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User's Manual

Touch & Teach Tablet



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VTech understands that a child's needs and abilities change as they grow and with that in mind we develop our toys to teach and entertain at just the right level...

vtech Baby

Toys that will stimulate their interest in different textures, sounds and colours

I am...

...responding to colours, sounds and textures

...understanding cause and effect

...learning to touch, reach, grasp, sit-up, crawl and toddle

Birth-36 months



Pre-School

Interactive toys to develop their imagination and encourage language development

I want...

...to get ready for school by starting to learn the alphabet and counting

...my learning to be as fun, easy and exciting as can be

...to show my creativity with drawing and music so my whole brain develops

3-6 years



Electronic Learning Computers

Cool, aspirational and inspiring computers for curriculum related learning

I need...

...challenging activities that can keep pace with my growing mind

...intelligent technology that adapts to my level of learning

...National Curriculum based content to support what I'm learning at school

4-10 years



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INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the **VTech® Touch & Teach Tablet!**

The **Touch & Teach Tablet** is the perfect introduction to teaching preschoolers early drawing, writing and basic language skills in an interactive way! It features a touch screen that enables children to trace and practise their drawing and letter writing skills directly on the interactive screen, and also features fun sounds and animations that bring their writing to life.



INCLUDED IN THIS PACKAGE

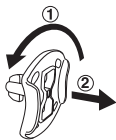
- One VTech® Touch & Teach Tablet learning toy
- One instruction manual

WARNING:

All packing materials, such as tape, plastic sheets, packaging locks and tags are not part of this toy, and should be discarded for your child's safety.

NOTE: Please keep user's manual as it contains important information.

UNLOCK THE PACKAGING LOCKS:

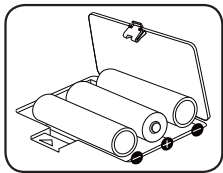


- ① Rotate the packaging lock counter-clockwise 90 degrees.
- ② Pull out the packaging lock.

GETTING STARTED

BATTERY INSTALLATION

1. Make sure the unit is **OFF**.
2. Locate the battery cover on the bottom of the unit.
3. Open the battery cover.
4. Install 3 new AA size (AM-3/LR6) batteries following the diagram inside the battery box. (The use of new alkaline batteries is recommended for maximum performance.)
5. Close the battery cover.



BATTERY NOTICE

- Use new alkaline batteries for maximum performance.
- Use only batteries of the same or equivalent type as recommended.
- Do not mix different types of batteries: alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc) or rechargeable (Ni-Cd, Ni-MH), or new and used batteries.
- Do not use damaged batteries.
- Insert batteries with the correct polarity.
- Do not short-circuit the battery terminals.
- Remove exhausted batteries from the toy.
- Remove batteries during long periods of non-use.
- Do not dispose of batteries in fire.
- Do not charge non-rechargeable batteries.
- Remove rechargeable batteries from the toy before charging (if removable).
- Rechargeable batteries are only to be charged under adult supervision.

DISPOSAL OF BATTERIES AND PRODUCT



The crossed-out wheellie bin symbols on products and batteries, or on their respective packaging, indicates they must not be disposed of in domestic waste as they contain substances that can be damaging to the environment and human health.



The chemical symbols Hg, Cd or Pb, where marked, indicate that the battery contains more than the specified value of mercury (Hg), cadmium (Cd) or lead (Pb) set out in Battery Directive (2006/66/EC).

The solid bar indicates that the product was placed on the market after 13th August, 2005.

Help protect the environment by disposing of your product or batteries responsibly.

For more information, please visit:

www.recycle-more.co.uk

www.recyclenow.com

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

On rare occasions, the touch screen may need to be re-calibrated. If you see a small “cross” appear on the top left of the screen, this means the screen may have shifted slightly and you need to adjust it back to the correct position before resuming play.



There are 5 coordinates on the screen. Starting from the 4 corners, touch each coordinate and then touch the one in the middle of the screen. Each coordinate will appear after the previous one is touched correctly. Use the stylus to touch each coordinate exactly.

Finally, touch the tick to confirm you are okay with the settings, or touch the “X” mark to restart the adjustment.

If you fail to touch any coordinate correctly, the process will restart again from the top left coordinate.

PRODUCT FEATURES

1. ON/OFF BUTTON

To turn the unit on, press the **ON/OFF BUTTON**. Press the **ON/OFF BUTTON** again to turn the unit off.



2. ACTIVITY BUTTONS

Press one of the five **ACTIVITY BUTTONS** to select an activity.



3. LETTER BUTTONS

Press the 26 **LETTER BUTTONS** to learn letters, phonics, letter-related animals, or the letter strokes, depending on the activity selected.



4. REPEAT BUTTON

Press the **REPEAT BUTTON** to hear the current instruction or animation repeated.



5. SETUP BUTTON

Press the **SETUP BUTTON** to adjust the volume and LCD contrast.



