

InnoTab MAX



User's Manual

For troubleshooting tips, visit: www.vtechkids.com/tutorials/innotabmax

Register Now!

Register your InnoTab® MAX to receive:

- A one year limited warranty¹
- Two FREE VTech downloads
- One Toca Boca bonus app





- (1) CHARGE² your InnoTab® MAX using the included USB cable and adapter, and then power on the tablet.
- (2) SET the date and time, and establish a Wi-Fi connection. Touch the check mark when the Wi-Fi setup is done.
- (3) REGISTER³ your InnoTab® MAX by creating a Parent Account and assigning Kid Connect IDs for yourself and your child. Then, choose one Toca Boca bonus app⁴.
- (4) BROWSE the Learning Lodge® and select an additional two free VTech apps⁴ to download.
- (5) PLAY, LEARN & CONNECT! Have fun with your InnoTab® MAX!

¹ Please see the Warranty Sheet for details.

² The battery should be fully charged before the first use. See the **Charging the Tablet** section for details.

³ Firmware update may be required before registration.

⁴ For first-time registration and designated content only.

Key Features





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The Basics

Charging the Tablet

The battery will be partially charged when the tablet is first opened from the box. It should be fully charged before the first use. To charge and recharge the battery, please follow the instructions below.

Note: Do not try to disassemble the product to replace the battery.

- Insert the larger end of the USB cable (included) into the USB socket
 of the Power Adapter and insert the other end into the USB port on
 your InnoTab* MAX. Then, plug the Power Adapter into a wall socket.
 Note: The Power Adapter is not a toy and should only be handled by an adult.
- 2. The green light on the tablet will turn on to indicate charging is in progress. When the battery is fully charged, the light will turn off. A full charge takes about 4.5 hours with the USB Power Adapter.

Turning Your InnoTab® MAX On or Off

To turn on your tablet, press and hold the Power button for 3 seconds. You will see the **VTech*** logo. See the **Register Now!** section for instructions on your first start up.

You may turn off the tablet if it will not be used for an extended period of time. To turn off your tablet, press and hold the Power button and touch the prompt to confirm.

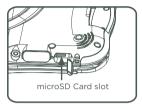
Locking and Unlocking the Tablet

By default, the InnoTab® MAX screen will be locked when it is not in use for a while.

To unlock the tablet 's screen, press the Power button to wake it up. Then drag your profile icon to the circle at the center of the screen. To lock the tablet 's screen, press the Power button once. The display will go black.

Inserting a microSD Card

You can insert a microSD memory card (not included) into your InnoTab* MAX to expand available memory for downloaded content, photos, videos or music. The InnoTab* MAX is compatible with microSD memory cards up to 32GB.





- · Make sure the tablet is turned off.
- Turn the InnoTab® MAX over, and locate the microSD card slot on the back. Insert the microSD card as shown above.

Connecting to a TV

In order to connect the InnoTab* MAX to your TV, you'll need a mini-HDMI to HDMI cable – also known as an HDMI type A to type C cable (not included). Locate the mini-HDMI port on the back of your InnoTab* MAX and insert the mini-HDMI end of the cable into your tablet. Plug the HDMI end of the cable into the HDMI jack on your TV.

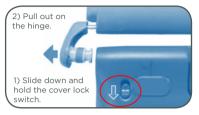
Using the Stand

The cover can protect the screen of your InnoTab* MAX when flipped to the front. Flipping the cover to the back makes a stand to provide a better viewing angle for watching videos or a photo slide show.



Detaching the Cover

The cover can be removed to make the InnoTab* MAX slimmer and more lightweight.





Repeat the steps on the other side.

Attaching the Cover



- 1) Pull out on one of the hinges of the cover.
- 2) Insert the valve into one of the sockets and push in until you hear and feel a "click."

Repeat the steps on the other side.

Wi-Fi Setup

If you want to set up a new Wi-Fi network after registration, follow the steps below:

1. From the Lock screen, drag the Parental Controls icon to the circle at the center of the screen. Then, enter your Parental Controls passcode.

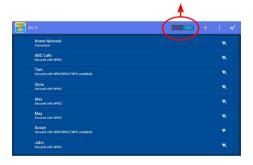
2. Touch the Wi-Fi icon



3. Make sure Wi-Fi is on. The tablet will list the available networks. Touch the network that you would like to connect to, and enter a password if needed. When the connection is set up, touch the check mark to return to the Parental Controls menu.

Note: The InnoTab* MAX supports 802.11 b/g/n wireless standards.

Touch here first to turn on Wi-Fi.



The Desktop



Profile Picture

Touch this image or press the menu button next to the screen to switch profiles or go to Parental Controls.

Cartridge

Touch this image to play an inserted InnoTab® cartridge.

