

CODENAME

OPERATION REVAN

♦ Build Manual ♦

▶ EDITION	PUBLIC RELEASE · FREE TO SHARE
▶ SUBJECT	Mandalorian mask + red robes + saber
▶ BUDGET	€120-350
▶ BUILD TIME	30-60 hrs
▶ TIMELINE	7 weeks

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

FROM ZERO TO REVAN

Revan – the legendary Old Republic Jedi-turned-Sith-turned-Jedi from KOTOR. The weathered grey-and-rust-red Mandalorian mask + dark red hooded robes over a cuirass + the red lightsaber. Pairs perfectly with Nihilus.

May the Force be with all who walk this path.



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READING ORDER · IF YOU READ NOTHING ELSE

Start here: [Mission Brief](#) — it tells you what you are signing up for.

Before the event: [Game Day Lines](#) — the chapter that matters at hour two.

Everything in between is your build, in order. Take it one section at a time.



READ ME FIRST

This is a field manual, not a novel — you are not meant to read it front to back. Jump to the station you need:

RIGHT NOW Mission Brief + The Mask.

BEFORE BUYING The Complete Parts List — order everything in one batch; shipping is the bottleneck.

WHILE BUILDING Work the build chapters in order; each one is a station, not a lecture.

BEFORE THE EVENT Game Day Lines — the only chapter that matters at hour two.

RUNNING LATE? Open the companion WEEK-BY-WEEK calendar and jump to your current week.

■ ONE SITTING RULE

Read Mission Brief + The Mask today. Everything else waits until its week.



PICK YOUR BAR

*Same fallen Jedi, three depths of the legend — pick how close you stand to the holocron. The same build can be finished to three different bars — pick yours **now**, because builders who polish for the wrong one burn weeks.*

LEAN · €120-180

Casual

Reads as Revan at 5m: nail the silhouette — grey mask shape, dark-red hood up, robe flowing. Skip the cuirass entirely under the cloak, run a craft-foam or resin-kit mask, and let a cheap red blade carry the rest.

EFFORT · ~25 hrs

MID · €180-260

Convention

Reads as Revan at conversation distance — where most builders land. Add a real layered cuirass and a plate under the robe, weather the mask with grey-and-rust drybrushing, and upgrade to a hilt-and-blade saber that survives a hallway photo.

EFFORT · ~40 hrs

SCREEN-ACCURATE · €350+

Approved

Reads as Revan under inspection: a vac-formed or sculpted Mandalorian mask with crisp eye-slits and accurate verdigris, a proper sculpted cuirass, dyed multi-tone red cloak with hand-aged hems, and a machined-grade hilt. The KOTOR lifetime piece that pairs cleanly with Nihilus.

EFFORT · ~60 hrs



THE FALLBACK PLAN

*A first-time build of this suit is **30–60 hrs** of hands-on work across **7 weeks**. Life happens — so decide right now what gets cut when the clock wins. Finished beats perfect.*

BEHIND LATESimplify next: Sash, Reference & Fit, Trousers, Tall Boots — buy instead of make, or borrow.

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

ALWAYSThe 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.



THE COUNTDOWN

The whole plan on one page — tick the boxes as the weeks fall. The full week-by-week calendar is a separate companion PDF.

Weeks 7–6 ☐ Plan + order filament, dark red fabric, mask print

Weeks 5–4 ☐ Print + finish the mask — crossed red+grey pattern

Week 3 ☐ Sew the dark red hooded cloak

Week 2 ☐ Layered inner tunic + belt + saber

Week 1 ☐ Dress rehearsal + game day



MISSION BRIEF

*This builds **Revan** — the legendary Old Republic Sith/Jedi from KOTOR.*

The iconic grey-and-rust-red Mandalorian mask + dark red hooded robes + a red blade.



THE MASK

It's a MANDALORIAN T-visor, painted with a crossed red+grey pattern.

THE PATTERN

Black base, then red on the visor sides, then grey lines forming the crossed pattern across the brow and cheeks. Reference images are essential.

Eyes & Fit

Back the eye openings with dark mesh you can see through, and confirm vision before finishing. The mask sits inside the deep hood, so leave room for both — the hood frames the mask.



THE ROBES

Floor-length dark RED hooded cloak.

Wine red, not bright. Heavier than a Jedi robe.

The Layers

- ▶ **Inner robe/tunic** — dark red, layered.
- ▶ **Hooded outer robe** — the deep hood frames the mask.
- ▶ **The cape** — long and flowing, often with a structured collar, over the robe. It gives Revan that heroic, dramatic movement — lose the cape and you lose the legend.
- ▶ **Wide belt + sash** — dark, with a clip for the saber.



OLD REPUBLIC ERA

Everything is slightly chunkier than modern Star Wars.

The mask, the saber hilt, the gauntlets — all blockier and more medieval-feeling than later eras.



