

Dear Parent,

*At VTech® we know how important the first day of school is for your child. To help prepare preschoolers for this important event, VTech® has developed the **Preschool Learning** series of interactive toys.*

***Preschool Learning** features fun characters and inviting school themes that use technology to capture a child's attention and teach important preschool skills like spelling, counting and the alphabet. These vital skills are taught in a way that's both fun and highly engaging to maintain a child's interest. Children will also be introduced to fun school subjects such as art class, music class and even recess! With **Preschool Learning**, learning is fun from day one!*

At VTech® we know that a child has the ability to do great things. That's why all of our electronic learning products are uniquely designed to develop a child's mind and allow them to learn to the best of their ability. We thank you for trusting VTech® with the important job of helping your child learn and grow!

Sincerely,

Your Friends at VTech®

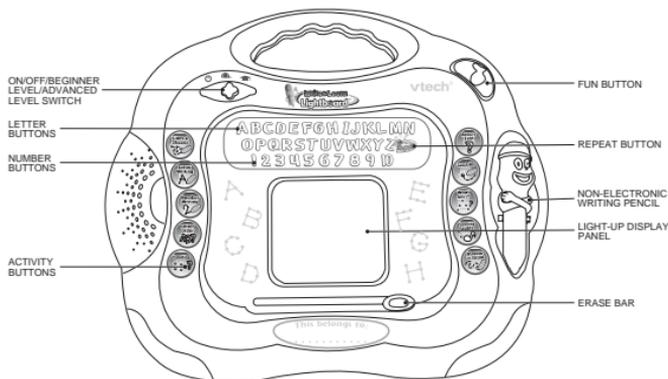
*To learn more about **Preschool Learning** and other VTech® toys, visit*

www.vtechkids.com

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the **VTech® Write & Learn Lightboard™** learning toy!

This fun-filled **Write & Learn Lightboard™** will light up your preschooler's face as he learns to write, starting with simple shape strokes and building his skills to write letters and numbers. With the help of a bright, light-up display panel, your child will simply follow the lights to learn his very first strokes! Cheerful melodies, entertaining activities and fun sounds enhance play. What a bright start in learning to write!



INCLUDED IN THIS PACKAGE

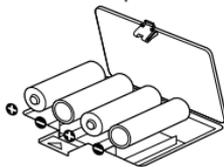
- One **VTech® Write & Learn Lightboard™** learning toy
- One instruction manual

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

GETTING STARTED

BATTERY INSTALLATION

1. Make sure the unit is turned **OFF**.
2. Locate the battery cover on the bottom of the unit and open it.
3. Install 4 new “AA” batteries following the diagram inside the battery box. (The use of new, alkaline batteries is recommended for maximum performance.)
4. Close the battery cover.



BATTERY NOTICE

- Install batteries correctly observing the polarity (+, -) signs to avoid leakage.
- Do not mix old and new batteries.
- Do not use batteries of different types.
- Remove exhausted or new batteries from the equipment when the unit will not be used for an extended period of time.
- Do not dispose of batteries in fire.
- Do not attempt to recharge ordinary batteries.
- The supply terminals are not to be short-circuited.
- Only batteries of the same and equivalent type as recommended are to be used.
- Do not mix alkaline, standard(carbon-zinc) or rechargeable (nickel-cadmium) batteries.

WE DO NOT RECOMMEND THE USE OF RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES.

NOTE: Please remove the demo tag, located on the bottom of the product, after the product is taken out of the package. If the demo tag is still in position when you begin play, please remove it to activate the normal play mode.

PRODUCT FEATURES

1. ON/OFF/BEGINNER LEVEL/ADVANCED LEVEL



To turn the unit on, slide the **ON/OFF/Beginner Level/Advanced Level Switch** to either level.

To turn the unit off, slide the **ON/OFF/Beginner Level/Advanced Level Switch** to the off position.

2. ACTIVITY BUTTONS

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



3. LETTER BUTTONS

Press the 26 **LETTER BUTTONS** to learn letters and their stroke order or to hear a response or answer in the related activities.

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
OPQRSTUVWXYZ

4. NUMBER BUTTONS

Press the ten **NUMBER BUTTONS** to learn numbers and their stroke order or to hear a response or answer in the related activities.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

5. FUN BUTTON

Press the **FUN BUTTON** to hear “The Alphabet Song” and a fun sing-along song.



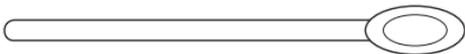
6. REPEAT BUTTON

Press the repeat button to hear the last voice or music repeated.



7. ERASE BAR

Move the **ERASE BAR** to erase your writing on the light-up display panel.



8. AUTOMATIC SHUT-OFF

To preserve battery life, the **VTech® Write & Learn Lightboard™** will automatically turn off after several minutes without input. The unit can be turned on again by sliding the **ON/OFF/Beginner Level/Advanced Level Switch** to either level.

ACTIVITIES

1. Lines & Shapes



1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.
 - **Beginner Level:** In the beginner level, the lights will light up one by one to form a line. Use the pencil to draw the line by following the lights in sequence.
 - **Advanced Level:** In the advanced level, the lights will light up one by one to form a shape. Use the pencil to draw the shape by following the lights in sequence.
2. Press a letter button to hear the letter name and a related object. For example, you will hear "A. A is for apple." You will then see the letter and the related object light up on the display panel.