System Status

Shows the time, Wi-Fi status and battery power.

Built-in Apps

There are many built-in apps including games, media players, tools and shelves. Flick left or right to see more.

Learning Lodge®

Download more content from VTech's online store.

Kid Connect

With this app, your child can send text messages, voice messages, photos, and more to your smartphone.

Downloads

Find all the apps downloaded from Learning Lodge® here.

VTech Kid Connect™



VTech Kid Connect $^{\text{TM}}$ allows you to share text messages, voice messages, photos, drawings, and stickers between your InnoTab * MAX and a smartphone or tablet.

Getting Started

- Make sure your child's InnoTab* MAX is registered. During registration you and your child will both receive a Kid Connect ID. This is a unique username that helps identify people on the network.
 - (See the Register Now! section for more information about registration.)
- Download and install the Kid Connect app on your mobile device. It can be found at the App Store for iPhone or the Google Play Store for Android.
 - (Kid Connect works with iPhone4 or above, iOS5.x or above; Android 2.3.3 or above, minimum resolution: 320x480. Some functions are only available on Android 4.0.3 or above).
- Launch the app on your mobile device and log in with your Kid Connect ID.

Managing Your Child's Contacts

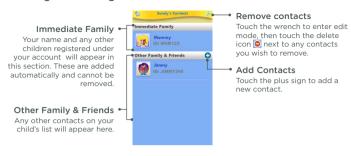
You can manage your child's contact list with the mobile version of Kid Connect.

Viewing Your Child's Contacts

Go to your contact list and touch the icon to the far right of your child's name to see all of your child's contacts.



· Adding or Removing Contacts from Your Child's List.



Sending Friend Requests and Invitations

Touch the plus icon next to "Other Family & Friends" to go to the Add New Friend screen:



Notes:

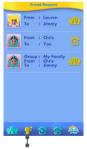
VTech recommends searching by the Kid Connect ID. Your child's Kid Connect ID can be found underneath their name in your contact list. Friend requests from smartphone to smartphone are prohibited. The app can only be used to communicate with InnoTab* users.

The "Invite New User" button can be used to invite a family member or friend who has not already joined Kid Connect. Keep in mind the invitee must have a smartphone or tablet to be able to install the Kid Connect app.



· Accepting or Rejecting Friend Requests

Touch the Friend Requests icon to view any pending friend requests for you or your children. Select a request to accept or reject it.



Touch here to view Friend Requests.

· Family Group Chat

You and any children who are registered under your account are automatically entered into your family group. Anyone in your group can communicate in the group chatroom, where all members can see and post messages.

To see who's in your family group touch the icon to the far right of your family icon in your contact list.



To add or remove members from your family group, follow the same steps outlined in the sections above.

Parental Controls

From the Parental Controls screen, you can access all of the kid-safe settings available on the InnoTab* MAX. From the lock screen, access Parental Controls by dragging the Parental Controls icon to the circle at the middle of the screen.



Wi-Fi	Touch this icon to set up a Wi-Fi connection.	
Time Controls	Touch this icon to limit the amount of time your child is allowed to play with the tablet.	
Oontent Lock	Touch this icon to lock specific content from being accidentally deleted.	
Web Browser Controls	Touch this icon to add or remove sites from each child's approved list. Navigation to sites that have not been approved is prohibited.	
Profile Manager	Touch this icon to add or remove user profiles from the tablet.	
Parent Account	Touch this icon to view or edit Parent Account information, including My Wishes settings.	

Progress Log	Touch this icon to view your child's learning progress. Note: The Progress Log can only track progress on InnoTab* cartridge games.	
P Tablet Settings	Touch this icon to configure the tablet's system settings.	
Learning Lodge®	Touch this icon to browse Learning Lodge® and purchase games, e-books, music, videos and apps.	
Gift Gallery	Touch this icon to reward your child with extra Kid Connect stickers, desktop themes and My Magic Beanstalk gifts.	
Download Manager	Use this to install or uninstall apps that you bought from Learning Lodge®. See the Managing Apps section for more details.	

To exit from Parental Controls, press the Menu key and then touch Log Out to exit to the lock screen.

Managing Apps

From the Parental Controls screen touch the Download Manager icon to manage the apps you have purchased from Learning Lodge® for your InnoTab® MAX.

Downloading or Removing Apps

From the Download Manager menu, touch any of the category tabs to view the apps in the selected category.



· Automatic Download Settings

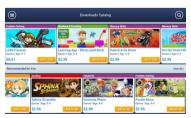
By default, newly purchased apps or updated apps will be downloaded automatically. If they do not automatically download, make sure automatic downloading is turned on in Tablet Settings.



