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Build the Advent Express.

One box a day. One wagon, one character. On day 12 the engine rolls in and the whole crew becomes a train.

104 pieces

12 days

0 glue or tools



BEFORE YOU START

A few things to know.

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One box a day

Every numbered box holds one wagon and one character. Open them in order: each wagon hitches to the one before it.

click!

Listen for the click

Wheels, hinges and latches snap in with a firm, straight push. If a part won't go, line it up again. Never twist or force it.

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Nothing else to buy

No glue, no tools, no batteries. Every part goes together by hand and comes apart again for next December.

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Small parts

Not for children under 3. Keep wheels, links and characters away from little ones.

Build on a table. A grown-up can help with the first wheel.

What's in the boxes

104 pieces

Boxes 1–12

Each day's box · 8 pieces



Wagon
×1



Lid
×1



Wheel
×4



Link
×1



Character
×1

Twelve boxes × 8 pieces = 96. The character is a surprise: no two boxes hold the same one.

Day 12 bonus

The engine · 8 pieces



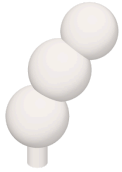
Engine
×1



Big wheel
×4



Small wheel
×2



Smoke
×1

1 EVERY DAY

Wheel ×4

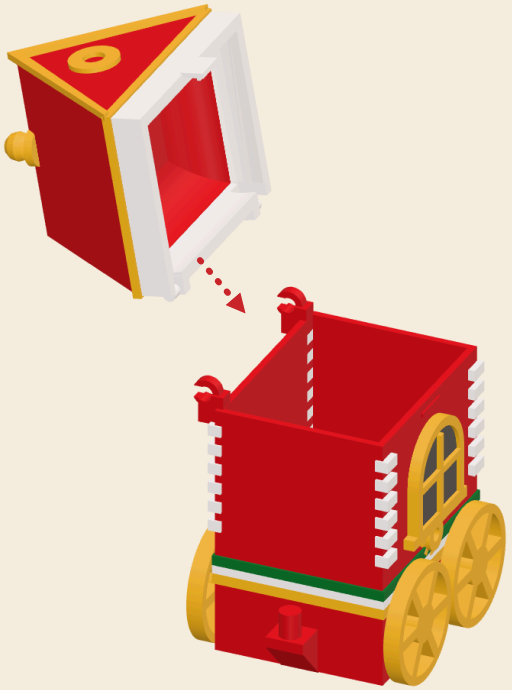


Push a wheel into each of the four holes until it snaps.

The wheels spin freely once they've clicked in.

2 EVERY DAY

Lid ×1



Hold the lid open and press its two pins into the clips at the back.

3 EVERY DAY

Character ×1



Your character rides inside. Drop it in through the open lid.

4 EVERY DAY

Lid ×1



Swing the lid shut until the latch clicks.

To play, open the lid and lift the character out. It always goes back the same way.

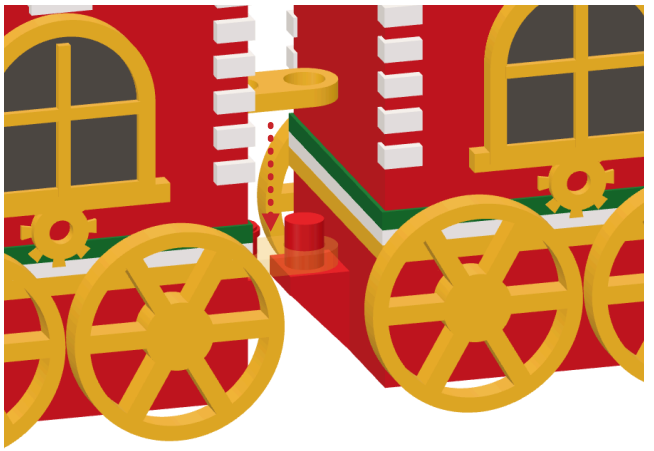
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DAYS 2–12

Link ×1



CLOSE UP



Hitch today's wagon to yesterday's with the link.

Snap one end over the peg at the back of yesterday's wagon, then drop the other end over the peg on the front of today's. Day 1's link waits in its box for the engine.

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DAY 12

Wheels ×6



Press the six wheels onto the engine and drop the smoke into the chimney.

The four big wheels go in the middle and at the back, the two small ones at the front.

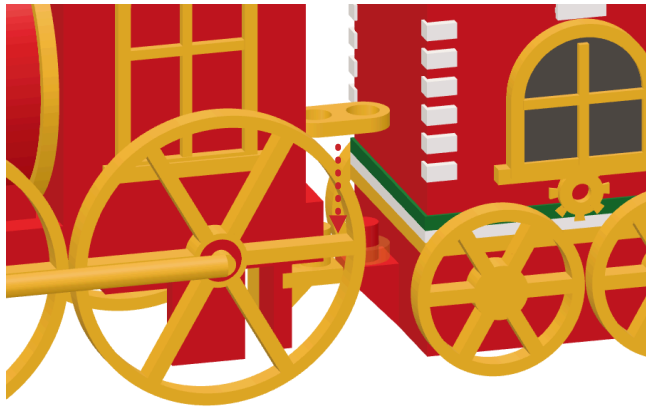
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DAY 12

Day 1's link ×1



CLOSE UP



Hook wagon 1 to the back of the engine.

Day 1's link snaps onto the engine's back peg and drops over the front peg of wagon 1. Now the whole crew is one train.

ALL ABOARD

You built the Advent Express!

39.3 inches of train, engine to last wagon. Give it a push and it rolls. Pop the lids and the whole crew stands up again, ready for the next game or next December.



Advent Express · 12 wagons, 12 characters, 1 engine · 104 pieces · PLA plastic · no glue, no batteries

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