I Disney Ariel mini-doll figure and LEGO I Disney Sebastian animal figure. There's also a stage with a spinning floor, and a refreshment area build with a chair and fun story starter elements including a guitar, maracas, and a pineapple. A Starter Brick element gives kids a sturdy base so play can start fast, while intuitive instructions are provided in the form of a colorful picture-story guide made for kids who are just starting to learn how to read.

Construction playset – This buildable set has a music stage inspired by the Disney Junior TV show Ariel, a LEGO® I Disney Ariel mini-doll figure, and a LEGO I Disney Sebastian animal figure.

Spinning dance floor – The music stage has a spinning dance floor with a microphone and an underwater backdrop, while the refreshment area has a counter, a chair for Sebastian, and a pineapple.

Story starters – This fun construction toy for kids lets Disney fans use their imaginations to play out performing songs with the guitar and maracas or create brand-new stories and adventures.

Dimensions – This 60-piece building set features a buildable music stage that measures over 4.5 in. (12 cm) high, 3 in. (8 cm) wide and 2.5 in. (6 cm) deep.

The front of the box shows Ariel playing guitar and signing into the mic on her music stage! Sebastian the crab is sitting on his chair shaking maracas.

The back of the box shows all the builds and accessories the set comes with. It comes with a music stage, a sitting area that has seaweed and a pineapple, Sebastian the crab, Ariel, a guitar, and 2 maracas.

The top of the box shows Ariel with her orange hair in her purple top and light blue tail.

The build is 60 pieces in total and is for ages 4+.

Bag 1 includes Ariel, her music stage, and Sebastian the crab!

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/43235>) 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 1 bag 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.

The steps in this set correspond to page numbers!

Bag 1 - Ariel, Sebastian, Counter and Chair, and Music Stage

Group 1 - Pages 6-9.

Group 2 - Pages 10-19.

Group 3 - Pages 20-41.

Group 4 - Pages 42-77.

Let's get to building!

Building Instructions (Bag 1, Book 1):

Group 1 - Ariel and Sebastian

Step 6

Locate 1 light blue mermaid tail with pink fins, 1 brown torso printed with a pink dress, 1 brown head printed with white and black eyes, a nose, a mouth, and sparkles on her cheeks, and 1 orange hair printed with a seashell on it.

Step 7

Assemble your minifigure and put her in front of you.

Steps 8 to 9

Locate 1 red Sebastian the Crab, 1 purple guitar, and 2 transparent light blue light cover with a bar underneath. These aren't lights, they are maracas! Put the maracas in Sebastian's hands and put her by Ariel! Then put the guitar into Ariel's hands!

Group 2 - Counter and Chair

Steps 10 to 11

Locate 1 tan 4x6 plate and 2 tall light green 1x2x2 bricks. Horizontally place the plate in front of you. Then place a brick horizontally in the back left corner. Then horizontally place another to the right.

Steps 12 to 13

Locate 1 pink 1x4 lattice fence and 1 purple 2x2 round brick. Horizontally place the fence in front of the previously placed bricks. Then place the round brick in the front right corner of the 4x6 plate.

Steps 14 to 15

Locate 1 light blue 2x4 plate and 1 transparent blue 2x2 dome. Place the dome on top of the round brick. Then horizontally place the 2x4 plate on top of the 1x2 bricks so it overhangs to the front.

Steps 16 to 17

Locate 1 pink flower 1x1 plate and 1 yellow head printed with diagonal lines like a pineapple. This pink flower plate has 3 long leaves. Place the flower plate in the back left corner of the 2x4 plate so the leaves face the left. Then place the head in the front right corner so the print is facing the front. Ask a sighted person to make sure it is oriented correctly!

Steps 18 to 19

Locate 1 green 1x1 round flower plate and 1 light green seaweed. Place the seaweed on top of the pink flower plate. Then place the round flower plate on top of the head to make a pineapple! Now put your build aside while we build Ariel's music stage!

Group 3 - Ariel's Music Stage

Steps 20 to 21

Locate 1 light blue 8x8 plate with a rounded side. Place it in front of you so the rounded side is facing the front.

