

CODENAME

OPERATION POE

♦ Week by Week ♦

▶ EDITION	FREE TO SHARE · WEEK BY WEEK
▶ SUBJECT	Flight jacket or pilot flight suit
▶ SCHEDULE	4 weeks plan
▶ BUILD TIME	12-25 hrs
▶ FORMAT	Do this, then that

A LONG TIME AGO, IN A WORKSHOP FAR, FAR AWAY....

4 WEEKS WEEK BY WEEK

Poe Dameron – the Resistance's best pilot, the hotshot flyboy. Two looks: the brown leather flight jacket with the natural/tan Resistance henley, and the orange X-wing pilot flight suit.

Steady wins. May the Force be with you.



4 WEEKS TO POE

Week 4	Pick a look. Order the brown leather jacket, tan henley, boots, and a blaster	.
Week 3	Fit the jacket and shirt. Source the belt + holster. (Pilot look: get the orange flight suit + marked helmet.)	.
Week 2	Sort the hair (casual) or fit the helmet (pilot). Add gloves + blaster	.
Week 1	Dress rehearsal. Practise the easy, confident flyboy grin	.
APPENDIX	Quick reference & game day	.

🕒 YOUR FIRST WEEKS — WHERE MOST BUILDS DIE

Nearly every abandoned build dies in the first quarter: parts not ordered, printer not tested, nothing started. Win the first weeks — order everything, print one test piece — and the rest is downhill.



PICK YOUR BAR

*Same flyboy, three altitudes — from a thrift-rack jacket to a stitch-perfect Resistance pilot. The same build can be finished to three different bars — pick yours **now**, because builders who polish for the wrong one burn weeks.*

LEAN · €80-130

Casual

Reads as Poe Dameron at 5m: any brown moto jacket over a tan henley, jeans, and decent hair sells the hotshot pilot across a crowded room. Skip the screen-correct jacket cut, the orange flight suit, and the holster rig — silhouette and colour do the work.

EFFORT · ~12 hrs

MID · €130-200

Convention

Reads as Poe Dameron at conversation distance: most builders land here with a properly distressed brown leather jacket, the correct natural-tan Resistance henley, and a leather gun belt with a holstered blaster. Tailored fit and weathering carry the whole costume.

EFFORT · ~18 hrs

REBEL LEGION · €200+

Approved

Reads as Poe Dameron under inspection: Rebel Legion approval wants the exact jacket leather, collar, and stitch lines nailed, plus the full orange X-wing flight suit with screen-accurate chest box, harness, and helmet for the pilot variant. Every strap, decal, and patch matches reference.

EFFORT · ~25 hrs



THE FALLBACK PLAN

*A first-time build of this suit is **12–25 hrs** of hands-on work across **4 weeks**. Life happens — so decide right now what gets cut when the clock wins. Finished beats perfect.*

BEHIND EARLY Drop first: No Armour, No Codpiece. Nobody will notice at 5m.

BEHIND LATE Simplify next: Hair / Pilot Helmet, Reference & Fit, Trousers, Pilot Gloves — buy instead of make, or borrow.

EMERGENCY Every printed part has a buy option. Switching one part to bought can save a whole week.

ALWAYS The final week is for wearing it, not building it — dress rehearsal beats one more coat of paint.

🕒 THE HONEST RULE

If a piece is not started two weeks before the event, it is not in this year's costume. Build it for the next one.



PICK A LOOK. ORDER THE BROWN LEATHER JACKET, TAN HENLEY, BOOTS, AND A BLASTER

WEEK 4

Pick a look. Order the brown leather jacket, tan henley, boots, and a blaster.

PARTS IN PLAY THIS WEEK

HIGHJacket Shoulders — ⌚ 1h · €0

No separate piece.

CRITICALTan Henley Shirt — ⌚ 1h · €25

Light tan/cream, not blue — standing collar, tucked in.

CRITICALBrown Leather Jacket — ⌚ 2h · €80

Lived-in brown leather, plain collar — not a shearling bomber. The heart of the costume.

PROGRESS · PHASE 1 OF 4 · 25% THROUGH THE PLAN



FIT THE JACKET AND SHIRT. SOURCE THE BELT + HOLSTER. (PILOT LOOK: GET THE ORANGE FLIGHT SUIT + MARKED HELMET.)

WEEK 3

Fit the jacket and shirt. Source the belt + holster. (Pilot look: get the orange flight suit + marked helmet.).

PARTS IN PLAY THIS WEEK

MEDIUMHair / **Pilot Helmet** — ⌚ 2h · €30

Casual = just good hair; pilot = the marked helmet.

HIGHJacket **Shoulders** — ⌚ 1h · €0

No separate piece.

CRITICALTan **Henley Shirt** — ⌚ 1h · €25

Light tan/cream, not blue — standing collar, tucked in.

PROGRESS · PHASE 2 OF 4 · 50% THROUGH THE PLAN



SORT THE HAIR (CASUAL) OR FIT THE HELMET (PILOT). ADD GLOVES + BLASTER

WEEK 2

Sort the hair (casual) or fit the helmet (pilot). Add gloves + blaster.

PARTS IN PLAY THIS WEEK

MEDIUMHair / Pilot Helmet — ⌚ 2h · €30

Casual = just good hair; pilot = the marked helmet.

MEDIUMPilot Gloves — ⌚ 0h · €15

Optional for casual, expected for pilot.

HIGHBlaster — ⌚ 2h · €35

Pilot side-arm.

PROGRESS · PHASE 3 OF 4 · 75% THROUGH THE PLAN



DRESS REHEARSAL. PRACTISE THE EASY, CONFIDENT FLYBOY GRIN

WEEK 1

Dress rehearsal. Practise the easy, confident flyboy grin.

PROGRESS · PHASE 4 OF 4 · 100% THROUGH THE PLAN



MAY THE FORCE BE WITH YOU

"We are the spark that'll light the fire that'll burn the First Order down."

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