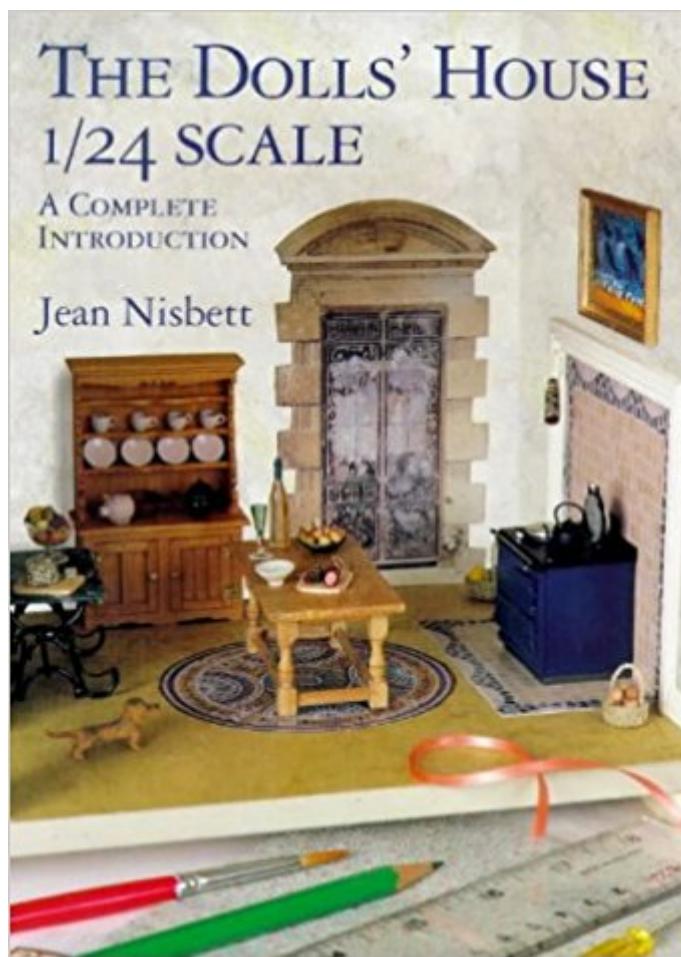


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The Dolls' House 1/24 Scale: A Complete Introduction



Synopsis

No wonder hobbyists who love to decorate and furnish dolls' houses are enthusiastically moving to 1/24 scale -- the smaller objects have a fascination and charm all their own. Find out how to create your own fully furnished and decorated 1/24 scale house: -- what materials are available and where to find them-- decorating techniques, from inexpensive to lavish-- choosing your house and deciding on a style-- details of decoration, lighting, furnishings, and dolls-- a tour through a fully decorated 1/24-scale house, complete with small buildings and a series of room box settings and gardens-- decorating a Tudor house, English cottage, Georgian house, Georgian town house, Victorian- and Edwardian-style houses and shops, and garden and seaside styles.

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For me, this book is an introductory level to 1/24 scale as stated in the title. Part One of the book includes many helpful hints and how to tips in creating a dolls' house. There is information on the style of the house and things to use in construction. Lighting, furnishing and dolls are also mentioned. Part Two gives more detail on construction and furnishing the Tudor house, the English cottage, and the Georgian house. It also touches upon shops and room boxes. In Part Three, the author gives ideas for period gardens and then goes on to touch upon formal gardens which includes a romantic garden, a Japanese tea garden, a Mediterranean courtyard, a Persian garden, a Chinese pavilion and a Seaside place. This book would be of great value to the novice person, but the many how to tips and suggestions would be of value to the experienced miniaturist. Now, I feel

more prepared to undertake the construction and completion of a doll's house..

I love miniatures and love reading about them when I am not able to work on my own dollhouses. Though, I favor 1/12 and 1" scale, I was curious about this book. I like it. It is full of color photos and lots of ideas that can work equally well in any scale. I like the way Ms. Nesbitt writes. She evidently has years of experience in the world of miniatures and it shows. If you enjoy reading about miniatures, you should enjoy this book.

I thought that because I am a novice, I would be overwhelmed with new information, but alas that was not the case. I eagerly devoured the book when it arrived and was sorely disappointed when I got to the last page. The book is written well and the photographs are lovely. My only real beef with it was the amount of pages used to explain about different houses. I would rather have seen more rooms and furniture. I thought the "The Art of the Miniature" by Jane Freeman was a better book, as it showed and explained more ideas for rooms, which I was more interested.

Kid friendly. Not as fragile as most Miniature furniture

A great resource

It's always a pleasure to buy a new book about miniatures, and I really appreciated this one. I wish there were more how-to's and actual plans, but I liked the suggestions for decorating and appreciated the photographs.

Easy read and full of good idea's. I would recommend this to anyone looking for a diet book who is a beginner.

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