

# PO228 OO Coaching Inn

To construct this kit you will need the following:

1. A Modellers knife.
2. A pair of sharp pointed scissors.
3. A steel ruler.
4. Glue - UHU Clear Adhesive or Bostik Clear Adhesive are best. Make sure you get the tubes with the narrow nozzle for easy application.
5. A cutting surface - a sheet of card or a cutting mat.
6. Tweezers to hold the smaller components

## READ THROUGH ALL THE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE YOU START.

### Extracting the components from sheets.

Each component is fastened to the sheet by means of a score line. These are cut lines that have only gone about three quarters of the way through the card. To detach each component from the sheet, locate the score line that is holding it in place (these are clearly marked with blue lines or arrows) and carefully run the point of your knife along the scoreline and the item will come seamlessly away. Some components have more than one scoreline holding them in place.

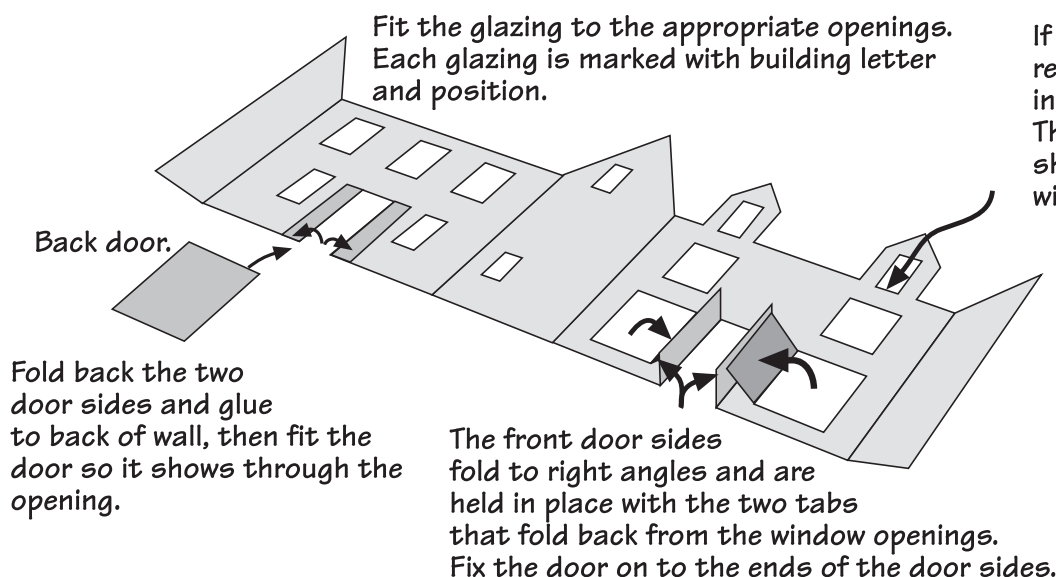
### GLAZING SHEET

The glazing with this kit is intended to be cut up using scissors. Cut along the lines marked around each window, then place all the tiny glazing sheets in a pile outside your working area until needed. When fitting, place in the opening from behind with the matt printed side facing outwards. Fix with a smear of glue around the edge of the window.

The main body of the inn is made up of three units - buildings A, B, & C. Each builds up in the same way and the three units are fastened together to form the whole structure. There is then a small outbuilding with a wall that fastens to the main body of the kit before it is fixed to the base card. SEE PLAN ON PAGE 2

## Fig.1. BUILDING 'A'

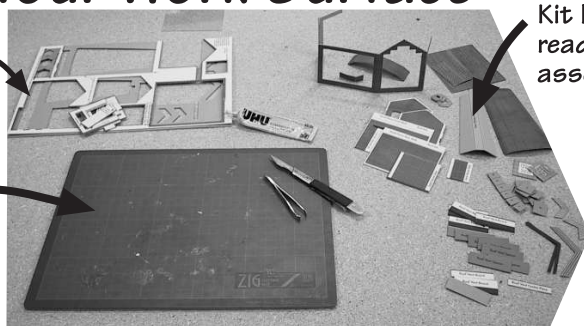
Although there are no markings to say which is building 'A'. It's the one with the two dormer windows on the front wall !



## Your Work Surface

Keep offcuts to one side.

A clean flat working area



Kit bits ready for assembly.

Keep it tidy. When you have extracted all the components from the sheet, place them neatly to one side, FACE UP so you don't lose them. Don't throw any offcuts away they may come in handy for bracing and strengthening the inside of your kit. (It also reduces the risk of any components getting thrown out by accident).

