# Don't just take our word for it...

LEGO bricks are great learning tools. Children can create any models based on their imagination and re-build their models as many times as they like, which is what motivates them to keep trying new things.

Kindergarten Principle, Japan

There is never enough time with this creative, educational, colorful toy made by DUPLO!! Remarkable experience for 3-5 year olds!

Preschool teacher, US

I am a certified preschool teacher and I bought Tech Machines last year for my class. The kids LOVE it!! Have some bored boys in your class? This is the fix. This is great for fine motor development and spatial skills and it comes with several picture cards of things to make. The older students love trying to replicate the pictures. It's a great challenge for them and keeps them busy for hours.

Preschool teacher, US

LEGO Education engages children by doing different things, so they are learning without realising they are learning.

Preschool teacher, UK

We are always looking for new ideas

and new ways of developing creativity -LEGO Education is aiding creativity. Preschool teacher, UK

I have realised the potential of using LEGO Education solutions for better engagement of pupils and to develop different learning styles.



LEGO Education solutions help to show that the children are capable of vorking independently and thinking things out for themselves. Preschool teacher, UK



# **For Schools**

#### Meeting curriculum standards in the best possible way

At LEGO<sup>®</sup> Education we understand the pressures on teachers to meet tough curriculum standards while delivering high-quality learning experiences. We can help you achieve both aims.

LEGO Education takes its starting point in worldclass curriculum programs for core subjects, including science, math, technology, language and literacy, and the humanities.

Each of our solutions is designed by educational experts and practitioners to ensure that they will work in the classroom.



# **LEGO® Education For Schools**

As well as brick sets, we provide a variety of activity packs with lessons that range from a standard 45-minute period, to half- or full-day activities, and projects that can span several weeks. We also offer teacher training programs.

On the following pages, you can browse our full portfolio for students from 5 years.

# Creative Solutions for Classrooms



#### **New! LEGO® Education LearnToLearn** From 6 years

LearnToLearn is 28 bags of bricks and an activity pack that meets curriculum goals in science, literacy, math, social studies and design/engineering. If you've never tried LEGO<sup>®</sup> Education before, start here!



#### New! LEGO® Education StoryStarter From 7 years

StoryStarter is a new, inspiring way to meet core curriculum targets for language and literacy, as well as developing all-round communication skills. By building stories in teams, students also collaborate and improve social skills.



#### Now even better! LEGO® Education WeDo

From 7 years

WeDo is not just about technology. This year we have a wide range of new easy to implement WeDo activities, covering a variety of curriculum subjects as well as cross-curricular topics.





#### New 2013! LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education EV3 From 10 years

LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education engages students in computer science, science, technology, engineering and math. With the new EV3, you can be up and running in less than 45 minutes.



#### Unique! LEGO® Education BuildToExpress From 6 years

BuildToExpress is a unique aid that allows students to reflect on topics being taught, and to communicate their understanding as equals in an inclusive, non-judgmental and motivational environment.



#### **LEGO® Education Machines & Mechanisms** From 5 years

This series of brick sets and activity packs is all about connecting students from 5–14+ years to the real world around them, encouraging them to explore and understand how things work.





# **LEGO® Education LearnToLearn**

#### New! LegrnToLegrn

LearnToLearn is a new concept from LEGO® Education designed for teachers who may never have thought of using LEGO bricks other than for free play or golden time. It is a starting set which introduces all the other products in the portfolio for Elementary classes. When you try this product you will get the taste of what the other products can offer.

LearnToLearn not only covers curriculum goals in science, literacy, math, social studies and design/engineering, it also nurtures collaboration, critical thinking, problem solving, creativity and communication.

LearnToLearn demonstrates how – by allowing students to use multiple senses in their learning processes - they have a far better chance of fully understanding and remembering what they have learned.

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This is what "respect" means to me:

listening

do not bully

LearnToLearn activities stimulate problem solving in real life because they're focused and hands-on.

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As one teacher says: "I wouldn't have thought about using LEGO bricks to do bar graphs - now it

seems obvious." A class room solution consists of a box with 28 individual bags of bricks and a curriculum pack of 18 one-page activity/lesson

ideas.

#### LEGO® Education BuildToExpress Reflection Reflection Build your way to better communication Children have all sorts of theories about BuildToExpress uses selected LEGO how the world works. What they don't elements in a 'build and share' context.

always have is the ability to express these thoughts. Or the opportunity to express what they truly think - and feel about themselves and each other.

That is exactly what LEGO® Education BuildToExpress offers them.

It's a genuinely creative teaching aid that enables all your students to communicate as equals, in an inclusive, non-judgmental and highly-motivational environment. Everyone gets involved and takes an active role in the learning process, transforming you, the teacher, into a true hands-on facilitator.

lesson plans.

#### **BuildToExpress Core Set** 45110 1-6 💵 🏹 200 🕢 6+ yrs

The set includes over 200 LEGO® elements in a separat storage unit. They have been carefully selected to provide a broad spectrum of "ready-made metaphors The colorful bricks, accessories and Minifigures nspire students and stimulate their creative nking and imagination

Why buy me

An engaging hands-on approach oss curriculum areas act for project-based teaching les 30 age-segmented curricular activities for easy plan examples, Teacher's guide, inspirational videos and getting started exercises

deal to enhance social and

Classroom **Solutions** 

Colors of and decorative designs on elements may vary.

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Starter Set

2-3 students

**Starter Set** 

24 students

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As an example, a class may be discussing environmental protection, and students will build individual representations of what they believe are the most important considerations. They may use the concept to discuss a novel, to prepare for a design challenge or to debate democracy.

BuildToExpress is a method for addressing virtually any curriculum subject and learning objective. Teachers can use the tool to tailor-make

#### **BuildToExpress Guide & Activity Pack** 2045110 (www) 6+ yrs

Contains practical guidance on introducing and working with the BuildToExpress concept. Enables you to hear other teachers' experiences, and includes 30 age-segmented, core-curriculum-based Build & Share Challenge Cards as well as enty of ready-prepared activiti for vou to work with



2-3 x 45110 **BuildToExpress Core Set** 

12 x 45110 **BuildToExpress Core Set** 



1 x 2045110 BuildToExpress Guide & Activity Pack

1 x 2045110 **BuildToExpress Guide & Activity Pack** 



### **Direct link to** Curriculum **Standards**

#### StoryStarter Core Set 45100 1-5 👥 🌾 144 🥢 www 6+ yrs

o equip up to five students with everything start constructing their own stories. Bu are delivered in a sturdy storage box along with sorting trays, baseplates, activity spinners zational stickers, and an assortn of specialty bricks and minifigures.

