LEGO BRICK SKETCHES™

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Disney STAR WARS

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Some time ago I was a part of an artists' group on a popular social media platform. Many of the artists were doing marker sketches on small cardstock as a way to engage with their fans. I thought this was a fantastic idea, but I wanted to put my own spin on it using LEGO® bricks. This led to the creation of the very first Brick Sketch. I posted it to my social media channels with some apprehension, not entirely sure how my fans would react. Thankfully, they loved the concept and wanted to see more!

After some experimenting, I nailed down the basics: Brick Sketches would be plate-based artwork that featured a front-facing character on a 12x16 canvas. Given that Brick Sketches are somewhat three-dimensional, it was also important that they have correct relief wherever possible; for example, the character's chin shouldn't extend further out than the nose. The challenge was to use LEGO pieces creatively to build detailed character artwork on a relatively small canvas.

Brick Sketches became far more popular than I ever expected. Fans loved suggesting new characters and often asked me to create instructions so that they could build their favourites. It was difficult to set aside the concept when I started working at the LEGO Group, but through an amazing series of events, Brick Sketches are now available from the LEGO Group itself. It's a dream come true.

*LEGO® designer Chris McVeigh*

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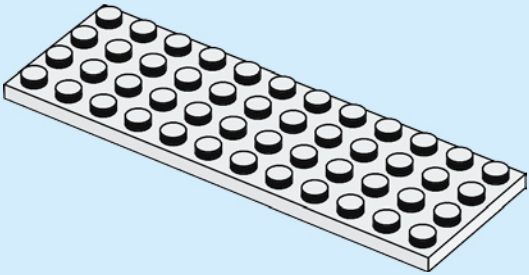

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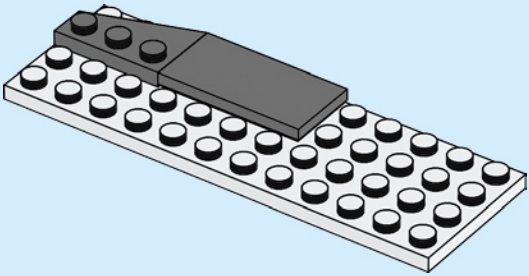

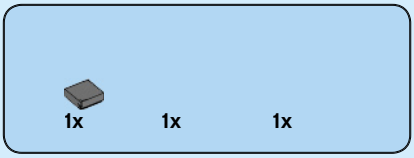


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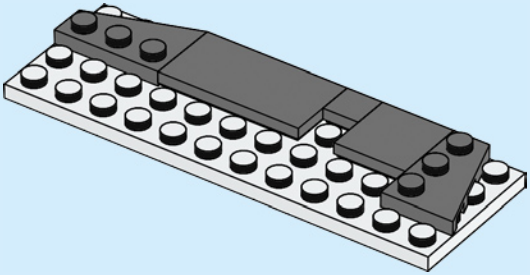

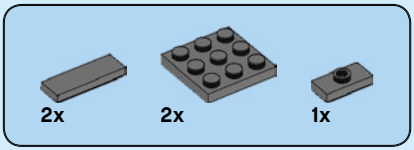


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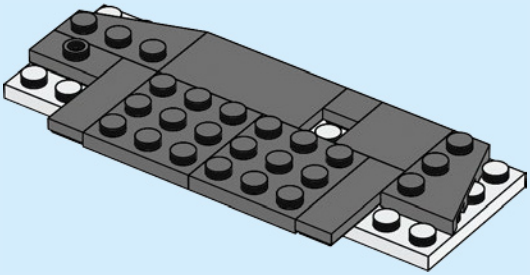

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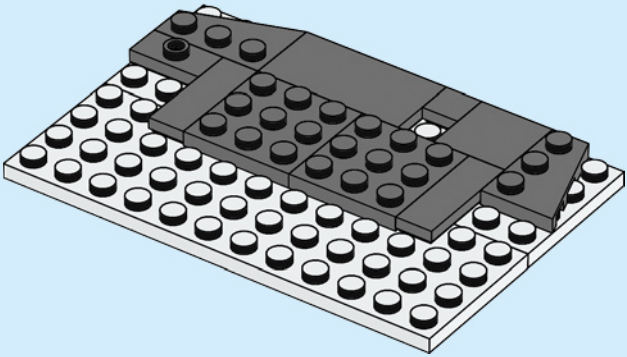

