

WRITE IT, DO IT

Description: Team describes and builds an object

Number of Participants: 2

The Competition:

1. One team member enters the room, listens to directions from the judge, and is given a pre-assembled object made of Legos.

A. That team member has a maximum of 10 minutes to write a description of the object, while the second team member is waiting in the hall.

B. No drawing or diagrams are allowed in the description. Abbreviations are allowed, including those created by the team.

C. No writing that is in the form of a configuration of the layers is permitted. While no list of rules can be made to encompass all illegal descriptions, several are included on the following page. A simple rule of thumb is, if you wonder if your method of describing the object is illegal, it most likely is.

D. After 10 minutes, the first team member who did the writing leaves the room.

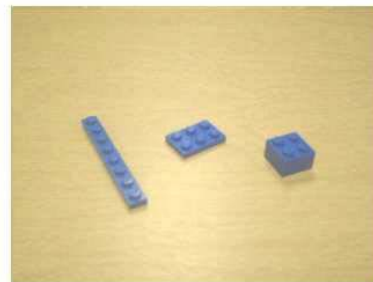
E. The directions and a set of pieces of Lego are left for the other team member.

2. The second team member enters the room to assemble the object.

A. This team member uses the written description and the unassembled Lego pieces to construct an object as identical as possible to the original.

B. When finished, or time expires, the team's directions and object are turned into the judge.

3. A maximum of 16 Lego pieces will be used. Only these colors will be used: red, white, black, blue and yellow. Pieces with this many pegs will be used: 4, 6 and 8 [a peg means the round projection on the top, each of which bears the name Lego]. Lego pieces can be either "thick" or "thin". See photo.



Scoring:

Team with the greatest amount of pieces in the proper location and position wins.

Tie Breaker: the least amount of time to assemble the object is the tie breaker.

[Diagram of Legal/Illegal Notes for Competition](#)