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

3. Press a number button to hear the number identified and watch it light up on the display panel.

12345678910



2. Letter Writing



1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.
 - Beginner Level: In the beginner level, the letter strokes will be shown. Use your pencil to write the strokes one by one by following the lights in sequence.
 - Advanced Level: In the advanced level, a letter will be shown stroke by stroke. Use your pencil to write the entire letter in the correct stroke order.
2. Press a letter button to hear the letter name and the letter strokes identified.

ABCDEFGHIJKLMN
OPQRSTUVWXYZ

3. Press a number button to hear the number and the number strokes identified.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

3. Number Writing



1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.
 - Beginner Level: In the beginner level, the number strokes will be shown. Use your pencil to write the strokes one by one by following the lights in sequence.
 - Advanced Level: In the advanced level, the number will be shown stroke by stroke. Use your pencil to write the entire number in the correct stroke order.
2. Press a letter button to hear the letter name identified.

ABCDEFGHIJKLMN
OPQRSTUVWXYZ

3. Press a number button to hear the number and the number strokes identified.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

4. Letter Order

1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.
 - Beginner Level: In the beginner level, you will hear “The Alphabet Song” with corresponding letters shown on the light-up display panel. When the song stops, you will be asked to find the next letter. Press the letter button or use your pencil to write the correct letter to continue the song.
 - Advanced Level: In the advanced level, you will hear “The Alphabet Song” with dancing light patterns shown on the light-up display panel. When the song stops, you will be asked to find the next letter. Press the letter button or use your pencil to write the correct letter to continue the song.
2. Press a number button to hear the number identified.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

5. Counting

1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.
 - Beginner Level: In the beginner level, a number of lights will light up on the light-up display panel. Use your pencil to press the lights and count them one by one.
 - Advanced Level: In the advanced level, a number of lights will light up on the light-up display panel. Count the lights and press the number button or use your pencil to write the answer.
2. Press a letter button to hear the letter name and a related object.

ABCDEFGHIJKLMN
OPQRSTUVWXYZ

6. Memory Test

1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.

- **Beginner Level:** In the beginner level, a few letters or numbers will be shown on the light-up display panel, one by one. Press a letter or number button, or use your pencil to follow the sequence.
- **Advanced Level:** In the advanced level, more letters or numbers will be shown on the light-up display panel, one by one. Press a letter or number button, or use your pencil to follow the sequence.

7. Catch Me



1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.
 - **Beginner Level:** In the beginner level, use your pencil to press each light as it flashes. Try to keep going until your time is up!
 - **Advanced Level:** In the advanced level, use your pencil to press each light as it flashes. Try to keep going until your time is up. The lights will appear more quickly in this level.
2. Press a letter button to hear the letter name identified.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N
 O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

3. Press a number button to hear the number identified.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

8. What Am I?



1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.
 - **Beginner Level:** In the beginner level, the lights will light up one by one in stroke order to form a letter or number. Guess which letter or number is being formed before it is completely shown. Press a letter or number button, or use your pencil to write the answer.
 - **Advanced Level:** In the advanced level, the lights will light up one by one in random order to form a letter or number. Guess which letter or number is being formed before it is completely shown. Press a letter or number button, or use your pencil to write the answer.



9. Dancing Lights



1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.
 - **Beginner Level:** In the beginner level, press a letter button to hear a melody. Use your pencil to write on the light-up display panel to add some fun sounds into the melodies.
 - **Advanced Level:** In the advanced level, press a letter button to hear a melody. Use your pencil to write on the light-up display panel to add some fun sounds into the melodies.
2. Press a number button to hear the number identified.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Melody List

- A – The Alphabet Song
- B – Bingo
- C – Chopsticks
- D – Daring Young Man On The Flying Trapeze
- E – Eine Kleine Nachtmusik
- F – The Farmer In The Dell
- G – 1,2,3,4,5
- H – Happy Farmer
- I – Itsy Bitsy Spider
- J – Jack And Jill
- K – When The Saints Go Marching In
- L – London Bridge
- M – Mary Had a Little Lamb
- N – The Entertainer
- O – Old MacDonald Had A Farm
- P – Pop! Goes The Weasel



- Q – Can Can
- R – Rockin’ Robin
- S – Sailing
- T – Teddy Bear’s Picnic
- U – William Tell Overture
- V – I’ve Been Working On The Railroad
- W – Waltz Of The Flowers
- X – 1812 Overture
- Y – Yankee Doodle
- Z - The Animal Fair

10. **Doodle ‘N Draw**



1. Press the activity button to enter this activity.

- **Beginner Level:** In the beginner level, use your pencil to draw anything you like! You will hear melodies or fun sounds while drawing. Press a letter or number button to change the melody or sounds while you draw.
- **Advanced Level:** In the advanced level, use your pencil to write any letter or number as you like and it will be recognized! Press a letter or number button to learn the corresponding stroke order.



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 onto a hard surface and do not expose the unit to moisture or water.

TROUBLESHOOTING

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

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

If the problem persists, please call our Consumer Services Department at 1-800-521-2010 in the U.S. or 1-877-352-8697 in Canada, and a service representative will be happy to help you.



IMPORTANT NOTE:

Creating and developing **Preschool Learning** products is accompanied by a responsibility that we at **VTech®** take very seriously. We make every effort to ensure the accuracy of the information which forms the value of our products. However, errors sometimes can occur. It is important for you to know that we stand behind our products and encourage you to call our Consumer Services Department at 1-800-521-2010 in the U.S. or 1-877-352-8697 in Canada with any problems and/or suggestions that you might have. A service representative will be happy to help you.



NOTE:

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.