## **LEGO® Education StoryStarter**

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Confident StoryTellers

You know how challenging it can be to get your students motivated to read and write. So we're delighted to introduce the first LEGO® Education concept specifically developed to support Language Arts.

StoryStarter is a hands-on tool that inspires students to collaborate, while creating and communicating stories using LEGO bricks as their toolbox. Students work in groups to develop a story together. They build their story with bricks. They document it using a simple, creative digital interface.

#### Why buy me

# StoryStarter Curriculum Pack & StoryVisualizer Software



The StoryStarter Curriculum Pack ensures educators are able to get going with the product straightaway. Including 24 activities in 4 categories:

- · Getting Started
- Day-to-Day Storytelling · Building and Telling Stories
- Telling, Retelling and Analyzing.

By combining word and images, the StoryVisualizer oftware helps students to present, share and document their stories. Students can take images of their story creations and import them into the software. The program allows users to select from a variety of preexisting writing templates or to customize their own. Also available on tablets.









#### **STORYSTARTER PACKAGES**





# Machines & **Mechanisms**

#### **LEGO® Education Machines & Mechanisms Do You Know How It Works?**

The LEGO® Education Machines & Mechanisms portfolio is all about connecting students as young as 5 years to the real world around them, encouraging them to explore and understand how things work.

Founded on the core curriculum for science, technology and engineering, this series of construction sets and activity packs introduces students to fundamental principles of simple machines and mechanisms. Resources are available for elementary students, as well



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as middle and high school, where students investigate more advanced concepts such as renewable energy and pneumatics.

Machines & Mechanisms provides an ideal foundation for schools that also teach robotics (using WeDo or LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education). Students progress to design mechanisms that can be fully automated and controlled by computer programming techniques.





#### **Early Simple Machines Set**



The Early Simple Machines Set provides eight mechanical models and eight double-sided, full-color building instructions. The set includes gears, levers, pulleys, wheels and axles, as well as a plastic punch-out sheet with eyes, sails, scales and wings. Combine with the 2009656 activity pack to carry out eight lesson plans, each with 20-minute extension activities, and four problem-solving tasks.

#### **Key learning values**

- Exploring basic mechanical principles such as gears, levers, pulleys, wheels and axles
- Investigating force, buoyancy and balance
- Solving problems through designWorking with others and sharing findings

#### Why buy me

- Fantastic starter set for introducing science and design technology concepts
   Users explore basic mechanical principles such as gears, levers, pulleys, wheels and axles through eight fun models

- eight fun models LEGO® DUPLO® models are easy for young learners to work with Enables children to explore how familiar objects work Children use their imagination to design and build their own models

# Activity Pack for Early Simple Machines

2009656 (5+ yrs)

The activity pack for the 9656 Early Simple Machines includes eight 45-minute lessons, each with extension activities of up to 20 minutes and four additional open-ended problem-solving activities. Illustrations introduce playful problems that the children must solve.

#### **Key learning values**

- Exploring basic mechanical principles such as gears, levers, pulleys, wheels and axles
  Investigating force, buoyancy and balance
  Solving problems through design
  Working with others and sharing findings

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#### Key learning values

 Observing and investigating simple machines: gears, wheels and axles, Following a design brief as part of the engineering design process
Investigating and working through the engineering design process servations, reasoning, predic lecting and critical thinking





Construct







#### Models shown are examples of what can be built with this set.

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# Activity Pack for Simple Machines

2009689 www (7+ yrs)

Features 16 principle activities, 4 main activities and 4 problem-solving activities. Enables students to recognise simple machines in everyday use, to understand the principles behind them, and to become familiar with the vocabulary relevant for the simple machine in focus: gears, wheels and axles, levers or pulleys. Includes a comprehensive teacher's guide.

#### **Key learning values**

- Observing and investigating simple machines: gears, wheels and axles,
- levers, and pulleys Developing scientific inquiry skills Following a design brief as part of
- the engineering design process
- Learning and applying relevant vocabulary for simple machines
  Fair testing, predicting and measuring, collecting data, and
- describing outco

#### Contemplate



#### Continue







# Introducing Simple & Powered Machines

2009686 (www) (8+ yrs)

With this activity pack, students get a fundamental understanding of simple machines, structures and mechanisms. The pack features 37 principle model activities, 14 main activities, including extension activities, and six problem-solving tasks. Flash animations introduce the activities. Teacher's notes, student worksheets and glossary included.

#### Key learning values

- Investigating the principles of simple machines, mechanisms and structures
- Experimenting with balanced and unbalanced forces
- Experimenting with friction
- Capturing, storing and transferring wind energy
   Measuring distance, time, speed and weight
   Calibrating scales
- Investigating powered forces and motion, speed and pulling power



Simple & Powered Machines Set 27V +8 WWW 386 396 200 0836

The core brick set in our range of Machines & Mechanisms solutions, this set includes full-color building instruction booklets for 10 principle models and 18 main models. Combine with curricular-relevant activity packs and add-on sets to carry out a broad range of activities within design technology, science and

#### Key learning values

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Building and exploring real life Machines
 and Mechanisms

- Investigating powered machines with the motor
  Using plastic sheets for calibration and capturing wind
- Exploring gearing mechanisms with the assorted gear wheels including differential



# Advancing with Simple & Powered Machines

2009687 (www) 10+ yrs

This activity pack allows students to get an in-depth understanding of simple machines, mechanisms, structures and mechanical advantage. It includes 38 principle model activities, four main activities, including extension activities, and eight problem-solving activities. Real-life video clips introduce students to the activities. Teacher's notes, student worksheet and glossary included.

#### Key learning values

- Investigating the principles of simple machines, mechanisms and structures
- Mechanical advantage
  Balanced and unbalanced forces
- Equilibrium
- Block and tackle
- Effect of force on an object
- Experimenting with friction
- Calculating speed, distance, time and weight
   Identifying dependent and independent variable iahlee



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#### **Pneumatics Add-on Set** 31 www 10+ yrs

The Pneumatics Add-on Set for the 9686 Base Set provides five principle models and four real-life pneumatics models. Includes full-color building instructions, pumps, tubes, cylinders, valves, air tank and a manometer. Combine with the 2009641 activity pack to carry out 14 principle model activities, four new lesson plans and two problem-solving tasks.

