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User's Manual

Connect & Sing Animal Train™



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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,

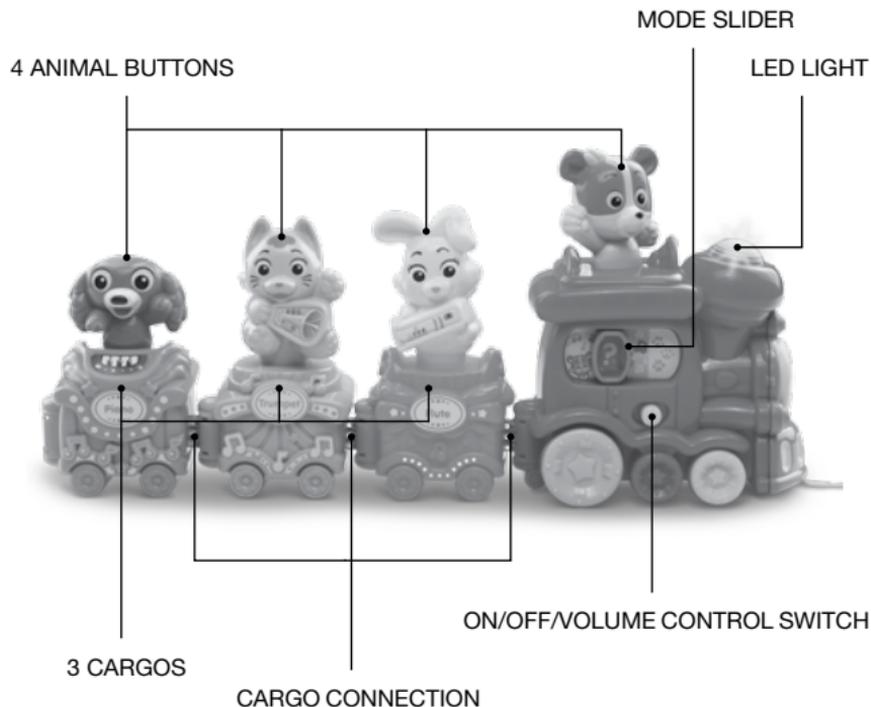
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INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the **VTech® Connect & Sing Animal Train.™**

Cody The Smart Cub® and his friends will take your child on an exciting learning adventure. This interactive train will teach your child animal facts, colors, instruments, music and much more! Connect the different cargos to the train to play unique songs and fun responses. Realistic sounds, flashing lights and fun music will keep your child entertained and engaged!



INCLUDED IN THIS PACKAGE

- The **VTech® Connect & Sing Animal Train™** includes one train and three cargos.
- One user's manual

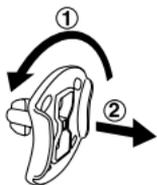
WARNING: All packing materials, such as tape, plastic sheets, packaging locks and tags are not part of this toy and should be discarded for your child's safety.

ATTENTION: Pour la sécurité de votre enfant, débarrassez-vous de tous les produits d'emballage tels que rubans adhésifs, feuilles de plastique, attaches et étiquettes. Ils ne font pas partie du jouet.

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

GETTING STARTED

UNLOCK THE PACKAGING LOCKS:

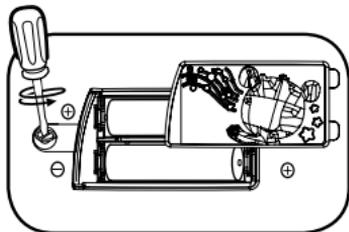


- ① Rotate the packaging lock 90 degrees counter-clockwise.
- ② Pull out the packaging lock and discard.

BATTERY INSTALLATION

NOTE: For best performance, remove all factory-installed batteries from the **Connect & Sing Animal Train™** and use new alkaline batteries.

1. Make sure the train engine is turned **OFF**.
2. Locate the battery cover on the side of the train and open it with a screwdriver.



3. Install 2 new “AA” size batteries following the diagram inside the battery box. (The use of new alkaline batteries is recommended for maximum performance.)
4. Replace the battery cover and tighten the screw to secure.

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.

PRODUCT FEATURES

1. ON/OFF SWITCH & VOLUME CONTROL

This product has a single switch that turns the unit **ON** or **OFF** and controls the volume. To turn the unit **ON** or adjust the volume, slide the switch to **LOW** or **HIGH** volume. To turn the unit **OFF**, slide the switch to **OFF**.



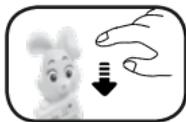
2. MODE SELECTOR

Slide the **MODE SELECTOR** to choose an activity.



3. ANIMAL BUTTONS

Press the animal buttons to learn about the animals, hear them talk, play their instruments or answer questions.



4. CARGO CONNECTION

The train engine will recognize each cargo that is connected by providing a unique response.

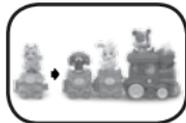
Spark your child's imagination and motor skills by connecting the cargo in different ways.



5. PULL CORD AND STORAGE

To convert the unit from a push toy to a pull toy, remove the pull cord from the storage compartment on the bottom of the **Connect & Sing Animal Train™**.

For your child's safety we suggest you store the pull cord in the compartment until your child is walking and to supervise your child when playing with the pull cord.



6. AUTOMATIC SHUT-OFF

To preserve battery life, the **Connect & Sing Animal Train™** will shut off automatically after 1 minute without any input. The unit can be turned on again by sliding the **ON/OFF/VOLUME CONTROL SWITCH**. The unit will also automatically turn off when the batteries are very low.

