

Dollar General store kit in HO scale



Parking lot base and cars not included

This kit includes all building parts and signs milled in white styrene plastic clear window glazing, injection molded metal siding and self-adhesive decals. Most parts fit together but some need a few cuts along pre-molded cut lines. The model needs painting.

Some model building and painting skills are required.

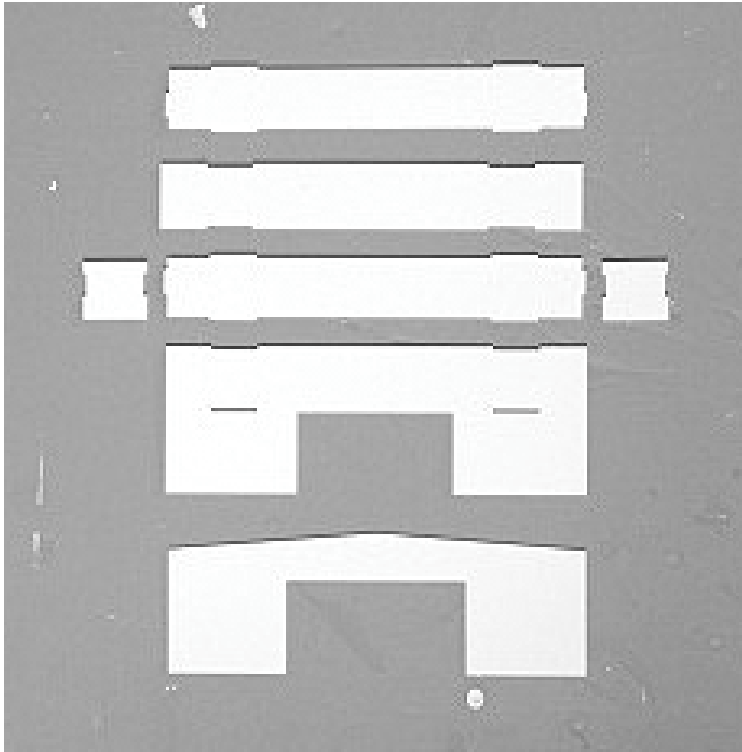
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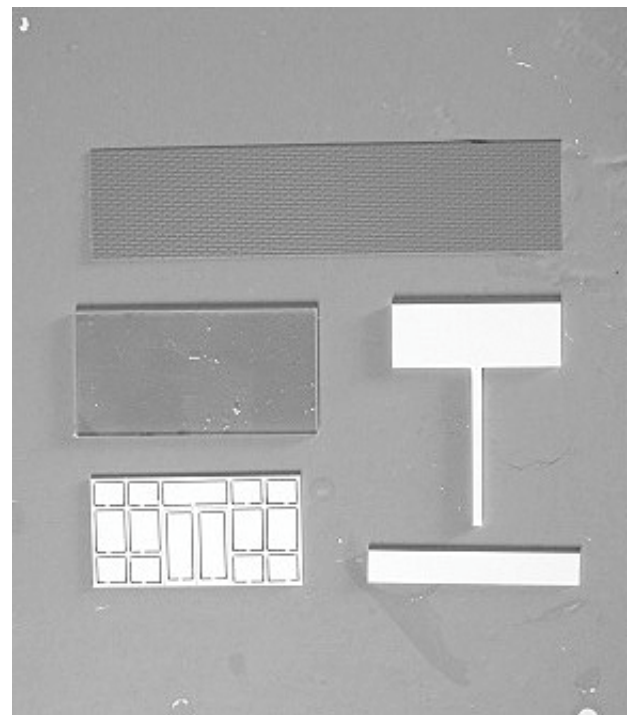
Assembly instructions for Dollar General store kit

Thank you for buying this Dollar General store kit. Please take some time to read these instructions before you begin assembling.