#### **Key learning values**

 Building and exploring pneumatics through real-life LEGO<sup>®</sup> models Investigating power systems and comp
Pressure measuring in psi and bar
Exploring kinetic and potential energy

#### Activity Pack for 9641 2009641 (www) 10+ yrs

This activity pack provides 14 principle model activities, four 45-minute pneumatics lessons each with extension activities of up to 20 ninutes, and two additional problem-solving tasks. Video clips introduce the activities by showing real-life machines, which are similar the LEGO® models used in the lesso

#### **Key learning values**

• Building and exploring pneumatics through real-life LEGO® models Exploring sequence and control
Engaging students in engineering and design
Using measures and data analysis to describe and explain outcor

Renewable **Energy Add-on Set** 9688 12 www 8+ yrs This exciting add-on set allows students to learn about renewable energy sources and can be used with the Simple & Powered Machines Set (9686) and LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education (9797 & 45544). The set includes a solar panel, Luciation (979 a 45544). The set includes a solar panel, turbine blades, a motor/generator, LED lights, an extension wire, a LEGO<sup>®</sup> Energy Meter and full-color building instructions for six real-life LEGO<sup>®</sup> models to build with 9686. Add the Renewable Energy Activity Pack (2009688) for detailed lesson plans to cover solar, wind and hydro power. Connected to the MINDSTORMS<sup>®</sup> NXT brick, the energy meter works as a sensor and can be used for both programming and sensor and can be used for both programming and data logging. Activities and Building instructions for using 9688 with MINDSTORMS<sup>®</sup> can be downloaded free of charge at MINDSTORMSeducation.com.

# Activity Pack for Renewable Energy Add-on Set

2009688 (www) 10+ yrs)

This activity pack provides six 45-minute lessons and four problem-solving activities that allow students to explore the three major renewable energy sources, solar, wind and water, through real-life LEGO® models. Includes a wide range of real-life images, ideal for introducing them tothe topic and task at hand. Teacher's notes, student worksheets and glossary included.

#### Key learning values

- Exploring renewable energy sources
  Investigating energy supply, transfer, accumulation, conversion and consumption
  Using measurements and data analysis to describe and explain outcomes



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#### Key learning values

- Building and exploring renewable energy through real-life LEGO<sup>®</sup> mod
   Exploring energy supply, transfer, ion and accumulation, conv
- consumption

  Engaging students in
- engineering and design





#### **Energy Display** 9668 (8+ yrs)

This element displays input and output in volts, watts, amps, and energy storage level in joules. Combine with 9669 Energy Storage to form the LEGO<sup>®</sup> Energy Meter.

#### **Energy Storage**

9669 (8+ yrs

This Ni-MH battery with connector is designed to be combined with the 9668 Energy Display. When combined, the two elements form the LEGO<sup>®</sup> Energy Meter Storage capacity: 150 mAh.

**E-Motor** 9670 (7+ yrs

The E-Motor is a 9V motor with an internal gearbox. Its 9.5:1 gearing ratio provides a maximum torque of 4.5 Ncm and approximately 800 rotations per minute without load. It also . functions as a very efficient generator.

**Power Functions Light** 

Add bright LED lights to your models to create glowing eyes, illuminated headlights, and anything else you can imagine and build.

8870 (7+ yrs)

#### LEGO<sup>®</sup> Solar Panel 9667 (8+ yrs

The Solar Panel provides sufficient power to operate the LEGO® Energy Meter and motors. It delivers: 5V, 4mA in direct light from a 60W incandescent bulb positioned 25 cm from the solar panel (>2000 lux); and 5V, 20mA in direct light from a 60W incandescent bulb positioned 8 cm from the panel (>10,000 lux)

#### **Power Functions Battery Box**

8881 (7+ yrs)

Give even more power and movement to your models with an extra battery box to supply power to your Power Functions motors! Each battery box can power 2 XL-Motors or 4 M-Motors at the same time. Requires 6 AA (1,5V) batteries, not included

#### **Power Functions Extension Wire 20**" 8871 (7+ yrs)

Build your Power Functions-equipped models bigger, better and more mechanized and motorized than ever before by adding this 20-inch (50 cm) extension wire.

#### **Power Functions Extension Wire 8**" (7+ yrs

8886

Build your Power Functions-equipped models bigger, better and more mechanized and motorized by adding this 8-inch (20 cm) extension wire.

#### **Power Functions M-Motor**

8883 (7+ yrs)

Build an extra medium-strength, medium-sized M-Motor into your LEGO® creations and watch things start moving.

#### **Transformer 10V DC** 8887 (8+ yrs)

This standard 10V DC transformer allows you to recharge your 9693 Rechargeable Battery DC or 8878 Power Functions Rechargeable Battery Box.

#### **PNEUMATICS**

1 x 9641 **Pneumatics Add-on Set** 

12 x 9641 **Pneumatics Add-on Set** 

1 x 2009641 Activity Pack for 9641

Activity Pack for 9641

1 x 2009641

#### **Power Functions XL-Motor**

8882 (7+ yrs

Add an extra XL-Motor to your models! This super-strong motor will give plenty of power to your models, whether it's spinning a wheel or turning a system of gears. Use the "M" Motor to animate larger builds. Requires battery box (Item 8881), not included.

#### **Power Functions** Rechargeable **Battery Box**

8878 (7+ yrs) This rechargeable battery box has built-in Lithium polymer

batteries for low weight and maximum power.

Use the 8887 10VDC LEGO® Transformer to charge the battery

- Motor speed can be controlled via the battery box speed control dial!
- Output voltage is 7.4V.





ADD-ON







#### **SIMPLE & POWERED MACHINES PACKAGES**



Package – 2 students	
Simple & Powered Machines Set (9686)	1
Introducing Simple & Powered Machines (2009686)	1
Advancing with Simple & Powered Machines (2009687)	1
• Renewable Energy Add-on Set (9688)	1
Activity Pack for Renewable Energy     Add-on Set (2009688)	1

#### Pneumatics Add-on Set (9641)

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• Activity Pack for 9641 (2009641)

### (www) (10+ yrs)

# LEGO<sup>®</sup> Education WeDo

#### **Cross-curricular Learning in a Box**

WeDo from LEGO<sup>®</sup> Education is not just about technology, it's about how technology plays an active role in students' everyday lives. We've made it hands-on and put it in a box ready to stimulate both the learning and the teaching experiences in school. It comes with an easy-to-use software interface and a cross-curricular, plug'n'teach activity pack that improves communication, collaboration and problem-solving skills.

#### Simple & Powered Machines Package – 30 students

• Simple & Powered Machines Set (9686)
<ul> <li>Introducing Simple &amp; Powered Machines (2009686)</li> </ul>
Advancing with Simple & Powered Machines (2009687)
• Renewable Energy Add-on Set (9688)
<ul> <li>Activity Pack for Renewable Energy Add-on Set (2009688)</li> </ul>
Pneumatics Add-on Set (9641)
Activity Pack for 9641 (2009641)
(www) [10+ yrs]



WeDo activities cover language and literacy, science, math and technology. Teachers can tailor activities to specific curriculum subjects or use WeDo for topic - or project-based learning.