Get More from Learning Lodge®

You can visit Learning Lodge® to expand the content on your child's InnoTab® MAX anytime you have a Wi-Fi connection. To access Learning Lodge® from the InnoTab® MAX just touch the Learning Lodge® icon at the bottom of the Parental Controls desktop. To visit from a personal computer, go to http://www.vtechkids.com and click Downloads on the top menu bar.

By default, when an internet connection is available on your child's InnoTab* MAX, any recently purchased apps will download automatically even if you purchased them from another device.



My Wishes

With My Wishes, your child can view apps that are available in our Learning Lodge® library and let you know what apps they like by making a "wish". The wish list will then be sent to the email address you used to register for a VTech Parent Account.

Managing Your Child's Wishes

To view the apps your child has wished for, click on the link in the email we send you. The Wish List Manager will open in a web browser. Follow the prompts on screen if you want to purchase the app.



Purchased apps will be downloaded to InnoTab® MAX using the Wi-Fi Connection. See the Managing Apps section for more details about downloading purchased apps.

Pop-Ups on InnoTab® Desktop

Pop-ups will occasionally appear on the InnoTab* desktop with recommendations for apps your child might like. To turn off these pop-ups, go to the My Wishes settings in the Parent Account section of Parental Controls

My Wishes Settings

To access the My Wishes settings, go into Parental Controls and select Parent Account.



The settings are available at the bottom of the screen. You can use the My Wishes settings to:

- Turn the pop-up that appears on the InnoTab® desktop on or off.
- Choose whether or not to receive notification e-mails when your child makes a wish.



Playing InnoTab Cartridges on the InnoTab® MAX

The InnoTab® MAX can play most cartridges designed for earlier InnoTab® models. However, because of the InnoTab® MAX's larger screen, in order to play these older cartridges, you must first download updated versions to the tablet. To download an updated version of a cartridge, make sure your InnoTab® MAX is connected to the Internet and then insert the cartridge into the tablet. When you touch the cartridge icon on the desktop, InnoTab® MAX will prompt you to download the updated program.



Once the program finishes downloading, an image of the cartridge will appear at the bottom of the desktop whenever the cartridge is inserted. Touch the cartridge icon to play. (The physical cartridge must be inserted to play.)

For a complete list of titles that are compatible with the InnoTab* MAX and their estimated availability dates, please visit: http://www.innotabsoftware.com

Note: The InnoTab* MAX can store up to three InnoTab* cartridges. Additional update files will overwrite the older ones. Resetting the tablet to factory settings will also clear the updated versions of the cartridges. In this case, the programs will need to be downloaded again.

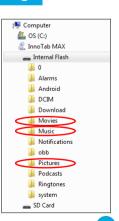
Transferring Pictures, Movies and Songs

You can transfer your own pictures, movies and MP3 songs from your computer to your InnoTab® MAX

Transferring from a Windows Computer

Connect the InnoTab® MAX to your computer using the included USB cable. Use the File Transfer window that pops up on your computer to drag and drop files to their corresponding folders on the InnoTab® MAX or an inserted microSD card.

Earlier generations of Microsoft Windows such as Windows XP may not detect the tablet. This can be resolved by using third party file transfer software (not included) for Android devices.



Transferring from a Macintosh Computer

Visit the official Android website below to download the Android File Transfer software. Follow the instructions on the website to install the software and transfer files:

https://www.android.com/filetransfer/

Converting Videos for the InnoTab® MAX

To convert your video content for the InnoTab* MAX, use the following recommended settings:

Format: H.264 main profile video and AAC audio in an MP4 file.

Resolution: 1024x578 if source is 16:9. Other resolutions are supported but are not optimal for the device.

Video bitrate: 2000kbps. Other bitrates are supported but are not optimal for the device.

Audio bitrate: 128kbps constant bitrate. Other bitrates are supported but are not optimal for the device.

Maximum file size: 4GB (over 4 hours of play time using the recommended settings).

Notes:

- There may be legal restrictions associated with the use of commercial video files, movies, programs and other content for which VTech® accepts no responsibility or liability. Users should take responsibility for observing relevant copyright law in their country for this type of media.
- VTech® does not endorse, support or accept any liability for any third party software for file transfer or media conversion.

Updating the Firmware

To manually download and install the latest firmware:

- 1. Go to Parental Controls.
- 2. Make sure your InnoTab® MAX is connected to the Internet.
- 3. Select Tablet Settings 2. Then select Firmware Update.



 The InnoTab® MAX will check for the latest firmware. If there is a newer version of the firmware, follow the on-screen instructions to complete the download and installation.



Care & Maintenance

- Keep your InnoTab® MAX out of direct sunlight and away from direct sources of heat.
- 2. Turn off your InnoTab® MAX when not using it for an extended period of time.
- 3. Avoid dropping your InnoTab® MAX and NEVER try to dismantle it.
- 4. Always keep your InnoTab® MAX away from water.