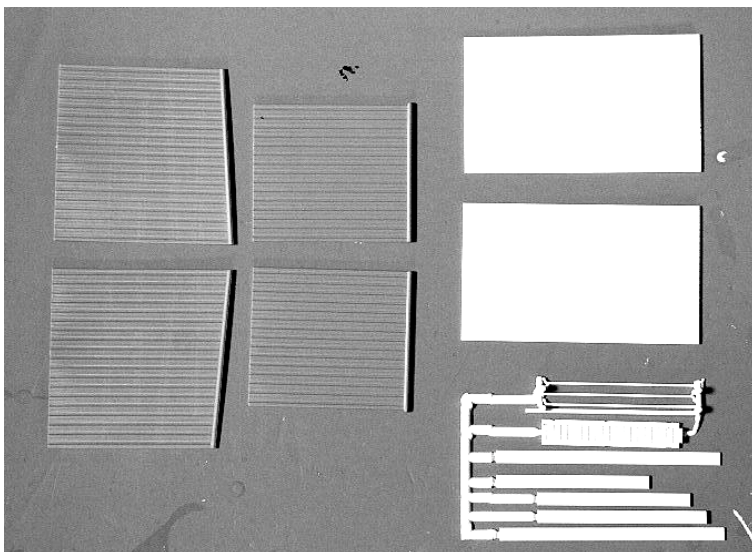
Some parts are milled in styrene plastic and some are injection molded. They are very easy to glue together using Plastruct Plastic Weld or similar glue products. Take your time to identify all parts and lay them out as on the pictures to get an overview of how the kit goes together. Remove the "fillings" from the window openings and window frames and clean all parts for any burrs before you start gluing them together.



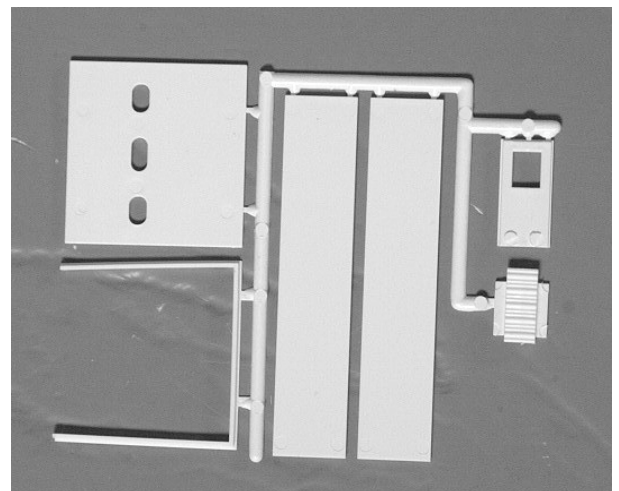
Front walls



Window frame, glazing, signs and bricks

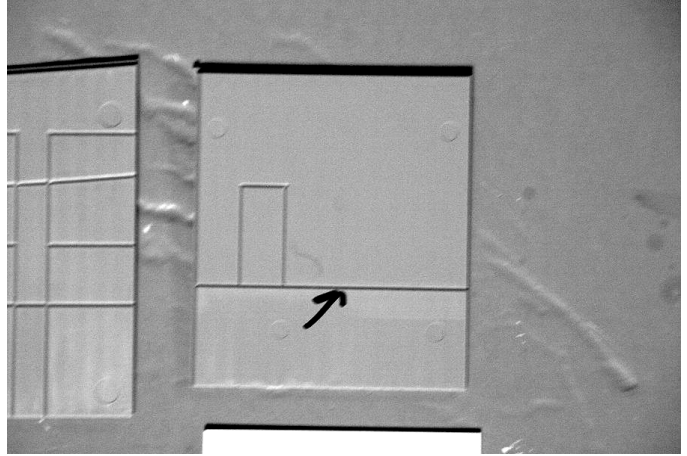
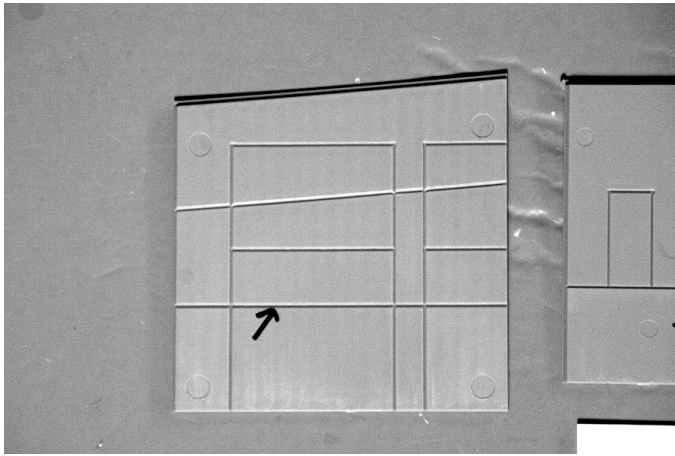