PAIR WITH NIHILUS

If you have a friend building Nihilus, you have an instant KOTOR mini-line.

The masks pair perfectly: bone-white Nihilus + red-and-grey Revan.



THE LIGHTSABER

Red blade, blocky Old Republic hilt.

Not the sleeker modern designs.



BUILDER TIPS

- ▶ Mask: crossed red+grey on black.
- ▶ Wine red robe, hooded.
- ▶ Old Republic = blockier.
- ▶ I am Revan reborn.

Move Like a Legend

Tall, composed, unhurried — Revan has seen and done everything. Let the cape and robes flow; turn slowly so they move. The masked stare needs no expression — stillness reads as power. Hood up, mask forward: the reveal is just standing there.



SABER CRAFT

*The blade is half the costume — fight like the character. **Old Republic style**, wielded single.*

STYLE · OLD REPUBLIC STYLE

Four thousand years before the films, the seven forms weren't yet carved in stone — Revan fought as a strategist, folding saber work, Force mastery, and battlefield cunning into a single weapon. Reads closest to Form VI Niman, the balanced blend that trades flash for total flexibility. No source pins Revan to a numbered form — the Revanchist rewrote every rulebook he touched, so an unclassifiable Old Republic style is the honest answer.

BLADE

● Red — chunky rectangular Old Republic hilt — the Dark Lord's blade

WIELD

single

Drill it

Alternate one saber cut with one open-palm Force-push gesture, blade-power-blade — Revan's rhythm is never just the sword. Keep the footwork square and the mask facing forward.

▲ DUEL SAFELY

Duel-grade polycarbonate blades only, never thin display tubes. Agree intensity before you start, no strikes to head or hands, and staff or dual spins need a full 3m of clear space.



GAME DAY LINES

The costume gets you noticed — the **lines** make it unforgettable. Say them in character, time the pauses, and let the laughs land.

● ● MORE GAME DAY LINES

- ▶ “I’ve saved the Republic twice before. I’ve fought Mandalores and armies of the dark side. You won’t stop me.” — *from The Old Republic* — *build it up so the last four words land like thunder*
- ▶ “I am Darth Revan, Dark Lord of the Sith. Those who use the dark side are also bound to serve it.” — *from his holocron* — *slow and deep, let the mask do the work*

😄 FOR LAUGHS — KID EDITION

- ▶ I forgot my own name once. Forgetting my homework? Rookie stuff.
- ▶ I have returned... from the lunch line. And before me, these fries are nothing.
- ▶ Some call me a hero. Some call me a villain. My teacher calls me 'late.'

COMPLETE PARTS LIST

Every piece referenced in this manual, grouped by where you get it. Shop in batches — fewer trips, fewer forgotten items.

PRINT THESE PARTS

Your 3D-printing queue. Test-print one piece before committing the whole suit.

- **Revan mask** — Black + crossed red+grey pattern.
- **Old Republic saber hilt** — Blocky.

BUY THESE

Order all at once — shipping is the bottleneck.

- **Floor-length dark RED hooded cloak** — Wine red, not bright.
- **Black/dark red layered inner tunic** — Layered.
- **Wide black leather belt + clip** — Old Republic style.
- **Dark trousers + tall boots** — Hidden under robe.
- **Black gloves** — Both hands.
- **Mask paints** — Black + red + grey for the pattern.

3D FILES & SOURCES

Where to find the printable files and reference standards. Nothing copyrighted is hosted here — these point to community designers and costume-club resources. Always check a model's licence before printing.

Revan mask STL

Thingiverse

[► thingiverse.com](https://www.thingiverse.com/thing/1000000)

Old Republic saber STL

Thingiverse

[► thingiverse.com](https://www.thingiverse.com/thing/1000000)

Full Revan cosplay reference

RPF forums

[► therpf.com](https://www.therpf.com)

501st standards

501st.com

[► 501st.com](https://www.501st.com)



THE REPAIR KIT

Everything breaks at hour two. A sandwich bag with these seven things turns a costume emergency into a two-minute pit stop.

SUPER GLUE GELReattaches snapped prints and popped seams in 60 seconds. Gel doesn't run.

BLACK GAFFER TAPEInvisible on dark builds — holds a cracked plate through a whole event.

SAFETY PINS + VELCROInstant strap repair, hem fix, cape re-hang.

ZIP TIES (BLACK)Broken buckle, loose greeble, sagging belt box — tie it and move on.

PAINT PEN (BLACK + SILVER)Covers scratches and scuffed edges between photos.

SPARE BATTERIESFor LEDs and soundboards. The saber always dies at the door.

MICROFIBRE CLOTHHelmet fingerprints, lens fog, dusty boots.

■ PACK IT THE NIGHT BEFORE

One bag, one pocket (or a helper's backpack). If you have to go looking for glue, it is already too late.



QUICK JUMP

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MAY THE FORCE BE WITH YOU

"I am Revan reborn. And before me you are nothing."

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