### CHECK LIST

This kit should contain the following sheets:

- |   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1 x SHEET A - kit parts.                          | 1 x SHEET B - kit parts. |
| 1 x SHEET C - kit parts                           | 1 x GLAZING SHEET.       |
| 1 x Card with curtains                            |                          |
| 1 x card with variety of signs                    |                          |
| 2 x PLAIN GREY CARD sheets with cut strengtheners |                          |
| 1 x A3 INSTRUCTION SHEET (this one)               |                          |
| 1 x A4 INSTRUCTION SHEET 2.                       |                          |
| 1 x ROOF RIDGE TILE SHEET                         |                          |

### PLAIN GREY CARD STRENGTHENERS.

There are two sheets containing plain card strengtheners (described in Fig.2.) They all work in the same way holding the walls of each of the three buildings together, that go to make up the main body of the inn. Each building has its own strengtheners identified with embossed markings on the centre (except building B which is plain). On all the buildings it is the strengtheners with the longest ends that fit first to the lower part. Always check without glue before fixing. Bits of the strengtheners are cut away to allow for window openings.

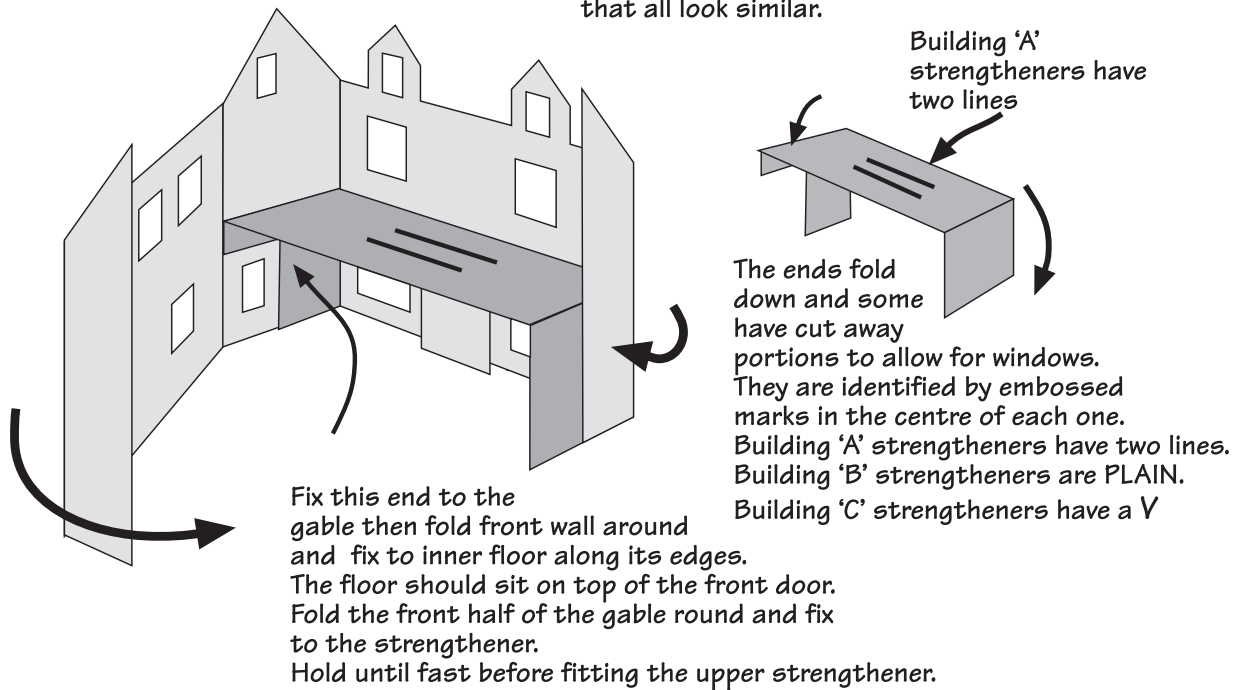
If you are fitting curtains, remember to allow for the inner strengthening floors. The attic window curtains shouldn't drop below the window bottoms.

Fold the building around the inner floors before fitting curtains so you can see where they should go.