Molded walls, roofs and support pieces (2 sets)

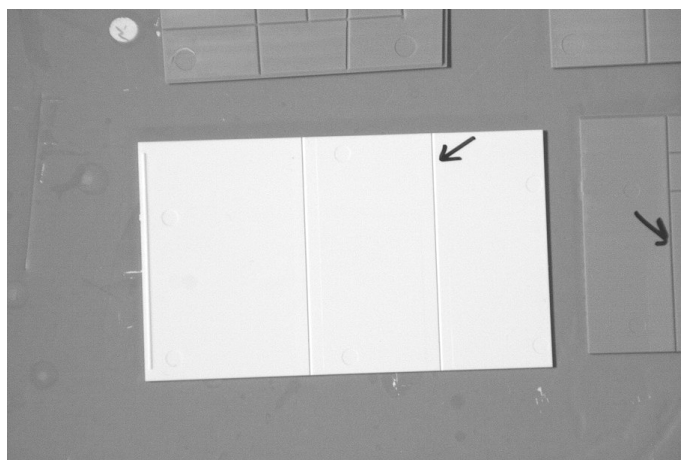
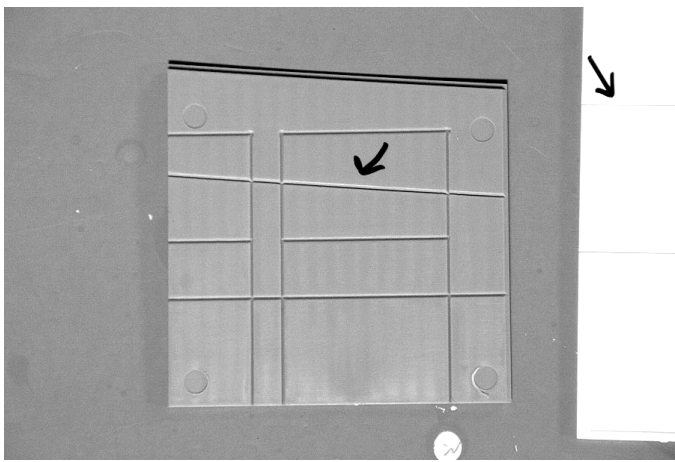