WeDo - You Can!

**LEGO® Education WeDo** 



#### **The Activity Pack**

- Twelve interactive activities to meet a broad range of curriculum goals
- · Perfect for integrating science, math and literacy with technology and ICT
- Activities that integrate fully within the software to create an interactive environment to suit all abilities



#### **LEGO® Education WeDo Construction Set** 9580 13 💶 🖗 158 🕢 WWW 7+ yrs

The WeDo Construction Set enables students to build and program simple  $\rm LEGO^{\oplus}$  models that are plugged into a computer. The set contains more than 150 elements, including a motor, motion and tilt sensors, and the LEGO USB Hub. Combine with the 2009580 Activity Pack to carry out 12 theme-based activities Software and activity pack is sold separately

#### **Construct**





Connect

and belt...

**Contemplate** 

vides 12 working n four themes: Amazing nisms, Wild Animals on sets such as the es a stepping stone for

ng the basics of robotic



### LEGO® Education WeDo Software v.1.2 and Activity Pack

2000097 (www) (7+ yrs)

Easy-to-use software and 12 themebased activities for the WeDo Construction Set in one package! The drag-and-drop software, powered by LabVIEW, is icon-based and provides an intuitive programming environment. Features the digital Getting Started Guide with building tips and programming examples. Activities are divided into four themes: Amazing Mechanisms, Wild Animals, Play Socce and Adventure Stories and provide up to 24 hours of instruction and projectbased learning. Teacher notes, glossary and building instructions included.

**Key learning values** 

Designing and making models with movements
Explore simple math concepts such as addition subtraction etc. Brainstorm to create stories, projects, solutions

#### **Continue**





#### **Sample Activity** Beat the Goalkeeper

- Mia wants to practice kicking. Max does too
- · Can you create a mechanical
- goalkeeper? Construct: Our model...
- Uses a motor to turn a small pulley
- The belt turns the large pulley... • The large pulley turns a lever arm... • The lever arm moves the goalkeeper
- Program your goalkeeper to block paper balls from the goal

#### Contemplate

- · Predict and test..
- How many balls can the goalkeeper save?
- How many goals can you score?

#### Continue

 Make a program that counts the score and displays the results

#### **Key learning values**

- ming will help structuring the Program way they think
- Software will follow the student rhythm of learning
- Interactive guide for simple machine, ears, levers, pulleys, transmission and nation of movement
- Provide a environment to measure time, adding, subtracting, estimating, calculating
   Provide a great tool for writing, storytelling explaining, interviewing, interpreting

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The motion sensor designed for the WeDo Construction Set can detect objects within a range of 15 cm, depending on the design of the object, when attached to the LEGO®

USB Hub. The motion sensor is automatically detected by

the WeDo Software when attached to the LEGO USB Hub

**Motion Sensor** 

9583

1 www 7+ yrs

#### **Tilt Sensor** 1 www 7+ yrs 9584

The tilt sensor designed for the WeDo Construction Set detects changes within six different positions: Tilt This Way, Tilt That Way, Tilt Up, Tilt Down, No Tilt and Any Tilt. The tilt sensor is automatically detected by the WeDo Software when connected to the LEGO® USB hub.



#### **Power Functions M-Motor 7+** 1 www (7+ yrs 8883

Build an extra medium-strength, medium-sized M-Motor into your LEGO® creations and watch things start moving.



#### **Power Functions Light 7+** 8870 1 www (7+ yrs)

Add bright LED lights to your models to create glowing eyes, illuminated headlights, and anything else you can imagine and build.



The LEGO® USB Hub designed for the WeDo Construction Set controls sensors and motors via the WeDo Software when connected to a computer's powered USB port. This two-port hub transmits power and data to and from the computer, and both ports are able to control motors and sensors. The LEGO USB Hub is automatically detected by the WeDo Software when connected to a computer





Features extra and new elements for building large WeDo models that provide even more learning opportunities. Combine with 9580 WeDo Construction Set to build four new models: Ferris Wheel, Crane, Car or House. Includes new elements such as wheels, rotors and a door. Download free building instructions and programming samples at LEGOeducation.com



# 2009585 (www/8+yrs)

Take learning with LEGO® Education WeDo to the next level with this fun and challenging Amusement Park and Construction Site themed set. Using the drag-and-drop intuitive programming environment that students are already familiar with, WeDo 8+ Projects features 6 advanced activities and 4 open-ended problem solving exercises. With enough material for up to 30 lessons, including worksheets and teacher notes, WeDo 8+ Projects is ideal for developing understanding of a wide range of STEM topics. Requires: 9580 LEGO® Education WeDo Construction Set 9585 LEGO Education WeDo Resource Set 2000097 LEGO Education WeDo Software and Curriculum Pack Available in Starter and Classroom sets.

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#### WeDo 8+ Projects Curriculum Pack

#### **Key learning values**

- Covers a range of curriculum relevant STEM topics

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- Relates to real life · Ideal for cross-curric
- and project work Builds understanding of technology Added emphasis to key language use



# LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education

#### There's a New Robot in Class

With LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education the greatest challenge you'll have is getting your students to leave the classroom! The newest version is here!

LEGO MINDSTORMS Education EV3 engages students in computer science, science, technology, engineering and math. You can be up and running in less than 45 minutes, fully supported by 48 step-by-step tutorials and a guide to all the programming language and hardware functions.

EV3 includes a more powerful intelligent brick, increased memory, wifi and SD card reader. There are new motors and sensors, including a gyro sensor, and new software, including integrated student



workbooks and a content editor for designing your own teaching materials.

LEGO MINDSTORMS Education has been around since the late 1990s and is renowned for enabling students to solve authentic design and engineering problems in countless different ways.



MINDSTORMS EV3

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#### **New Hardware**

- New and more powerful Intelligent Brick
- Data logging at 1000 samples/sec
- Increased memory for complex programming
- WiFi connectivity
- SD card reader
- Enhanced speaker and display

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#### **New Software**

- · Student Workbook capture work directly in the software
- · Content Editor design and edit your own teaching materials
- 48 step-by-step tutorials for faster learning
- New programming interface - modern design, easier to get started and with extended possibilities
- complex Science analysis
- included in the Software









#### **New Motor** & Sensors

- · Gyro Sensor to accurately measure angles
- · Ball Wheel for faster builds and improved accuracy
- Ultrasonic Sensor accurate to +/-1cm
- Color Sensor to measure eight colors - no need for calibration!
- Two large motors, and one medium motor with Auto ID



**Key learning values** 

own lessons

· Using input and output devices and

producing a simple set of sequential instructions linking cause and effect

Developing and testing a system to monitor and control events
Using intuitive prediction tools to get

firsthand experience with making hypothe • Using the scientific inquiry process when

Integrating Math and Science using physical nts. units of measurement. c

systems, min, max, mean and linear formulas

The Built-in content editor enables teachers

to customize the curriculum and create their

thering and analyzing data sets



The single license version of the EV3 Software allows you to install and run the software on one computer at a time. See below for further license information

#### **LME EV3 Software Site License**



This powerful, easy to learn, easy to use software for programming and data logging is based on National Instruments LabVIEW<sup>™</sup>. This is the industry-leading graphical system design software used by scientists and engineers worldwide. It is optimized for classroom use and follows the very latest developments in intuitive software design and is really student-friendly.