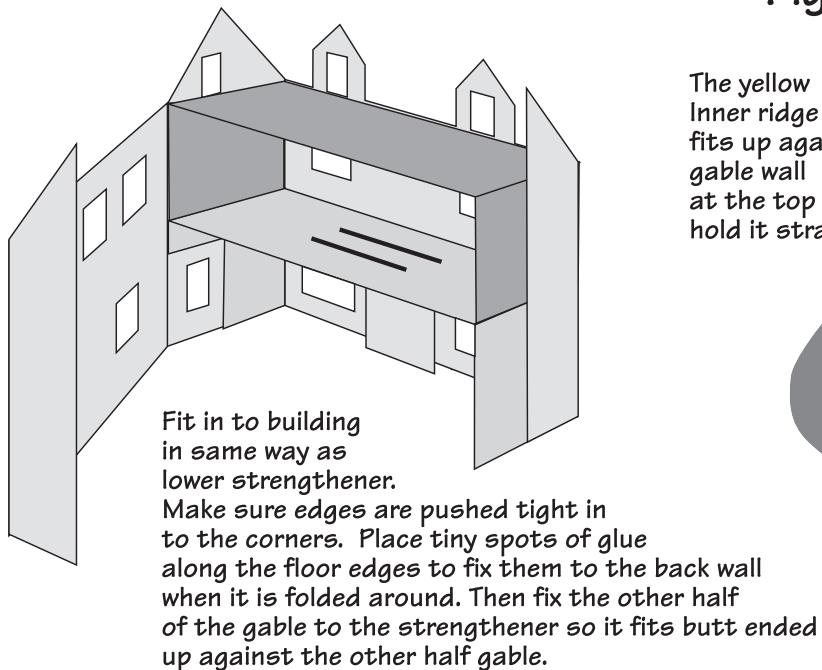
Once all the doors and windows are complete and fast, you can then proceed to Fig.2.

**Fig.2. FITTING INNER FLOORS TO BUILDING 'A'**

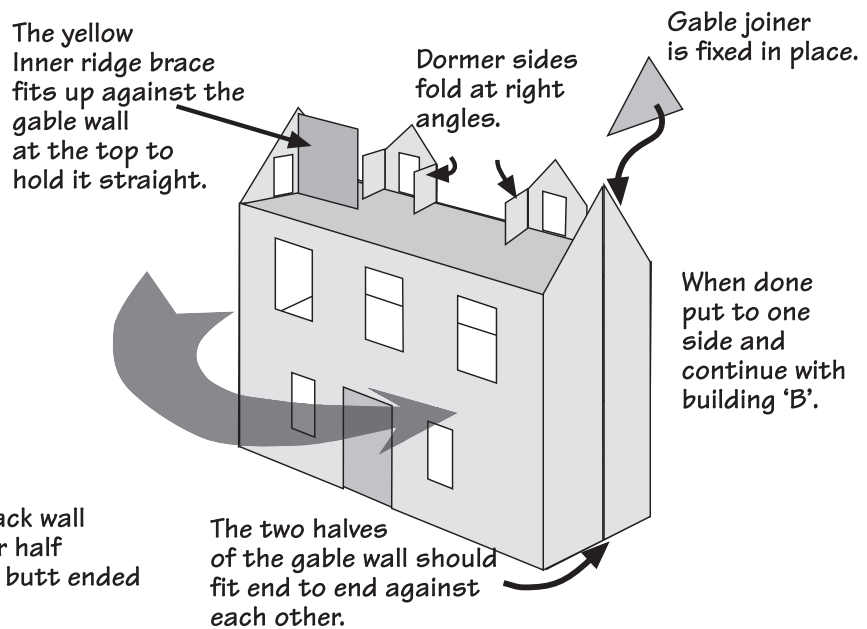
There are two plain grey cut card sheets containing six inner floor/strengtheners that all look similar.