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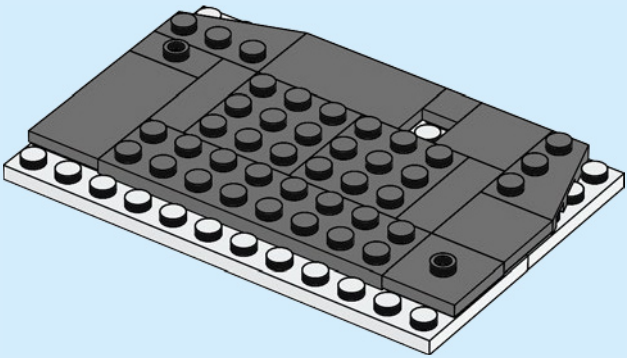

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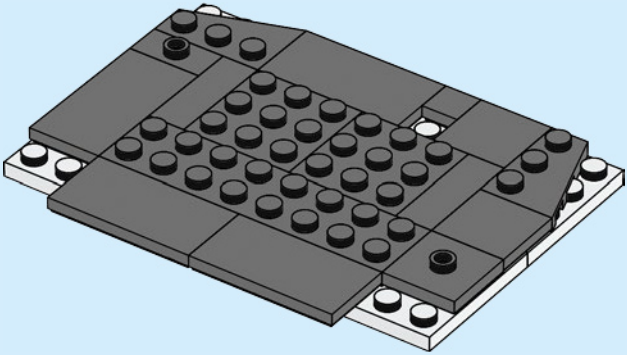

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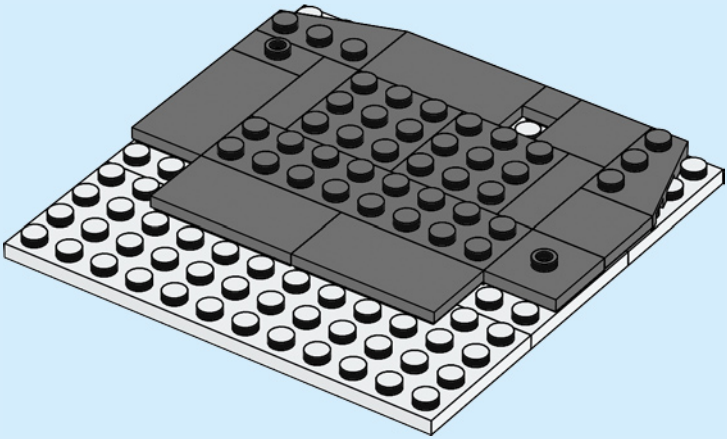

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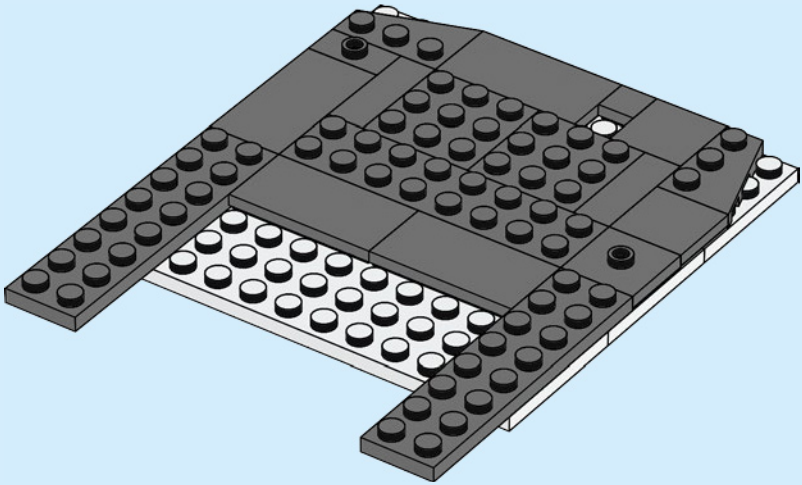