Programming with the EV3 Software is done by dragging and dropping iccons into a line in order to form commands. The language's graphical interface lets students build simple programs, and then easily and intuitively build on their skills until they are developing complex algorithms.

The software's data logging feature is a powerful science tool for carrying out experiments. It is easy to collect, view, analyze and manipulate data from sensors and see the data in interactive graphs. Its unique feature, known as graph programming, makes experiments come alive as students can set threshold values for sensors, such as making a sound when a certain temperature is detected by the built-in sensor.

The in-built Content Editor enables teachers to customize the curriculum and create their own lessons. It enables students to capture their work directly inside the content creating their own digital workbook, making classroom management and assessment easier.

The software comes with the Robot Educator learning tool that summarizes what the LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education software is about. It includes 48 step-by-step multimedia tutorials designed to help educators and students master basic and advanced programming as well as hardware and data logging functions. Just add the core set and you're ready to go!

#### LME EV3 Core Set 45544 1-3 **22** 541 WWW (0-21 yrs

This core set is optimized for classroom use and contains all you need to teach using the exciting LEGO® MINDSTORMS® set. It enables students to build, program and test their solutions based on real life robotics technology. It contains the EV3 Intelligent Brick, a powerful small computer that makes it possible to control motors and collect sensor feedback. It also enables BT and WiFi communication as well as providing programming and data logging. Students are encouraged to brainstorm in order to find creative solutions to problems and then develop them through a process of selecting, building, testing and evaluating them. This is also an excellent way of getting students to talk to each other and cooperate as well as giving them hands-on experience with an array of sensors, motors and intelligent units. Instructions for addition models are included in the software. The set also comes in a sturdy storage box with a sorting tray for easy classroom use and storage. The software and battery charger are sold separately.



#### The set includes:

- EV3 Intelligent brick Three interactive servo motors with
- built-in rotation sensor
- · Built-in rotation sensor and ultrasonic sensor
- Color/light sensor, gyro sensor, Ultrasonic sensor and two touch sensors
- · Rechargeable battery
- Ball wheel
- Connecting cables Building Instructions for the Robot Educator model

 LEGO® Technic building bricks for creating a vast variety of models

#### **Key learning values**

- building, testing and evaluating Brainstorm to find creative
- ative solutions · Learn to comm nicate, share idea
- and work together
- Hands-on experience with sensors motors and intelligent units

LME EV3 **Expansion Set** 45560 1-3 www 10-21 yrs

This set contains a wide range of elements and is an ideal supplement to the EV3 Core Set. It has been designed to allow students to take their experience of robotics to the next level. There are plenty of special elements here, such as different gears a large turntable, robot personalization parts and unique structural elements. These are joined by many extra standard elements like beams, axles and connectors. This set both helps students build larger and more complex models while at the same time providing extra or replacement elements. The set is optimized for use in the classroom and after school programs or robotics competitions. It will be delivered in a sturdy and stackable plastic storage bin. You can download additional building instructions and programs for several models from LEGOeducation.com/ MINDSTORMS.



#### **EV3 Space Challenge Set**

This theme-based set guides students through LEGO® MINDSTORMS® EV3 building and programming and makes a great introduction to the exciting world of robotics. It contains three learning mats, a Challenge mat, dual lock tape and lots of elements needed in the Challenge models. The set will show your class how robotics can be applied to a range of real-world applications and get them working together to solve realistic problems described in the Learning Missions part of the 2005570 Space Challenge Activity Pack. Have your class apply skills from the STEM subjects as they build, test and then see how effective their models are. These can also be found in the 2005570 Space Challenge Activity Pack. The Space Challenge Set requires 45544, 2005570 and 2000046.

#### **Key learning values**

- · Easy start with robotics
- · Apply robotics to real-world appli Involvement in problem-solving
- Teamwork skills
- Hands-on engagem
  Develop solutions ent with STEM subjects
- Build, test and evaluate
- Experience of program and intelligent units ng, sensors, motors

#### **EV3 Space Challenge Activity Pack** 2005574 (www)(10+ yrs)

This series of classroom-tested and easily-implemented lessons will help you teach STEM concepts. The Space Challenge enables students to take responsibility for their own learning. They will work as young scientists and engineers, immersing themselves in motivating STEM activities that prompt creative problem-solving communication and teamwork



#### **EV3 Design Engineering Projects** 2005544 (www) (10+ yrs)

New from LEGO<sup>®</sup> Education for the EV3 platform is Design Engineering Projects, a curriculum package with 30 hours of classroom instruction and open-ended problem-solving activities that make learning of science, technology, engineering and mathematics through real-life robotics engaging and fun for students.

#### The curriculum features three main sections with five design projects per section for a total of 15 projects:

 Make it Move: Students are challenged to design, build and program robots that move using motors with rotation sensors. In five projects, students apply mathematics and science knowledge to create robots that measure distance, measure speed, move without using wheels, maximize power to move up an incline, and move and turn to create regular polygons. Students will also apply their knowledge of simple and complex machines and use ratios to describe proportional relationships.

Make it Smarter: Students are challenged to add sensors to their robots to control behavior and to measure, graph and analyze sensor data. In five projects, students develop robots that use sensors that measure ambient and reflected light, distinguish specific colors, measure distance from an object, recognize a touch sensor state (pressed or not pressed, or pressed and released), and measure angular displacement or rate of change.

 Make a System: Students are challenged to design, build, and program robotics systems built from subsystems. In five projects, students develop systems that move a ball, pick and place objects, simulate manufacturing, sort colors, and communicate their location. Students test their system, gather data, and use that evidence to engineer system optimizations and improve



#### **LME EV3 Science Activity Pack** 2005576 (www) 10+ yrs)

Developed together with Fraunhofer, Europe's largest application-oriented research organization, in close collaboration with Science teachers, this activity pack consists of 14 experiments within the Physical Science curriculum area utilizing the data logging capabilities of the MINDSTORMS EV3 hardware and software. More specifically, the experiments are centered on Renewable Energy (energy production and consumption), Thermal Physics (boiling/melting points and heat transmission), Mechanics (forces and motions) and Light (light intensity). Each experiment is structured to fit within a 45-90min Science lesson with small but engaging LEGO models that do not require a lot of time for building and programming.