**Fig.3. FITTING UPPER STRENGTHENER**

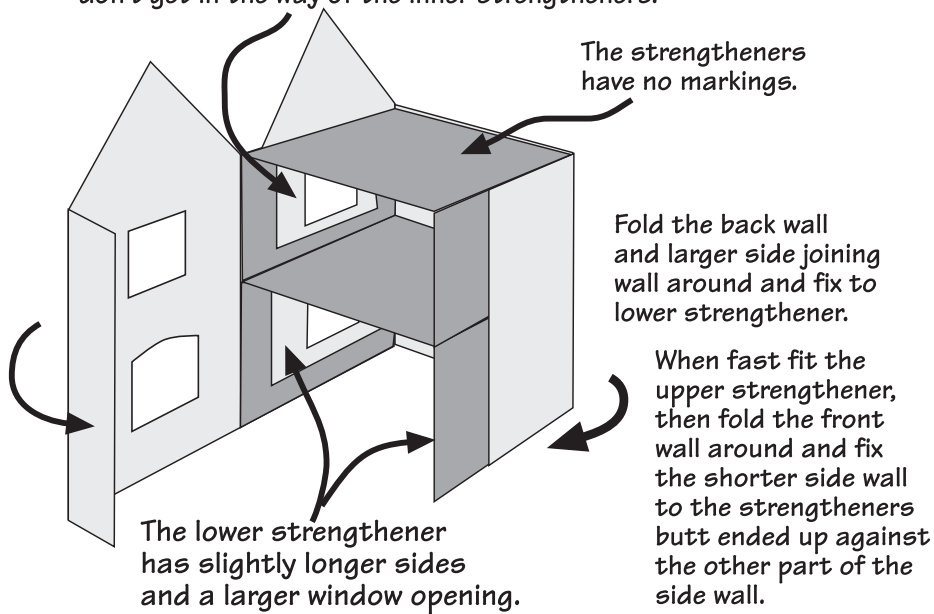


**Fig.4. BUILDING 'A' ATTIC BITS**



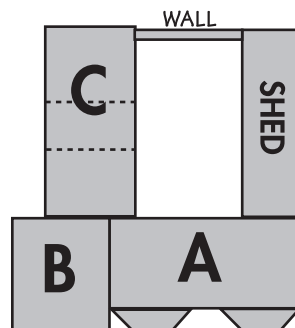
## Fig.5. BUILDING 'B'

This building builds up in the same way as building 'A'. Start with the glazing then curtains. Make sure the curtains don't get in the way of the inner strengtheners.



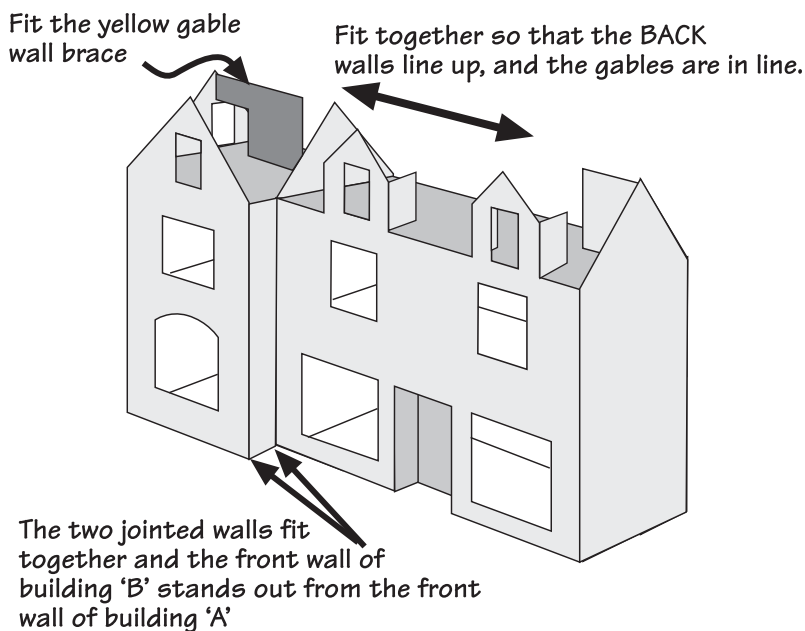
## PLAN

This shows how the buildings fit together



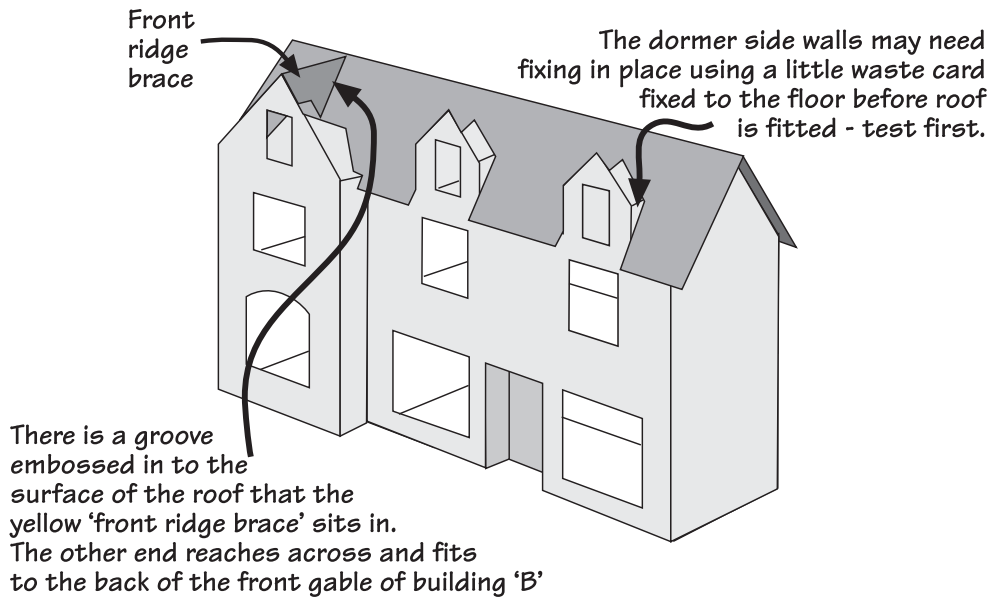
Fit all the buildings together on a flat surface before fixing to base card.