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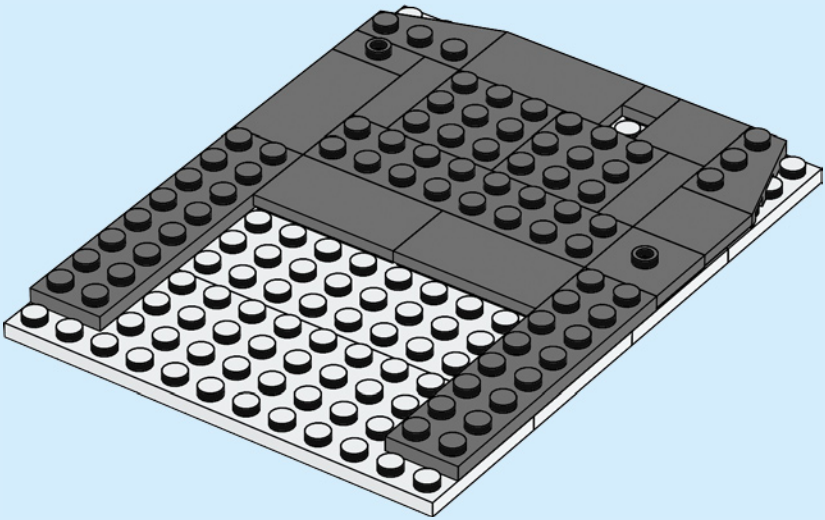

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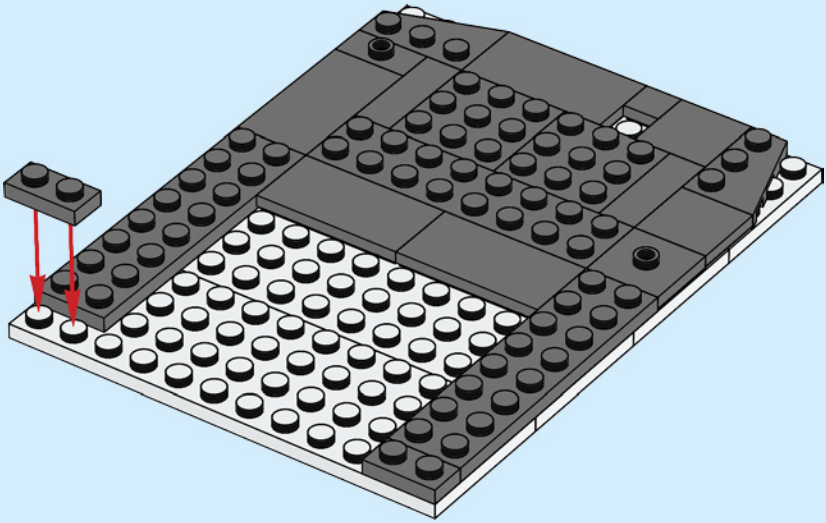

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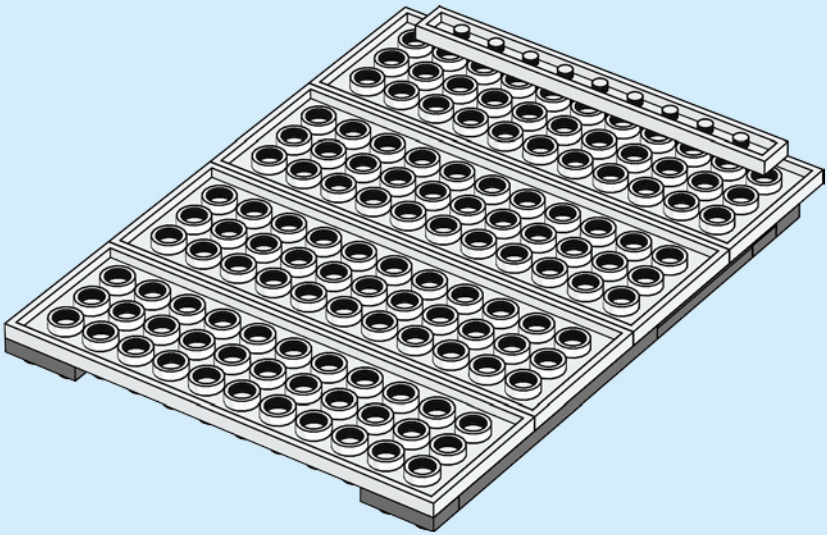