The Science activity pack will launch in March 2014 in German, Us English and UK English. Additional language versions are to be launched in June 2014.



Models shown above are examples of what can be built with this set



#### **Key learning values**

- Learn and use engineering design process skills
  Understand and use mathematical skills and concepts, such as proportions and ratios, graphing data and digit comput
- Apply knowledge of science concepts, such as speed and wer, motion and stability, and forces and interactions Understand cross-cutting concepts, such as systems, patterns, structure and function, and logical thinking
- Understand the core concepts of technology
  Understand the role of troubleshooting, invention and innovation, and experimentation in problem solving · Plan and manage activities to develop a solution
- or complete a project
  Demonstrate creative thinking and construct
- knowledge using technology Use digital media and enviro
- and work collabo





**Transformer 10V DC** 1 (www) (8+ yrs

This standard 10V DC transformer allows you to recharge your 9693 Rechargeable Battery DC or 8878 Power Functions Rechargeable Battery Box.

#### **EV3 Intelligent Brick** 45500 📢 1 (www) 10+ yrs)

This programmable, intelligent brick serves as the heart and brain of LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education EV3 robots. It features an illuminated six-button interface that changes color to indicate the brick's active state, a high-resolution black and white display, built-in speaker, USB port, a mini SD card reader, four input ports and four output ports. The brick also supports USB, Bluetooth and WiFi communication with a computer and has a programming interface that enables programming and data logging directly onto the brick. It is compatible with mobile devices and is powered by AA batteries or the EV3 Rechargeable DC Battery. The brick

- ARM 9 processor with Linux-based operating system · Four input ports for data acquisition of up to 1000 samples
- per/sec
- Four output ports for execution of commands • On-board program storage including 16 MB of Flash
- memory and 64 MB of RAM
- Mini SDHC card reader for 32 GB of expanded memory Illuminated, three-color, six-button interface that indicates the brick's active state
- · Hi-resolution 178x128 pixel display enabling detailed araph viewing and sensor data observation
- High-quality speaker · On-brick programming and data logging that can
- be uploaded into the EV3 software
- Computer-to-brick communication through on-board
- USB, or external WiFi or Bluetooth dongles USB 2.0 host enabling bricks to be linked in a daisy chain, allows WiFi communication and connection to
- USB memory sticks
- · Powered by six AA batteries or the 2050 mAh lithium ion EV3 Rechargeable DC Battery



#### **EV3 Rechargeable DC Battery** 45501 1 www.10+yrs

The lithium ion EV3 Rechargeable DC Battery is designed for use with the EV3 Intelligent Brick and features a capacity of 2050 mAh. It provides longer run time than AA batteries and can be charged without taking the model apart. The battery is included in the EV3 Education Core Set and has a charge time of around three to four hours. It requires the 8887 DC Charger, which is the same charger as used for the rechargeable NXT DC Battery. These are sold separately.



#### **EV3 Large Servo Motor** 15502 🚯 1 (www)(10+ yrs

The EV3 Large Servo Motor is a powerful motor that uses tacho feedback for precise control to within one degree of accuracy. By using the built-in rotation sensor, the intelligent motor can be made to align with other motors on the robot so that it can drive in a straight line at the same speed. It can also be used to give an accurate reading for experiments. The motor case design also makes it easy to assemble gear trains.

- Tacho feedback to one degree of accuracy • 160-170 RPM
- Running torque of 20 N/cm (approximately 30 oz/in) Stall torque of 40 N/cm (approximately 60 oz/in)
- Auto-ID is built into the EV3 software





The temperature sensor is a digital sensor powered by the NXT brick. Using the NXT brick and NXT software version 2.0, it can be calibrated to measure both Celsius and Fahrenheit (-20 °C to +120 °C/-4 °F to +248 °F).

#### EV3 Medium Servo Motor 45503 1 www.10+yrs



The EV3 Medium Servo Motor is great for lower-load, higher speed applications and when faster response times and a smaller profile are needed in the robot's design. The motor uses tacho feedback for precise control within one degree of accuracy and has a built-in rotation sensor. Tacho feedback to one degree of accuracy · 240-250 RPM

 Running torque of 8 N/cm (approximately 11 oz/in) Stall torque of 12 N/cm (approximately 17 oz/in) • Auto-ID is built into the EV3 software

#### **EV3 Ultrasonic Sensor** 45504 1 www.10+ yrs



The digital EV3 Ultrasonic Sensor generates sound waves and reads their echoes to detect and measure distance rom objects. It can also send single sound waves to work as sonar or listen for a sound wave that triggers the start of a program. Students could design a traffic-monitoring system and measure distances between vehicles, for instance. There is an opportunity to discover how the technology is used in everyday items like automatic doors, cars and manufacturing systems.

Measures distances between one and 250 cm (one to 100 in.)
 Accurate to +/- 1 cm (+/- .394 in.)

- while listening

#### **EV3 Gyro Sensor** 45505 1 www.10+yrs

The digital EV3 Gyro Sensor measures the robot's rotational motion and changes in its orientation. Students can measure angles, create balancing robots and explore the technology

• Angle mode measures angles with an accuracy of +/- 3

degrees Gyro mode has a maximum output of 440 degrees/second



The digital EV3 Color Sensor distinguishes between eight different colors. It also serves as a light sensor by detecting light intensities. Students can build color sorting and line-following robots, experiment with light reflection of different colors, and gain experience with a technology that is widely used in industries like recycling, agriculture and packaging · Measures reflected red light and ambient light, from

- darkness to very bright sunlight
- Capable of detecting eight colors. It can tell the difference between color or black and white, or between blue, green, yellow, red, white and brown

· Front illumination is constant while emitting and blinks

 Returns true if other ultrasonic sound is recognized · Auto-ID is built into the EV3 software



that powers a variety of real-world tools like Segway® navigation systems and game controllers.

Sample rate of 1 kHz

Auto-ID is built into the EV3 software





Sample rate of 1 kHz

· Auto-ID is built into the EV3 software





The analog EV3 Touch Sensor is a simple but exceptionally precise tool that detects when its front button is pressed or released and is able to count single and multiple presses. Students can build start/ stop control systems, create maze-solving robots and uncover the technology's use in devices such as digital musical instruments, computer keyboards and kitchen appliances.

· Cross-axle hole on button Auto-ID is built into the EV3 software



This has been designed for use with the EV3 Infrared Sensor. The beacon emits an infrared signal which the sensor can track. The beacon can also be used as a remote control for the EV3 brick through signals sent to the infrared sensor.