## Fig.6. FITTING BUILDING 'A' to 'B'



## Fig.7. FITTING ROOF TO BUILDINGS 'A' & 'B'

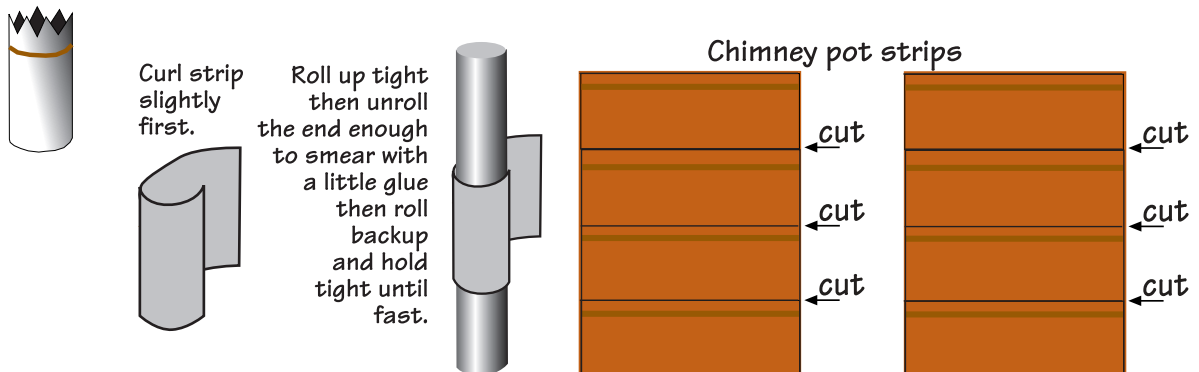
The roof runs full length of building and overhangs at each end.



## CHIMNEY POTS

Once you have perfected the art of rolling your own chimney pots you will soon realise that they are extremely realistic. Much better than anything made from plastic or white metal. So please be patient & keep trying, the chimney pots make all the difference.

Cut into strips then roll tightly around a nail or screw (apx. 3mm dia.) and fix the end with a tiny spot of glue. Paint the insides black to get rid of the white card then finish off by cutting pointed edges with a fine knife or scissors.



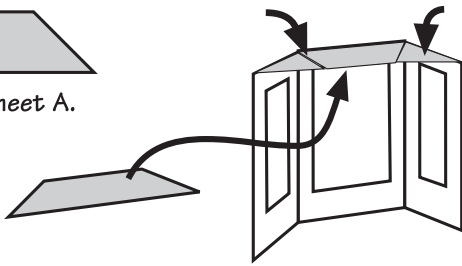
**Fig. 8. Bay Windows**

They are held together with small plain grey strengtheners. There are four in total shaped like this:



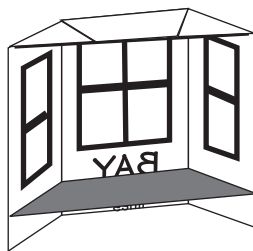
Located on sheet A.

Start by folding all the corners fully. Next fold down the three tabs at the top and fix from underneath using one of the grey strengtheners.



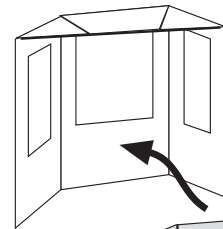
**Fig. 10.**

Once the glazing is fast, attach the second grey strengthener somewhere below the window opening.

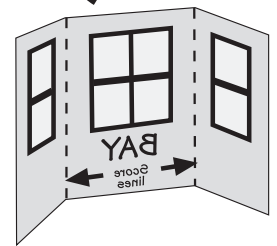


**Fig. 9. Bay Window Glazing**

Take the glazing for the 'BAY' and lay face up (so you can read the writing) on a clean surface. With the point of your knife scratch along the dotted lines (use a rule to guide the blade) so the side windows can be folded back to the shape of the bay window.



Now fix inside the window run a tiny strip of glue down each dotted line and put a few spots around the bottom part of the glazing before pushing it in to place.



**Fig.11. FITTING SMALLER ROOF SECTIONS**

Fit the dormer roofs to building 'A' and the front gable roof on building 'B'.