Roll-up gate and door

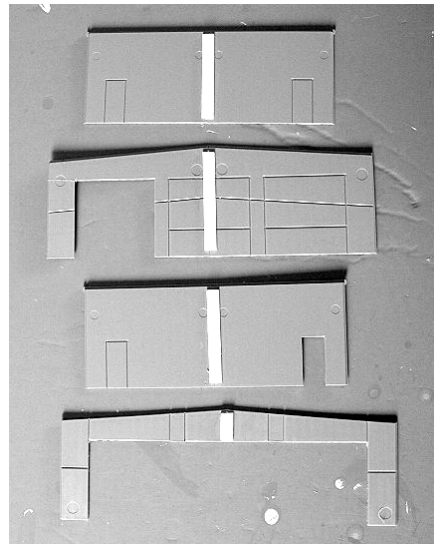
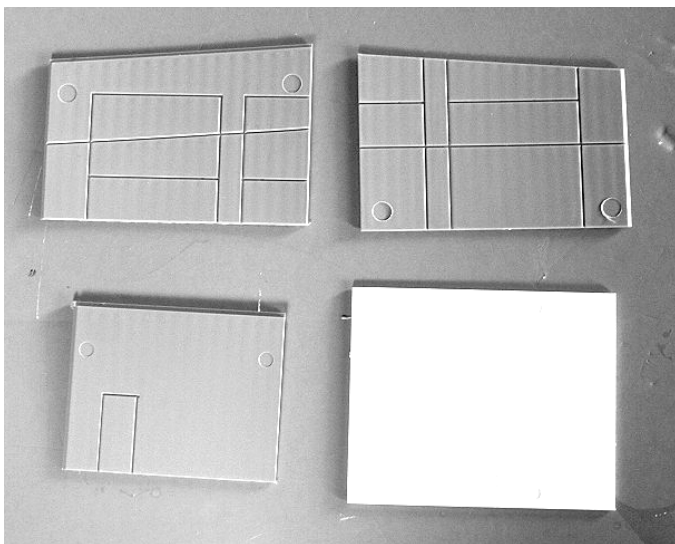
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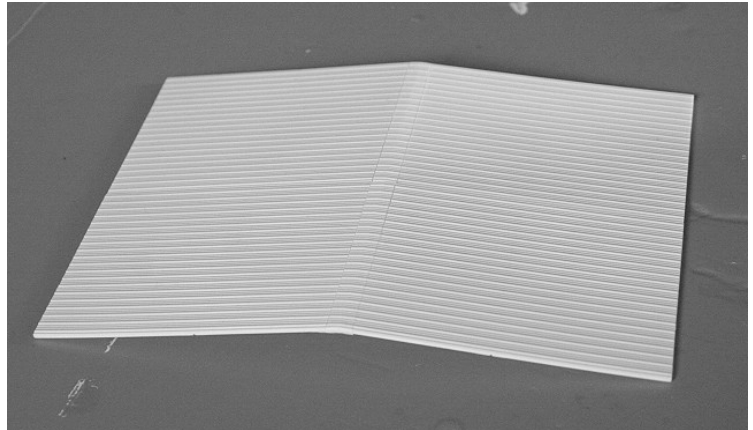
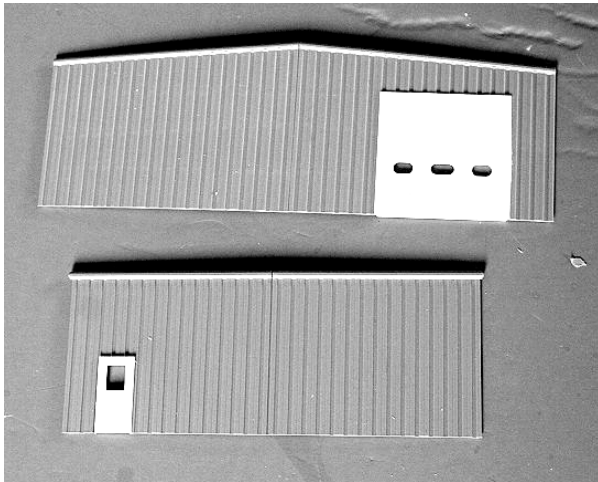
Cut the 2 rear wall pieces along the lower cut line. **IMPORTANT:** Keep the 2 pieces cut off from the rear wall, you need these for the front. Cut the 4 side wall pieces along the cut line.



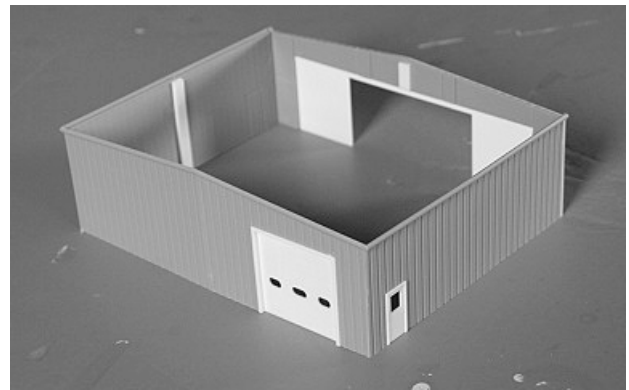
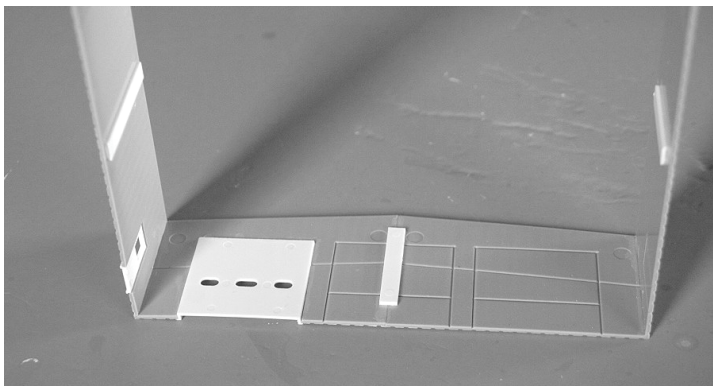
Cut the 2 front wall pieces along the upper cut line. Cut the 4 roof pieces along the cut line shown.



