

Childrens Workbench Plans

Build a simple workbench for the young helper in your shop in just an afternoon.



Tools:

Handsaw
Drill
Kreg Pockethole Jig (Optional)

Timber:

14 lengths pine needed, all sized 90mm x 35mm
3 x 1000mm (Rear legs and Top Rail)
2 x 600mm (Front legs)
4 x 325mm (Sides)
5 x 935mm (Front, Back and Tool Shelf lengths)

Sheet goods:

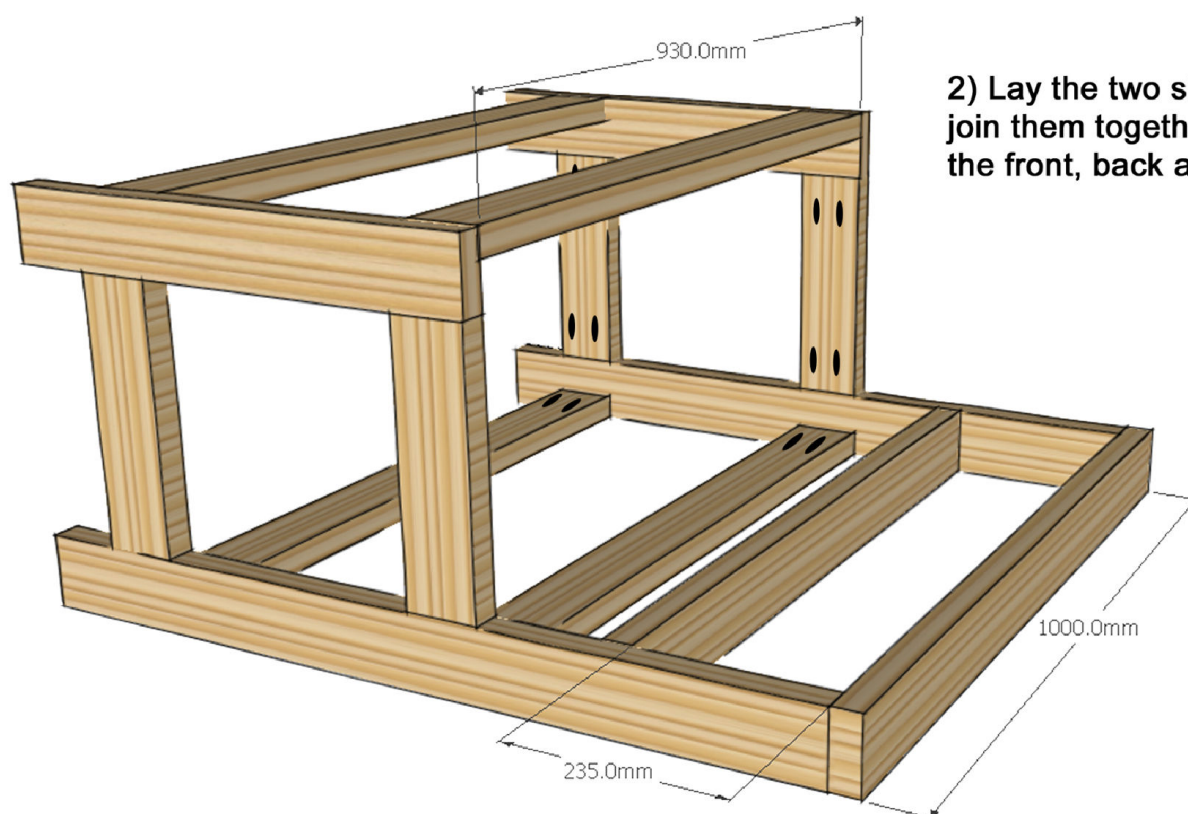
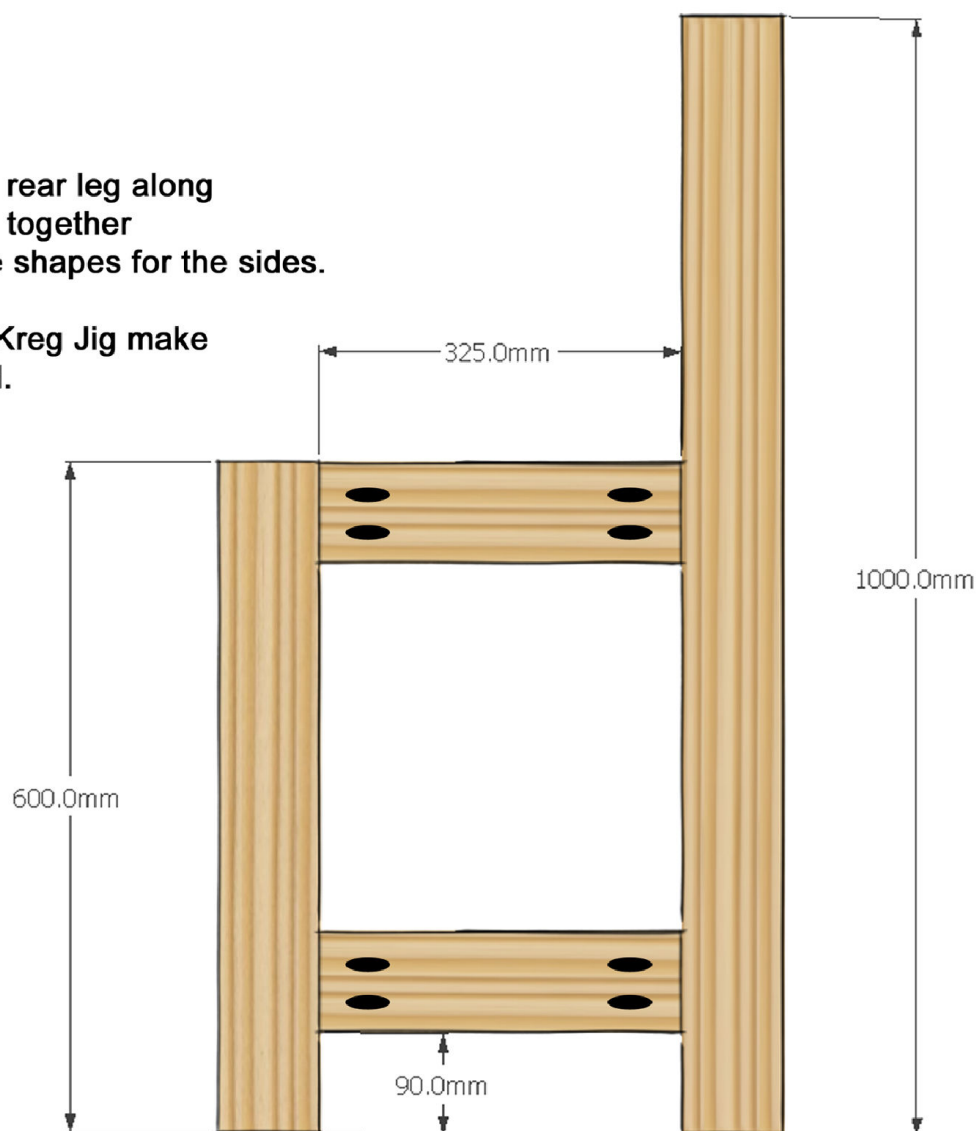
Plywood, Particle Board, MDF, etc, I used 12mm thick sheets.
1 x 1000mm x 875mm (Rear panel)
2 x 500mm x 1000mm (Work area and Bottom Shelf)

Other:

Screws as needed
4 Castors (Optional)
Blackboard Paint (Optional)

1) Screw a front and rear leg along with two of the sides together to make two of these shapes for the sides.

Pocket holes with a Kreg Jig make for a very quick build.



2) Lay the two sides down and join them together using the front, back and shelf supports.

3) Position the shelf and work top in place and mark where the notches need to be cut out for the legs to fit through.

4 corner notches for the lower shelf and 2 on the work top.



4) Screw the back panel on, and you're done!



** My son is a climber so I decided to attach the bottom shelf above the rails to provide it with more strength. (See the first image to see how I intended it to be built.)*

** Drill a few holes in the tool shelf and add some brackets to store childrens tools / craft supplies*

** Castors on the feet and blackboard paint on the back mean this can easily be moved around by children to be drawn on with chalk.*

Made one? Send me a photo!
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