5. Examine the power adapter periodically for conditions that may result in the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury to persons (such as damage to the output cord, blades, housing, or other parts). In the event of such conditions, the adapter should not be used until properly repaired.

Using the InnoTab® MAX Touch Screen and Stylus:

- Use your finger or the included stylus to operate the tablet. Be careful
 not to press down too hard, as too much pressure may damage the
 touch screen
- · Do not use the stylus if it is broken.
- Do not use any other stylus on the touch screen other than the InnoTab® MAX stylus.
- Put the stylus back in the stylus holder when not in use.

Cleaning the InnoTab® MAX Touch Screen

- Slightly dampen a soft, lint-free cloth with a little water and wipe the screen to loosen dirt.
- Use a clean and dry cloth to wipe the screen dry. Repeat these two steps as needed.

Cleaning the InnoTab® MAX Cabinet

 Keep your InnoTab® MAX clean by wiping it with a slightly damp cloth. Never use solvents or abrasives.

WARNING

A very small percentage of the public, due to an existing condition, may experience epileptic seizures or momentary loss of consciousness when viewing certain types of flashing colors or patterns, especially on television. While the InnoTab®MAX does not contribute to any additional risks, we do recommend that parents supervise their children while they play video games. If your child experiences dizziness, altered vision, disorientation, or convulsions, discontinue use immediately and consult your physician. Please note that focusing on an LCD screen at close range for a prolonged period of time may cause fatigue or discomfort. We recommend that children take a 15-minute break for every hour of play.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Reason	Solution
Screen displays with no sound.	Volume is turned down.	Adjust the volume control.
	Headphones are connected.	Unplug headphones from headphone jack.
Screen turns on, then immediately off.	Battery power is low.	Recharge the battery.
No picture (or incorrect picture) on screen, and pressing the Power button has no effect.	Program needs to be reset.	Force the InnoTab* to turn off by holding down the Power button until the screen shuts off in approximately 8 seconds. Then turn the tablet back on again.
No screen display after pressing Power button.		Recharge the battery, or plug the tablet in to a wall outlet.
The cartridge icon does not appear on desktop.	Poor cartridge connection.	Remove the cartridge, clean it if necessary, and then re-insert it into the InnoTab* MAX.
	The cartridge is not compatible.	Check the InnoTab® MAX desktop for a message saying that the cartridge is not compatible with the InnoTab® MAX.

Safety Precautions for Using the Battery and Charger

Important Notes:

- This charger is not a toy. This charger is not intended for use by children.
- The tablet will charge at temperarures between 41°F-95°F(5°C-35°C).
 If the tablet is not charging properly, please move it to a location with a suitable temperature.
- The battery is not removable.
- Disconnect the tablet from the Power Adapter and turn off the tablet before cleaning.
- Only use the Power Adapter that is included with this package.
- To prevent fire or electric shock, do not expose the unit to rain or moisture.

 To preserve battery life, the InnoTab® MAX will go into a sleep mode automatically when there is no input for a few minutes. The Wi-Fi connection will also be disconnected when the battery power is low.

Standard guidelines for adapter toys and electrically operated products

- As with all electrical products, precautions should be used and observed during handling and use to prevent electric shock.
- Do not leave the toy plugged in for extended periods of time.
- The toy shall only be used with the included adapter.
- · Never clean a plugged-in toy with liquid.
- · Never use more than one adapter.
- The adapter is not a toy.
- Parents should periodically examine the adapter for conditions that may result in the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury to persons. In the event of such conditions, the adapter should not be used until properly repaired.

Caution

When not charging the battery or connected to a computer, close the USB port cover on the ${\bf InnoTab^*\,MAX}$ for safety.

Only use the InnoTab* MAX Power Adapter and Micro-USB cable to charge your device.

Using a different charger may damage your InnoTab® MAX.

Please note: VTech is the only service provider that is authorized to replace the battery on your InnoTab* MAX. Any attempt to remove or replace the battery by a third party or by yourself may damage your InnoTab* MAX and will void your warranty. If you feel your battery needs service, please contact VTech's Consumer Services Department.

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 located on the back of the display panel).
- The actual problem you are experiencing.
- The actions you took right before the problem started.

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- · 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.

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A USB cable with a ferrite core must be used with this equipment to ensure compliance with the Class B FCC limits.

Legal Notices

Use of VTech Kid Connect™

- VTech Kid Connect[™] is a subscription-based service. The VTech Kid Connect[™] service included with this purchase is free for one year from the date of registration of this InnoTab® MAX.
- The VTech Kid Connect[™] app is available through the Apple App Store and Google Play and comes with a one year free VTech Kid Connect[™] subscription. Mobile data service and an Internet connection are required.