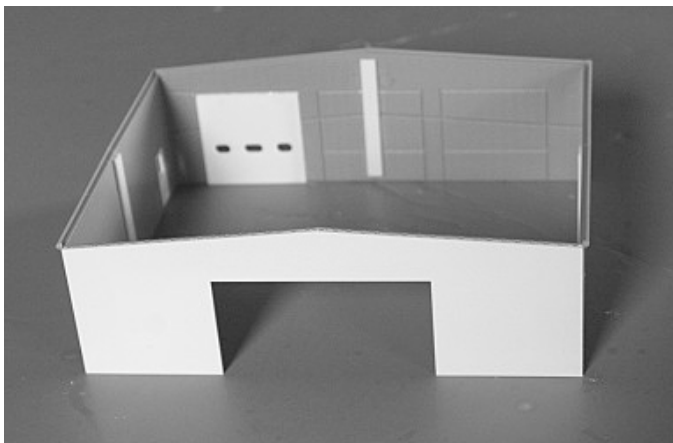
Cut out the opening for the roll-up gate in the rear wall and the opening for the door in the side wall. Cut out the opening in the front wall as shown. Glue the wall pieces together using the support strips



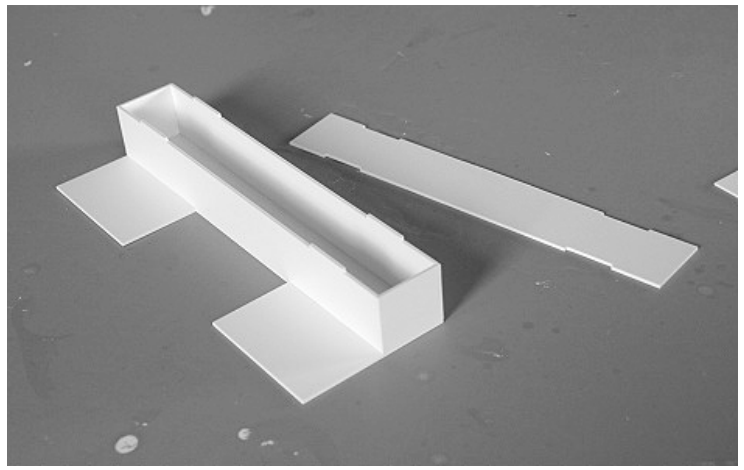
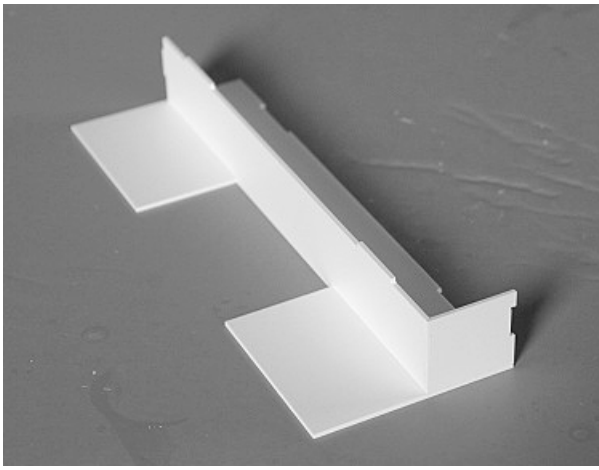
Glue in the doors in the rear and side walls. Glue the roof pieces together using the ridge pieces and support strips.



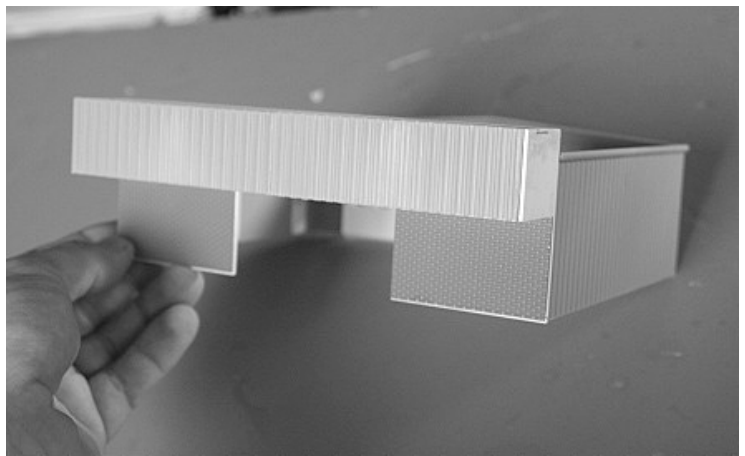
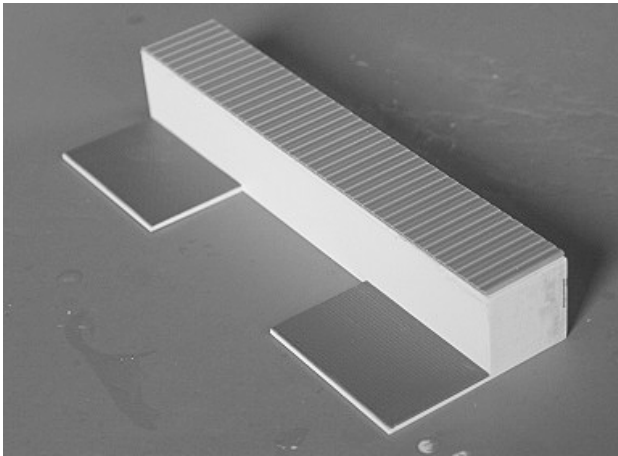
Glue the walls together.