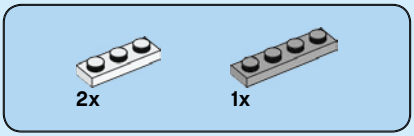


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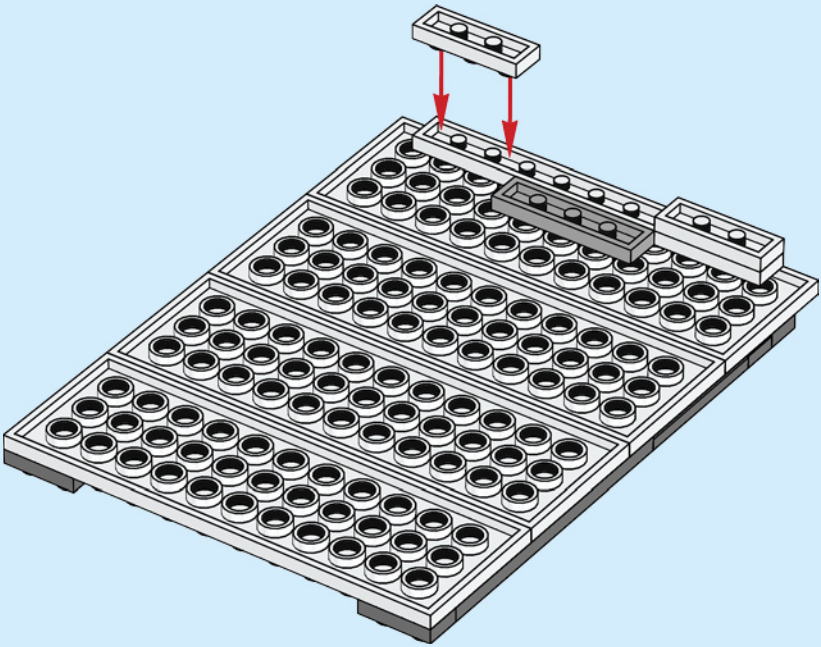

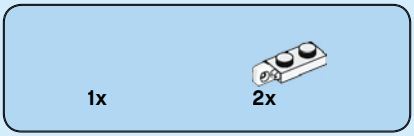

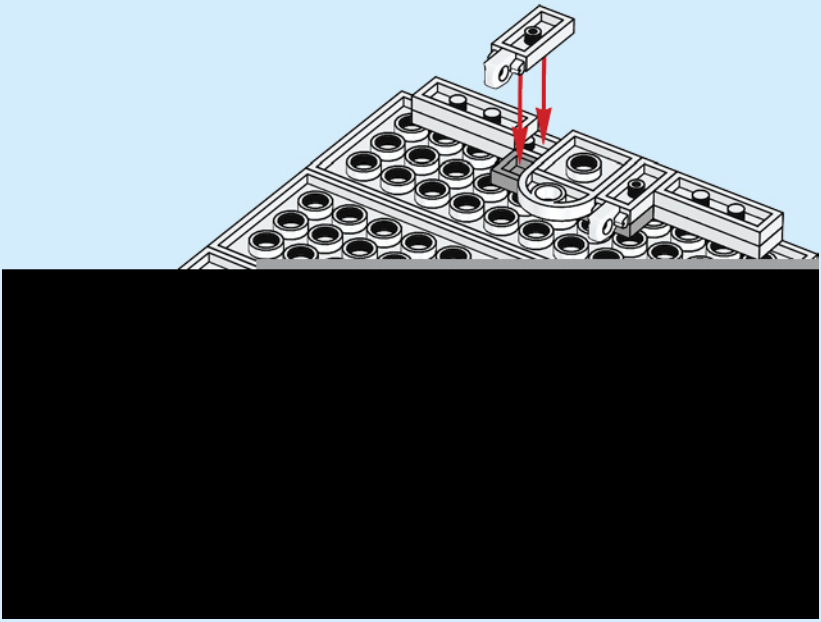
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