1/2" SCALE



Because our family vacations this year took us first to Williamsburg, VA and then to Pasadena, CA, I thought I would share a little house from each of those trips. — Debbie Young

"The Quarter" - a dollhouse from Williamsburg

TOOLS REQUIRED

- Fine sandpaper
- Tacky glue
 Small aluing iii
- Small gluing jig (plastic box works well)
- Scissors
- Tweezers

PLUS YOU WILL NEED

- White, green and black paint
- Index card

WOOD CUTTING LIST . 1/16" x 5/32"

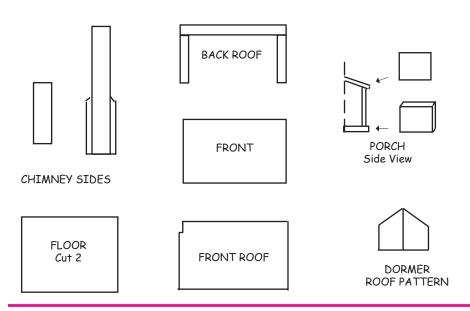
- (2 pc. 5/8" long for chimney sides) • 5/32" x 5/32"
- (1-5/16" long for chimney) • 1/32" x 3/4" (2 pc. 1" long - for
- floors)
- 1/32" x 3/4" (2 pc. 1-1/16" long with a peak at the top for sides)
- 1/32" x 3/4" (1 pc. 1-1/16" long ripped to height for front)
- 1/32" x 3/4" (1 pc. 1-1/8" long ripped to 11/16" wide - for front roof)
- 1/32" x 3/32" (1 pc. 1-1/16" long for back roof)
- 1/32" x 3/32" (2 pc. 1/4" long for short back roofs)
- 1/32" x 1/32" (2 pc. 3/8" long for porch posts)
- 1/32" × 1/4" (11/32" long for porch roof)
- 1/16" × 1/4" (11/32" long for porch floor)
- 1/4" x 3/8" (3/8" long for the dormer - sand a peak at the top and taper to fit roof at the bottom)



- 1. Cut pieces according to wood cutting list using illustrations to clarify.
- 2. Identify pieces and lightly sand.

- Bevel the top edges of the chimney sides by pulling them over sandpaper and glue the two chimney sides to the tall fireplace chimney as indicated in the illustration.
- With glue on the short edges of one of the floor pieces, glue the sides to the floor, flush at the bottom.
- 5. Glue the front on, covering the floor and side edges.

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"The California Bungalow" a dollhouse from Pasadena

TOOLS REQUIRED

- Fine sandpaper
- Tacky glue
- Small gluing jig (plastic box works well)
- Scissors Tweezers

PLUS YOU WILL NEED

- · Ceramcoat -
- Lt. Timberline Green paint
- Ceramcoat Timberline Green paint
- Brown Paint for roof

WOOD CUTTING LIST

- 1/32" x 1/2" (2 pc. 7/8" long for floors)
- 1/32" x 1/2" (2 pc. 15/16" long with a peak at the top for sides)
- 1/32" x 3/4" (1 pc. 1" long ripped to height for front)
- 1/32" × 3/8" (2 pc. 1-1/8" long one for front roof, one for porch roof) 1/32" × 3/32" (2 pc. 1/2" long - for
- short back roofs)
- 1/16" × 1/16" (2 pc. 3/8" long for porch posts)
- 1/8" x 1/4" (7/8" long for porch floor)
- 1/16" x 1/4" (2 pc. 1/4" long for porch sides, 2 pc. 3/8" long for porch fronts)
- 1/16" x 1/8" (1 pc. 1/4" long for front step)
- 1/4" x 3/8" (5/32" long for the dormer - sand a peak at the top and taper to fit roof at the bottom)
- 1/32" x 5/16" (1 pc. 7/16" long for wide dormer roof - angle on back to fit dormer)
- 1/32" × 9/32" (1 pc. 7/16" long for narrow dormer roof - angle on back to fit dormer)



- 1. Cut wood pieces according to cutting list, using illustrations where needed for clarification.
- 2. Identify pieces and lightly sand.
- 3. With glue on the short edges of one of the floor pieces, glue the sides to the floor, flush at the bottom.
- 4. Glue the front on, covering the floor and side edges.
- 5. Glue the second floor in about 1/8" from the top of the front edge as indicated by the dotted line in the illustration. Sand.
- 6. Glue the two short back roof pieces onto the back roof edges, flush with the peak. Glue the front roof on, overlapping the back roofs and adjust back roofs as necessary so they are flush with the edges of the front roof. There will be a space at the top of the front.
- 7. Glue the two roofs onto the dormer, starting with the smaller roof, flush with the peak and sticking out in the front. Glue the larger roof on, overlapping the smaller roof.

- 8. Onto the short ends of the thick porch glue the short porch sides flush with the edges. Glue the longer porch fronts on flush with the outside edges with a space in the middle. Glue the small step in that space.
- 9. Sand a slight bevel on the top of the two square posts and glue the posts on the porch fronts, just in from the step opening, with the angle at the top of the post ready for the porch roof.
- 10. Glue the porch roof into the space at the top of the house front.
- 11. Paint the house, eaves, dormer, under side of the porch roof and the exterior of the porch sides with Ceramcoat - Lt. Timberline Green. Paint the porch floor, porch interior, posts and roof edges a darker accent color (Timberline Green).
- 12. Cut out door and windows. Hold the porch up to the house to position door and windows. Glue the door and windows on, then glue porch into place, gluing porch roof onto posts as well.
- 13. Paint roofs on house and dormer brown
- 14. Glue the small window onto the dormer and glue the dormer to the front roof.