Glue the white front wall piece onto the front wall as shown.



Assemble the front wall section, aligning the tabs and slots.



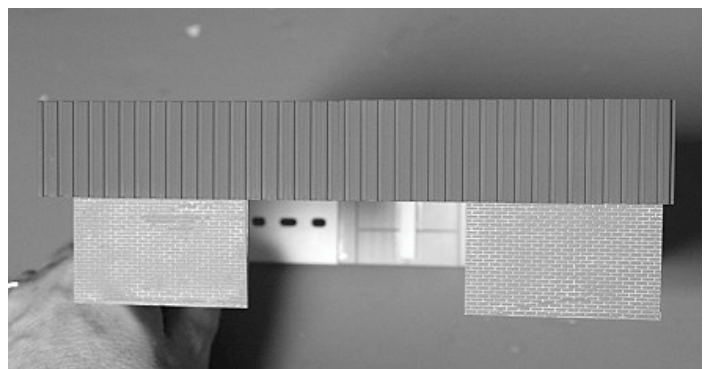
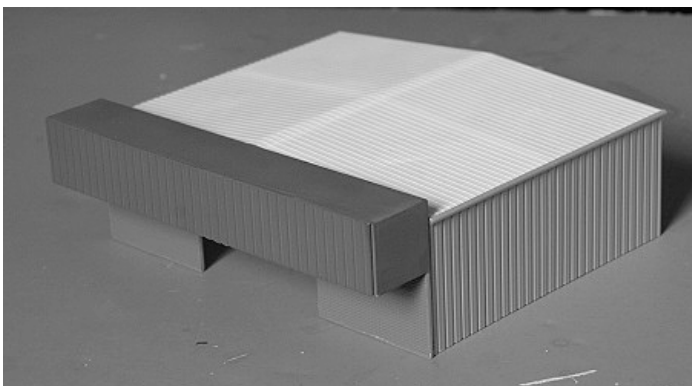
Glue the 2 leftover pieces from the rear walls onto the top front as shown. Cut the red brick pieces to fit the walls and glue them on. Only use glue around the edges, if you put glue on the whole surface the walls may warp when the glue dries.

Painting and final assembly

Paint the corrugated walls (sides and rear) light green, light brown or whichever color the local store in your model area may have. Paint the front of the building medium brown and leave the bricks red. The window frames can be aluminum or black.

Paint the street sign and the wall sign pieces satin or flat black.

To make the mortar lines on the brick walls stand out, you can either give them a wash of light gray or use Roberts Brick Mortar Formula, which is a very easy-to-use product with nice results.



Glue on the roof. Glue the window glazing to the inside of the walls. The glazing in this kit is clear in case you want to make interior. If you want the windows tinted as on this demonstration model, apply some car window film. This you can get in any auto parts store.

Mount the door and window frame in the opening. It should be a press fit so you do not need to glue it in. If you find it too loose, glue it in with a tiny amount of Crystal Clear or similar liquid glass product.

To protect the decals, I recommend that you spray them with a thin coat of Testors Dull Cote before handling them.

Cut out the sign decals with a sharp hobby knife.

Peel off the backing paper and attach to the painted sign pieces. Touch up the white paper edges with a black Sharpie marker if needed.



Paints used on this model:

Floquil 110010 Engine Black

Testors 1701 Military brown

Enjoy the Dollar General store on your layout.

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