ACTIVITIES

1. SING-ALONG FUN

Hear the animals sing! Connect a cargo to the train to hear a song sung by the animal. If the cargo is already connected to the train, press the **ANIMAL BUTTON** to hear it sing. When a song is playing, press the **ANIMAL BUTTONS** or connect other cargos to the train to hear fun sound effects play over the song.



2. QUIZ MODE

Listen to questions about the animals, including what they like to eat, what instrument they play, what color cargo they are in and more. Connect a cargo to the train or press the **ANIMAL BUTTON** (when connected to the train) to answer the questions. A hint will be given for an incorrect answer. After three incorrect tries, you will be asked a new question.



3. MAKE YOUR OWN MUSIC

Connect the cargos or press the **ANIMAL BUTTONS** (when connected to the train) to hear each animal play his or her instrument. Press Cody to hear all of the instruments play together in concert.



4. MEET THE ANIMALS

Let's meet Cody and his animal friends. Connect the cargos to the train to hear their names and learn animal facts, colors, instruments and more. If the cargos are already connected to the train, press the **ANIMAL BUTTONS** to play.



- Denny the Dog plays the piano
- Riley the Rabbit plays the flute
- Calla the Cat plays the trumpet

SUNG SONG LYRICS

Cody the Smart Cub's Songs:

Song 1:

Can you hear the whistle blowing?
I'm a cub who loves to play
Play with you, play with my friends
Play the day away!

Song 2:

The conductor drives the train
The conductor drives the train
Chugga, chugga, choo-choo
The conductor drives the train

The passengers ride along
The passengers ride along
Chugga, chugga choo-choo
The passengers ride along

Riley the Rabbit's song:

I am a Rabbit and I have two long ears
Carrots are my favorite, yummy, yummy, yum!

Denny the Dog's song:

I can run, really fast, fetch a stick that's flying past
With a knick knack paddy whack, give a dog a bone!
Join me on my journey home

Calla the Cat's Song:

The trumpet's my favorite horn
I've loved it since I was born
We can play in a band
We'll have fun together

CARE & MAINTENANCE

1. Keep your **Connect & Sing Animal Train™** and the cargos clean by wiping them with a slightly damp cloth. Never use solvents or abrasives.
2. Keep the unit out of direct sunlight and away from direct sources of heat.
3. Remove the batteries when not in use for an extended period of time.
4. Do not drop the unit on hard surfaces and do not expose the unit to moisture or water. Never try to dismantle it.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If for some reason the program/activity stops working or the unit can't be turned on again, 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 **ON**. The unit should now be ready to play again.
5. If the unit still does not work, replace with a new set of new batteries.

If the problem persists, please call our Consumer Services Department on 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 **VTech®** 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.

Caution: Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

THIS DEVICE COMPLIES WITH PART 15 OF THE FCC RULES. OPERATION IS SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TWO CONDITIONS:

**(1) THIS DEVICE MAY NOT CAUSE HARMFUL INTERFERENCE, AND
(2) THIS DEVICE MUST ACCEPT ANY INTERFERENCE RECEIVED, INCLUDING INTERFERENCE THAT MAY CAUSE UNDESIRABLE OPERATION.**

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PRODUCT WARRANTY

This Warranty is applicable only to the original purchaser, is non-transferable and applies only to "VTech" products or parts. This product is covered by a 3-month Warranty from the original purchase date, under normal use and service, against defective workmanship and materials. This Warranty does not apply to (a) consumable parts, such as batteries; (b) cosmetic damage, including but not limited to scratches and dents; (c) damage caused by use with non-VTech products; (d) damage caused by accident, misuse, unreasonable use, immersion in water, neglect, abuse, battery leakage, or improper installation, improper service, or other external causes; (e) damage caused by operating the product outside the permitted or intended uses described by VTech in the owner's manual; (f) a product or part that has been modified (g) defects caused by normal wear and tear or otherwise due to the normal aging of the product; or (h) if any VTech serial number has been removed or defaced.

Prior to returning a product for any reason, please notify the VTech Consumer Services Department, by sending an email to vtechkids@vtechkids.com or calling 1-800-521-2010. If the service representative is unable to resolve the issue, you will be provided instructions on how to return the product and have it replaced under Warranty. Return of the product under Warranty must adhere to the following rules:

If VTech believes that there may be a defect in the materials or workmanship of the product and can confirm the purchase data and location of the product, we will at our discretion replace the product with a new unit or product of comparable value. A replacement product or parts assumes the remaining Warranty of the original product or 30 days from the date of replacement, whichever provides longer coverage.

THIS WARRANTY AND THE REMEDIES SET FORTH ABOVE ARE EXCLUSIVE AND IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, REMEDIES AND CONDITIONS, WHETHER ORAL, WRITTEN, STATUTORY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED. IF VTECH CANNOT LAWFULLY DISCLAIM STATUTORY OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES THEN TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, ALL SUCH WARRANTIES SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE DURATION OF THE EXPRESS WARRANTY AND TO THE REPLACEMENT SERVICE AS DETERMINED BY VTECH IN ITS SOLE DISCRETION.

To the extent permitted by law, VTech will not be responsible for direct, special, incidental or consequential damages resulting from any breach of Warranty.

This Warranty is not intended to persons or entities outside the United States of America. Any disputes resulting from this Warranty shall be subject to the final and conclusive determination of VTech.