

AEROCRAFT MODELS

1/48 SR-71 A Replacement undercarriage for Revell kit

Remove the 3D printed parts from the supports by using a fine razor saw, sharp sprue cutters can be used but take care or continuous scribing with a sharp scalpel. The 3D printed parts are printed with an ABS type material for maximum strength and slightly better resistance to brittleness, however due care needs to be taken as they are still brittle and very fragile. Any holes that require to be enlarged, are best done with a correct sized drill and with a hand pin vice.

Finally prepare the edges with a file or sanding board.

The parts either the printed or the brass can be glued to each other or kit parts by using a super glue, epoxy or PVA.

Please note to use the kit instructions and any required kit parts to complete the undercarriage.

These parts require only a minimal amount of modification to kit parts, all are shown in the pictures below. I have included pictures from CAD of the parts and of the actual parts supplied in the set attached to the model.

Some preparation of parts and trial fits are recommended before final assembly is carried out.



