DISCLAIMER

We have made every effort to make sure that all parts fit together properly, but sometimes tolerances are tight and mistakes do happen. Test fit all pieces before applying glue. Some trimming may be required.

Before photocopying or printing these pages on cardstock, you may wish to assemble a test copy on plain paper to better understand the construction. A minimum of 65# cover stock is recommended for constructing the final models. Regular 20 lb. bond paper can be used, but these items were designed for a heavier stock for extra durability and coloring.

Tools Required:

Scalpel or sharp-bladed hobby knife
Metal ruler or straight-edge
Cutting surface - a self-healing cutting mat is recommended, but a sheet of corrugated cardboard or even heavy poster board will work as well.
Glue - white glue, glue stick or wax stick. Double sided cellophane tape also works well. Rubber cement can be used, but will sometimes stain the cardstock or make it more difficult to color.

A Note About Using White Glue

White glue contains a good deal of water. Too much glue will warp the card stock so that it's almost unusable. Warping may also cause the parts to fit together incorrectly. If you use white glue, put a very thin coat on the glue tabs - the thinner the better. You can use a cotton swab or your finger to spread the glue thin. Remember to keep a damp paper towel handy to remove any excess glue.

PLEASE NOTE:

Each item has been marked with a series of Grey Lines that are an indicator that these lines are Fold or Score lines. All Tabs which are to be glued to hold the structures together are marked with a capital letter (G). Unless otherwise noted, all Glue Tabs fold inwards to the structure.

Cut out and score the building section as indicated. Fold the left and right sides down from the top panel. Fold the front panels to match the angles on the side walls, gluing all tabs to the inside. Work one side first. When dry, glue the back wall to the tab on the wall you just finished. Repeat the process for the opposite side. When both sides are dry, fold up the bottom and glue the tabs to the inside walls.

To construct the fire stand-ups, fold into a triangle shape and glue the tab to the inside.

The finished damaged building section.

A sample shot of our full line of N scale futuristic buildings. This set is in the fully scalable PDF format and in full color. These buildings will also print in black and white with little loss of detail. For added effects when printing in black and white, try using colored cardstock such as a light grey, cream or tan.