- · Requires two AAA batteries
- · Four individual channels · Includes a beacon button and toggle switch to activate/deactivate
- Green LED indicating if the beacon is active
- · Auto power-down if the unit is not in action for
- one hour • Working distance of up to two meters







#### EV3 Cable Pack 45514 7 www 10+ yrs

This Cable Pack contains the same seven RJ12 Connector Cables as included in the 45544 EV3 Core Set. The cables can also be used with NXT.

Use these seven connector cables to expand your EV3 element set and get even more out of your EV3 experience The Pack contains:

4 x 25 cm/10 in. cables

• 2 x 35 cm/14 in. cables

• 1 x 50 cm/20 in. cables

#### **EV3 Infrared Sensor**



The digital EV3 Infrared Sensor detects proximity to the robot and reads signals emitted by the EV3 Infrared Beacon. Students can create remotelycontrolled robots, navigate obstacle courses and learn how infrared technology is used in TV remotes, surveillance systems and even in target acquisition equipment.

- Proximity measurement of approximately 50-70 cm Working distance from the beacon of up to two meters
- Supports four signal channels
- · Receives IR remote commands
- · Auto-ID is built into the EV3 software





# **YOUR STUDENTS** TO BECOME TOMORROW'S INNOVATORS

Get your students thinking like real scientists and engineers! Enter them into the LEGO<sup>®</sup> Education supported *FIRST*<sup>®</sup> LEGO League and World Robot Olympiad contests - and watch as they gain invaluable knowledge, life skills, and increased self-confidence!

CHALLENGE

#### WORLD ROBOT OLYMPIAD

The World Robot Olympiad (WRO) is targeted at children aged 8-19. Taking place in 40+ countries, over 60,000 students participate across three exciting categories:

• Regular - Design and program robots that solve challenging and fun tasks

· Open - Create and present theme-based robotics solutions • WRO GEN II Football - teams of two robots play head-tohead in action-packed football

tournaments.

## WRO

FIRST LEGO League (FLL®) is inquiry-based, cross-curricular learning at its best! FLL offers an annual challenge with two parts:

FIRST<sup>®</sup> LEGO LEAGUE

• Research assignment (the "Project") - research and come up with innovative ideas for solving

a real-world problem "Robot Game" – design and

program a robot to solve missions on a special obstacle course. Through the process the students obtain

core life skills ("Core Values") such as: · Problem-solving, critical thinking and team-work.

FLL is open for children aged 9-16 (9-14 in USA/CAN/MX).

More than 200,000 children in 70 countries are involved in FLL on an annual basis.

Find out how you can join the challenging fun at FIRSTLEGOleague.org

#### INTRODUCES THE YOUNGEST CHILDREN TO THE FASCINATING WORLDS OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY. Teams can participate in Jr.FLL For children aged 6-9 Junior FIRST<sup>®</sup> LEGO<sup>®</sup> League (Jr.FLL<sup>®</sup>) is events where volunteer Reviewers a hands-on program designed to interview the teams and teams can capture young children's curiosity also show off their work on the and direct it toward discovering Jr.FLL Online Showcase. All the how science and technology teams are celebrated and leave impact the world around them. with an award. This program features a real-Find out how you can get young world challenge, to be explored children hooked on science through research, critical thinking and technology at and imagination. Guided by adult jrFIRSTlegoleague.org coaches team members work with LEGO elements and motorized moving parts to build ideas and concepts, and describe it in their Show Me Poster



# that EV3 is faster than NXT?

It reads sensor values faster, executes programs faster, and provides sample rates of up to 1000 samples/sec.







This set enables students to build and program real-life robotic solutions. Includes the programmable NXT Brick, providing on-brick programming and data logging, three interactive servo motors, ultrasonic, sound, light and two touch sensors, a rechargeable battery, connecting cables, and full-color building instructions. Software (2000080) and battery charger (9833/8887) are sold separately.

#### **Key learning values**

- · Developing solutions, selecting, building,
- testing and evaluating Brainstorm to find creative a solutions
- · Learn to communicate, share idea
- and work together
- Hands-on experience with ser motors and intelligent units

#### LEGO® MINDSTORMS® **Education Resource Set** 1.3 👥 🚱 817 9695 (www) (8+ yrs

This set features a wide range of elements that allow you to build and program  ${\rm MINDSTORMS}^{\oplus}$  robots with even more functions than ever before. Includes plenty of special elements such as belts, unique connectors, a worm gear, structural elements, as well as other LEGO® elements like beams, axles and connectors. It is the ideal supplement to your 9797 Base Set for classroom after school or robotic competition use! Download free building instructions and programming examples for several great robots on LEGOeducation.com.



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The site license agreement allows LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education NXT software to be used on any compatible computer at the purchasing institution. Is necessary when installing the software on more than one computer. Requires pre-purchase of 2000077/2000080 MINDSTORMS® Education NXT Software.

#### LEGO® MINDSTORMS® **Education NXT Software v.2.1**



This powerful, easy-to-use software for programming and data logging is icon based. It incorporates a Robot Educator step-by-step guide with 46 tutorials, from beginner to advanced levels. Data logging functionalities, including graph viewer, make it easy to collect and analyze data from sensors. The software incorporates a comprehensive digital user manual and is based on LabVIEW.

#### **Science and Data Logging Activity Pack**



This activity pack gives you four real-life science activities and one research project providing up to 25 hours of instruction. The activities are divided into four themes: Motion, Light and Color, Heat and Sound. The research project centers around data gathering and analysis for sensor-based inspection of aging bridges. Developed by Carnegie Mellon University's Robotics Academy, it includes video clips, worksheets and teacher introduction materials NXT Temperature Sensor (9749) and NXT Software v.2.0 (2000080) are required.







#### **ROBOTC Software Classroom License v.2.0**



ROBOTC is a powerful C-based programming language with a Windows environment for writing and debugging programs, and the only programming language at this level that offers a comprehensive, real-time debugger. It allows students to learn the type of C-based programming used in advanced education and professional applications. ROBOTC is developed by the Carnegie Mellon Robotics Academy and designed for use with MINDSTORMS® NXT and RCX as well as TETRIX. Classroom license allows for software installation on 12 computers

#### Green City Challenge Set 9594 18 1361 WWW 9+ yrs

A theme-based set that guides students through LEGO® MINDSTORMS® building and programming in a structured way. It contains three training mats, a challenge mat and lots of elements for building the challenge models, such as a power plant, wind turbine and dam. The training mats provide a venue where students can test and practice their programming skills. The challenge mat offers a real life setting for solving different missions so students can apply the skills acquired through the training. Requires 9797, 2009594 and 2000080.

