



HO Structure Kit

MISSION-STYLE BUNGALOW

933-3785

Thanks for purchasing this Cornerstone kit. All molded parts are styrene, so use compatible glue and paint to complete your model. If you wish to paint your structure you may find it easier to do so before beginning assembly.

During the late 1800s, eastern settlers arriving in southern California often built new houses based on the Colonial styles they'd left behind, but by the 1890s such homes were rapidly falling out of favor. Drawing inspiration from the state's historic Spanish missions, local architects created a new style suited to both the region's climate and culture, known as Mission Revival. Used for a variety of commercial and government buildings, it was ideally suited to the growing demand for smaller, simpler homes among the new middle class. Given the size of suburban lots, and buyer's desire for garden space, architects turned to a small home style that originated in India and came to be known in America as the "bungalow." While there were many variations, most had an open floor plan, low-pitched roof and a front porch. Spreading eastward from California, Mission Revival bungalows incorporated such regional touches as arched entryways, half-round windows and clay tile roofs, while the entire exterior was covered with stucco to capture the look of adobe. Popular in southwestern states, the design was adaptable to other areas by substituting warmer wood floors for clay tile, and providing a basement or crawlspace for a furnace, resulting in truly unique homes that can still be found in many older neighborhoods. With appropriate vehicles, figures, landscaping and other accessories, your new model is typical of Mission Style homes built in many areas from about 1915 to 1940 and still lived in today.

Check out your local hobby shop, see the current Walthers HO Scale Model Railroad Reference Book, or visit us online at waltherscornerstone.com for additional ideas.

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DOORS & WINDOWS

Acetate is provided for window glass. Cut pieces slightly larger than the Windows and glue in place with white glue. PLEASE NOTE: When installing windows, make sure the inverted V cutout is at the bottom. Glue Windows and Doors to the inside of each Wall as shown:

Small Front Wall (2): Large Window (2x 24), Front Door (21).

Left Side Wall (9): Large Arched Windows (2x 27), Basement/Crawlspace Windows (2x 29).

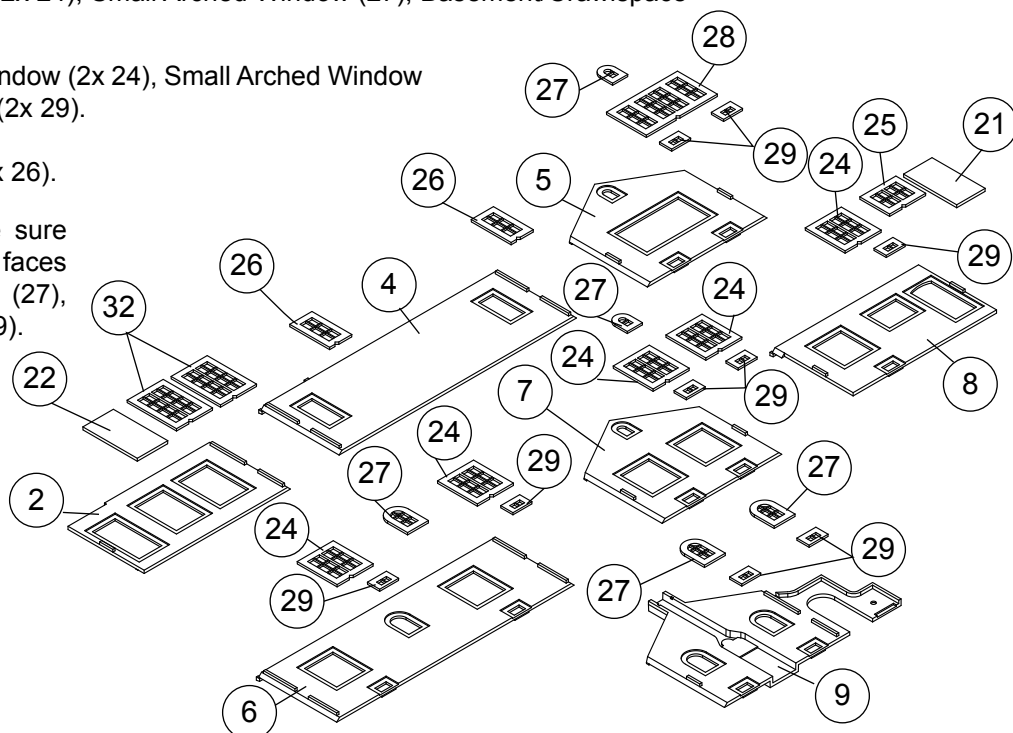
Small Rear Wall (8): Large Window (24), Small Double Window (25), Back Door (22), Basement/Crawlspace Window (29).