Steps 22 to 23

Locate 2 yellow 2x4 bricks. Horizontally place them on the back 2 rows so there is no overhang.

Steps 24 to 25

Locate 2 yellow 1x2 bricks. Horizontally place them in front of the 2x4 bricks on the 2 leftmost and 2 rightmost columns.

Steps 26 to 27

Locate 2 yellow 1x2 bricks with a rounded side. Horizontally place them in front of the 1x2 bricks so the rounded sides face the front.

Steps 28 to 29

Locate 2 purple 2x2 round tiles with a stud. Place them on top of the 1x2 rounded bricks and 1x2 bricks.

Steps 30 to 31

Locate 1 light yellow 2x2 brick and 1 yellow 1x2 grill tile. Place the 2x2 brick in the center in between the rounded bricks and in front of the 2x4 bricks. Then horizontally place the 1x2 tile in front of the 2x2 brick.

Steps 32 to 33

Locate 1 black 2x2 tile with a pin. Place it in front of the grill tile.

Steps 34 to 35

Locate 1 yellow 2x8 window frame. Horizontally place it on the back 2 rows so the window side is facing the back.

Steps 36 to 37

Locate 1 yellow 1x4 brick. Horizontally place it on the back row on top of the window frame so it is centered.

Steps 38 to 41

Locate 1 light yellow 1x6 window frame and 1 light blue window with a rounded side printed with fish swimming along a stream of music notes with seaweed and plants in the background. Insert the window into the frame. Then horizontally place it in the gap of the previously placed window frame so the print faces the front. Ask a sighted person to make sure!

Group 4 - Ariel's Music Stage

Steps 42 to 43

Locate 2 yellow 2x2 bricks. Place them in the back left and back right corners of the build.

Steps 44 to 45

Locate 1 yellow 1x6 tile. Horizontally place it on top of the previously placed 1x6 window frame so it is centered.

Steps 46 to 47

Let's make a part! Locate 1 yellow 1x8 plate and 2 light yellow 1x3x2 sloped curved bricks. Horizontally place the plate in front of you. Then horizontally place the bricks symmetrically so they slope outwards and are centered. There should be a free stud on each side of the 1x8 plate!

Steps 48 to 49

Locate 1 yellow 1x2 plate with 2x2 side studs. Horizontally place it on top of the bricks so the side studs face the front.

Steps 50 to 51

Locate 1 purple 2x2 round tile with a stud. Place it upright on the front-facing side studs.

Steps 52 to 53

Locate 1 white 1x1 star. Place it upright on the round tile.

Steps 54 to 55

Locate 1 gold 1x2 jumper plate. Horizontally place it on top so it is centered.

Steps 56 to 57

Locate 1 gold 1x1 cone brick. Place it on top of the previously placed tile.

Steps 58 to 59

Now horizontally place your build in the center behind the previously placed 1x6 plate.

Steps 60 to 61

Locate 2 yellow 2x2 corner bricks with sloped curved sides. Place them to the left and right of the 1x6 tile so they slope and overhang to the front, left, and right.

Steps 62 to 63

Locate 2 gold jumper plates. Vertically place them on top of the previously placed corner bricks so there is no overhang.

Steps 64 to 65

Locate 2 pink 1x1 flower plates. Place them on top of the studs of the 1x2 tiles so the leaves face outwards.

Steps 66 to 67

Locate 1 light green seaweed. Horizontally place it on the 2x2 round tile with a stud that is on the left.

Steps 68 to 69

Locate 1 light yellow 4x4 round brick. Place it in the front so it is in front of the 2x2 brick and centered on top of the pin.

Steps 70 to 71

Locate 1 yellow 2x2 tile with a stud. Place it in the center of the 4x4 round brick.

Steps 72 to 73

Locate 2 rounded 1x1 tiles printed with spider webs. Place 1 in the middle stud to the left of the 4x4 round brick. Then place 1 in the back stud to the right of the 4x4 round brick.

Steps 74 to 77

Locate 1 gold 1x1 cone brick, 1 black 1x1 microphone stand, and 1 purple microphone. Place the stand on top of the cone brick. Then place the microphone into the top clip. Now place it on the front left stud of the 4x4 round brick so the mic faces the back.

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