



Happy 10th Birthday

School **Animation Competition**



Have you got what it takes to animate???

Make a stop-motion animation using LEGO

- Open to all schools in the Otago region.
- 3 categories: primary, intermediate & secondary schools.
- Teams of up to 6 students.
- Animations need to be 2 minutes or less.
- LEGO must be used for all moving parts & some scenery.
- Backgrounds and bases can be generic: painted, montage, etc.
- Entries close on Friday September 4th, 2026.
- Full details and rules attached.

Create a Lego stop-motion about your favourite celebration.

Animation Competition Rules

- * This competition is open to all schools in the Otago region.
 - * There are 3 categories
 - Primary - years 3-6
 - Intermediate - years 7-8
 - Secondary - years 9-13
 - (We will allow entries from small full-primary schools with mixed years, eg: a class with years 6, 7, 8 to enter a team in one of the categories.)
 - * The Dunedin Brick Show 2026 is celebrating its **10th Brick Show** this year so we would like you to **create a LEGO stop-motion movie showing us your favourite celebration.**
 - * Your team might choose to celebrate a birthday, winning a sports event, or a pet show. Use your imagination and have fun.
 - * The animation can be up to 2 minutes long.
- Here is an example of a stop-motion animation from a previous show
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EaWgNZjSaSM>
or check out some of the amazing LEGO animations on Youtube.
- * All the moving parts plus the majority of the setting must be made from LEGO. The background and base can be generic. Eg: Teams may decide to paint the main scene and then add LEGO trees, buildings or vehicles.
 - * Each school can enter up to two animations for each category: Primary, Intermediate or Secondary school, so choose your best animations. Teams can be up to 6 students.
 - * Register by sending your team names to brickshowcomp@gmail.com (members and team names can be updated prior to video submission).
 - * **Entries close on September 4th 2026.**
 - * Upload entries to Youtube as an UNLISTED video and email a sharable link to brickshowcomp@gmail.com on or before this date. A dropbox/google drive link can be provided as well for your entry. Email brickshowcomp@gmail.com for a link.
 - * The winning schools will be announced at the Dunedin Brick Show on Sunday October 4th.
 - * The judges decision is final.

Throughout the weekend of the Dunedin Brick Show, the animations will be screened so make sure you come along.

Good Luck everyone!