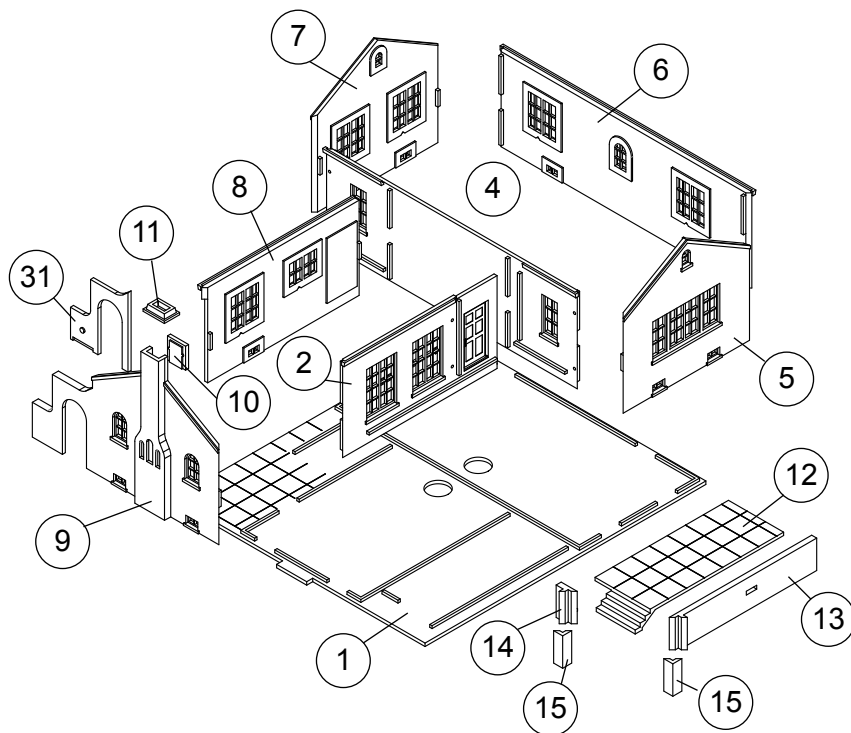
Peaked Rear Wall (7): Large Window (2x 24), Small Arched Window (27), Basement/Crawlspace Windows (2x 29).

Large Right Exterior Wall (6): Large Window (2x 24), Small Arched Window (27), Basement/Crawlspace Windows (2x 29).

Large Left Wall (4): Small Windows (2x 26).

Peaked Front Wall (5): NOTE: Make sure raised trim on Triple Window (28) faces outward, Small Arched Window (27), Basement/Crawlspace Windows (2x 29).





1) Glue Interior Archway (31) and Fireplace Chimney (10) to Left Side Wall. Glue Fireplace Chimney Cap (11) to Chimney.

2) Using raised ridges on Base (1) as a guide, glue completed wall assemblies to base and at each inside corner.

3) With the column half at left facing outward as shown, glue Front Porch Wall (13) to Front Porch (12). Glue Right (15) Column Half to Left Column Half (14); glue remaining Right Column Half to Front Porch Wall.

4) Using raised ridges on Base and Front Wall, glue Front Porch assembly as shown. Glue Column assembly to Base, Wall and Porch. Glue Planters (2x 32) to openings in Columns as shown. The two remaining Planters can be installed at any convenient location on either porch; trim off the mounting pin and glue in place.

5) With the column half at right facing outward as shown, glue Back Porch Wall (17) to Back Porch (16). Glue completed assembly to Small Rear Wall.

6) Note the raised ribs on the Small Front Wall and Large Left Wall, and glue Front Entry Archway (3) to Wall and Porch.

7) Note the mounting points on Small Front Wall, next to Archway, and glue Front Downspout and Scupper (34) in place. Glue Corner Downspouts (5x 33) to mounting points on Walls as shown.

8) Glue Chimney Cap (20) to Chimney (19), glue completed Chimney to inset area on Roof (18)

9) PLEASE NOTE: Roof can be set in place to add interior lighting or details if desired, both sold separately. OPTIONAL: Light Mounting Pads (2x 35)