6. MUSIC ON/OFF BUTTON

Press the **MUSIC ON/OFF BUTTON** to switch the background music on or off.





7. AUTOMATIC SHUT-OFF

To preserve battery life, the **VTech® Touch & Teach Tablet** will automatically turn off after several minutes without input. The unit can be turned on again by pressing the **ON/OFF BUTTON**.



ACTIVITIES

1. Free Draw

In Free Draw, you can draw anything you'd like on the touch screen. There are several icons at the bottom of the screen. Touch the erase icon  and use the pen stylus to erase your drawing bit by bit, or touch the "X" mark to erase the whole drawing. Touch the stylus icon  to resume drawing.



When you are finished with your drawing, touch the tick icon on the screen and the screen will bring your drawing to life with a fun animation and encouraging voice.

2. Shapes & Stories

This is a progressive learning activity. First, the screen will show a menu of shapes for you to select from. After selecting a shape by touching it, the unit will first teach the player to draw some simple lines and then the shape they've chosen. After this, you'll be shown some fun stories that use the shape you've selected in a variety of objects and you'll be encouraged to draw those objects step by step.



3. Small Letter Writing

In this activity, you can pick any of the 26 letters. After you've selected a letter, the unit will show you how to write that small letter in a stroke by stroke format, using dotted lines on the screen. Then, the small letter will appear in dotted lines. Follow these dotted lines and trace the small letter yourself. You have three chances to write the small letter correctly. If you write it successfully, or after three tries, the unit will show a fun animation and teach the sound of the letter.



4. Capital Letter Writing

In this activity, you can pick any of the 26 letters. After you've selected a letter, the unit will show you how to write that capital letter in a stroke by stroke format, using dotted lines on the screen. Then, the capital letter will appear in dotted lines. Follow these dotted lines and trace the capital letter yourself. You have three chances to write the capital letter correctly. If you write it successfully, or after three tries, the unit will show a fun animation and teach the sound of the letter.



5. What's the Letter?

This is a hide and seek activity. A capital letter is covered up by an animal. Touch the animal to make him move so that you can get a quick look at the letter he's hiding. When you think you know the letter, press the letter button to guess it. You have three chances to get it correct.



CARE & MAINTENANCE

1. Keep the unit clean by wiping it with a slightly damp cloth.
2. Keep the unit out of direct sunlight and away from any direct heat source.
3. Remove the batteries when the unit is not in use for an extended period of time.
4. Do not drop the unit on a hard surface and do not expose the unit to moisture or water.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If for some reason the program/activity stops working, then please follow these steps:

1. Turn the unit OFF.
2. Interrupt the power supply by removing the batteries.
3. Let the unit stand for a few minutes, then replace the batteries.
4. Turn the unit back ON. The unit will now be ready to play again.
5. If the unit still does not work, replace with an entire set of new batteries.

If the problem persists, please call our Consumer Services Department on 01235 546810 (from UK) or +44 1235 546810 (outside UK) and a service representative will be happy to help you.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

If you have a problem that cannot be solved by using this manual, we encourage you to visit us online or contact our Consumer Services Department with any problems and/or suggestions that you might have. A support representative will be happy to assist you.

Before requesting support, please be ready to provide or include the information below:

- The name of your product or model number (the model number is typically located on the back or bottom of your product).
- The actual problem you are experiencing.
- The actions you took right before the problem started.

Internet: www.vtechuk.com

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PRODUCT WARRANTY



Thank you for choosing this quality product from VTech. We hope it will bring many hours of entertainment, imaginative play and learning.

1. The product detailed above is covered by a one year warranty from the date of purchase, against any defects in materials or workmanship.
2. The product may be returned to the place of purchase. Alternatively the product can be returned to VTech Electronics Europe plc (see address below), with proof of purchase, without proof of purchase no replacement will be provided.
3. VTech Electronics Europe plc will examine the product and if it is found to be defective due to faulty materials or workmanship, will replace the product at their discretion.
4. If the product covered by this warranty is damaged due to misuse, modification or unauthorised repair, or because of faulty batteries, battery discharge or incorrect electrical connections, then this warranty becomes void.
5. This warranty is personal to the original purchaser and is not transferable.
6. Breakages to the LCD screen are not covered by the warranty.
7. Returns to VTech Electronics Europe plc should include a cheque or postal order for £1.50 towards the cost of return postage and packaging.
8. Products returned to VTech Electronics Europe plc, should be addressed as follows and packed carefully to avoid damage in transit (Please do not include batteries or adaptor).
Please include details of the fault together with your name and address.

VTech Electronics Europe plc, c/o Tablogix Limited, 200 Milton Park, Abingdon, Oxon OX14 4TA

THIS WARRANTY IS OFFERED AS AN EXTRA BENEFIT AND DOES NOT AFFECT CONSUMERS' STATUTORY RIGHTS.

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