#### Key learning values

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Engaging in hands-on STEM education
Working with prototyping and design Acquiring problem-solving and team working skills
 Gaining hands-on experience with programming,
 sensors, motors and intelligent units



#### **Activity Pack for Green City Challenge** 2009594 (www)(9+ yrs)

This CD ROM activity pack is ideal as a step-by-step introduction to robotics in the classroom or as preparation for robotics competitions. The seven easy-to-follow training activities, each supported by student worksheets, guide the students from simple to more advanced programming. They are then challenged to apply their programming and problem-solving skills by making their robots solve real-world engineering challenges related to renewable energy. Comprehensive teacher notes provide everything needed for easy implementation, including programming examples, building instructions, mission and rules, ways to differentiate, extension ideas, and more. Also includes a project that can be used for further research into the challenge topic of renewable energy. Provides 45 hours of tuition. Requires 9797, 9594 and 2000080.



#### **ROBOTC Software** Single License v.2.0

#### 2000081 (www)(14+ yrs)

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#### LEGOeducation.com

#### **Key learning values**

- Using input and output devices and producing a simple set of sequential instructions linking cause and effectDeveloping and testing a system to
- monitor and control events Using intuitive prediction tools to get first
- hand experience with making hypothesis
  Using the scientific inquiry process when gathering and analysing data sets
  Integrating Math and Science using physical constants, units of measurement
- coordinate systems, min, max, mean and linear formulas

#### **Key learning values**

- Measuring distance, time and speed using linear formulas
  Experimenting with light reflection
- and absorpti
- Investigating properties of sound with focus on amplitude and frequency
  Experimenting with transfer of thermal
- energy by testing the effect of conduction,



# Robotics Engineering Volume 1: Introduction to Mobile Robotics

#### 2009787 (www) (12+ yrs)

Getting started in the classroom - this two-CD set provides 45 hours of tuition divided up in 6 main projects, 6 investigations, 3 anytime projects and 3 end-of-project activities. Developed by Carnegie Mellon University's Robotics Academy it is a comprehensive step-by-step guide to robotics engineering. Includes presentations, video clips, worksheets and extensive teacher introduction materials. Activities can be extended to include guided research projects, see 2009788.

### **More Opportunities with 3rd Party Products**

A wide range of LEGO® MINDSTORMS® Education compatible 3rd party products are available to support and expand your robotics experience both inside and outside the classroom. They provide even more opportunities to carry out curriculum-relevant activities, experiments and data collection.

For both EV3 and NXT, different partners have developed sensors or sensor adaptors that are tested and certified by LEGO. These products come in original LEGO MINDSTORMS sensor housing and are accompanied by matching programming blocks for the EV3 and NXT software environments. The list of 3rd party sensor companies includes, among other, HiTechnic, Vernier and DCP Microdevelopments.

#### Visit LEGOeducation.com or contact vour local dealer for more information.



#### LabVIEW for LEGO® MINDSTORMS®

NI LabVIEW for LEGO® MINDSTORMS® National Instruments LabVIEW for LEGO® MINDSTORMS® software is a new education-focused version of the company's professional LabVIEW graphical system design software used by scientists and engineers. Developed specifically for high school students to use with the LEGO Education robotics platform in classrooms or after-school robotics competitions, LabVIEW for LEGO MINDSTORMS is a teaching tool that helps students visually control and program MINDSTORMS robots. The desktop software turns any LEGO MINDSTORMS Education set into a full feature science and engineering learning station, preparing students for university courses and engineering

#### **TETRIX<sup>™</sup> by PITSCO Revolutionary Metal Building System** for LEGO<sup>®</sup> MINDSTORMS<sup>®</sup> Education

Add a new dimension to LEGO MINDSTORMS Education robots! TETRIX® is the only metal building system endorsed by the LEGO Group for use with LEGO® MINDSTORMS®. Developed in close collaboration with LEGO Education, TETRIX is an excellent add-on for high school and higher education, and is also available for use in FIRST Tech Challenge and WRO. The TETRIX platform includes a wide variety of aluminum structural and motion elements, many types and sizes of metal gears, durable and powerful DC and servo motors, and the patented Hard Point Connector that enables the connection of TETRIX elements to LEGO Technic. VisitLEGOeducation.com or contact your local dealer for more information.

#### **TUFTS UNIVERSITY** Outreach and development partner for more than 15 year

Tufts' Center for Engineering Educational Outreach, CEEO, in Boston, USA, has worked with LEGO Education for many years. The center was a major partner in development of the first LEGO® MINDSTORMS® resources for schools in the 1990s; helping to create the innovative software interface for the RCX brick.

Today CEEO still supports development of LEGO Education resources across the portfolio, researching new and even more effective ways to bring engineering and design processes to teachers and students of all ages.

Tufts outreach programs are founded on the principle of providing students with open-ended challenges to engage their problem-solving skills and to learn Science, Technology, Engineering and Math.

With LEGO Engineering Conferences, which are also supported by CEEO, we are able to bring together teachers to learn from each other and spread the passion for teaching engineering in the classroom. For more details see LEGOengineering.com

Center for Engineering Education and Outreach

"We have worked with LEGO MINDSTORMS products since the late 90's and have found the robotics platform has significant benefits in student motivation, student understanding of math, science and engineering skills. Our research with both 8-year-olds and 18-year-olds provides evidence that with these robotics sets, students are able to solve authentic engineering problems in many different ways"

Quote Chris Rogers, Professor, Tufts University, USA

# Don't just take our word for it...

I have never known any learning tool like LEGO MINDSTORMS Education for teaching problem-solving skills. Students keep trying to make their own robots to achieve a goal and through this process they predict. find problems, solve problems and collaborate with friends. These skills are very important for their future.

Computer Science teacher, Japan

LEGO Education products are great for learning about Science and Fechnology as well as communication and self-expression, especially for younger children.

Robotics Teacher, Japan

Children need to be left to make their own mistakes to develop heir own ideas. UK teacher

It has made teaching mechanics and robotics easier. Computer Science teacher, UK

Because the way LEGO Education works is very pupil led and pupil centred so it encourages them to make mistakes and learn from them. UK teacher

Some of those children who are our more reluctant speakers and writers can create omething meaningful with LEGO bricks that they can talk about naturally. US teacher

It has enhanced our ability to deliver STEM. The educational benefits have been huge and we have not regretted taking up the offer - too good to resist.

STEM teacher, US



LEGO Education products are very flexible and fit any subjects in the school curricula. There is no substitute for LEGO bricks as a learning tool.

Science teacher, Japan

LEGO MINDSTORMS Education is fun and adaptable to any level of skill, age, learning target or situation. Students fail many times using MINDSTORMS and that is the greatest experience for learning.

English teacher, Japan



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