

THE LEARNING TABLET

# Innotab<sup>®</sup>3



User's Manual

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Dear Parent,

At VTech®, we know how much you enjoy staying on top of the hottest trends and having the most high-tech gadgets around. We also know that your kids feel the same way. With that in mind, we developed InnoTab® 3, a multi-function tablet just for kids that brings all the magic of Mom's and Dad's tablets into a fun-filled learning experience that fits the active lifestyles of kids.

InnoTab® 3 is the next generation of learning toys for children. It features a 4.3" brilliant color LCD touch screen, a rotating camera and video recorder, and a rechargeable battery pack, all housed in a sleek, durable, and compact design for easy portability. With ten apps on board plus two free downloadable apps, there's plenty of content to get kids started. There's also a large library of cartridge software featuring your kids' favorite characters and a variety of accessories that allow kids to customize their InnoTab® 3 just the way they want it.

Even more content is available online. Use the USB cable to connect to Learning Lodge™ where you can download learning games, e-books, songs, videos, and additional apps. The InnoTab® 3 has 4GB of memory onboard so there's plenty of space to store all the great content you'll find. If you need more storage, just insert a micro SD memory card to expand the memory.

When playing with **InnoTab® 3**, kids can look, listen, touch, and tilt their way through activities to discover a world of fun whenever they want and wherever they go. Through interactive play, your child will develop skills in reading, math, social studies, science, music, creativity, and more!

At **VTech**®, we are dedicated to helping your children uncover their talents. We thank you for your trust in our products that encourage active minds through imaginative play.

sincerely,

Your friends at VTech®

To learn more about InnoTab® 3 and other VTech® toys, visit www.vtechkids.com

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Thank you for purchasing InnoTab\* 3 The Learning Tablet! InnoTab\* 3 is a multi-function, touch screen tablet for 3-9 year olds. Kids will love using InnoTab\* 3 to take photos and videos, read e-books, listen to music, play games, and more. With microSD card expanded memory, and new apps being added all the time, InnoTab\* 3 is a great tablet for busy kids on the go.

# **Included in This Package**

- One VTech® InnoTab® 3 Learning Tablet (including 2 InnoTab® Styluses)
- One InnoTab® Software Preview Cartridge
- One Learning Lodge™ Installation CD
- One USB Cable
- One Stylus String
- · One User's Manual
- One Rechargeable Battery Pack ①
- One Rechargeable Battery Pack ②
- One 7.5 V AC/DC Adapter

## Specification of AC/DC Adapter:

Input: 120V 60Hz 150mA AC Output: 7.5V == 650mA DC



Learning Lodge™
Installation CD



Stylus String



7.5 V AC/DC Adapter

InnoTab® Styluses



Rechargeable Battery Packs ① & ②



USB cable



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InnoTab® Software
Preview Cartridge



InnoTab® 3

# PRODUCT FEATURES



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

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



# PRODUCT FEATURES

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FEATURES	ACTION
Rotating Camera	Rotate the camera to take pictures of yourself and your friends.
Touch Screen	Touch the screen with your finger or the <b>InnoTab</b> ® stylus to play.
AC Adapter Jack	Use this to connect an AC/DC Adapter.
Headphone Jack	Use this to connect headphones (sold separately).
Power Button	Press this button to turn InnoTab® 3 on or off.
USB Port	Plug the included USB cable into this USB port to connect the tablet to your computer.
Brightness Button	Press this button to adjust the screen brightness.
Help Button	Press this button to replay voice instructions, or ask for a hint.
Microphone	Speak into this microphone to record your voice or play microphone games.
Volume Buttons	Press these buttons to adjust the sound volume.
Home Button	Press this button to return to the <b>InnoTab</b> ® 3 desktop menu at any time.
D-Pad Button	Press this button to move up, down, left, or right in some games or menus.
Battery Charging Indicator	This flashes green when the rechargeable batteries are being charged. It will turn off when charging is complete.
InnoTab® Cartridge Port	Insert an <b>InnoTab</b> ® cartridge (sold separately) into this slot to play.
InnoTab® Stylus & Stylus Holder	Use your finger or this stylus to play. Always place the <b>InnoTab</b> * stylus back into the stylus holder after use.
Backup Battery Slot & Cover	The backup battery provides power for the clock. For backup battery replacement instructions, please see the <b>Care &amp; Maintenance</b> section on

Stylus Fastener

Use the stylus string to attach the stylus to this fastener.

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# GETTING STARTED



Battery Door Lock Sliding Switch

Slide this switch to open the battery doors. Always replace the InnoTab® 3 battery doors after changing batteries.

microSD Card Slot

Insert a microSD memory card (not included). (NOTE: InnoTab® 3 is compatible with microSD memory cards up to 32GB.)

**Battery Compartments** 

Insert 4 "AA" batteries (not included) or the rechargeable battery packs. For battery installation instructions, please see the section below

# How to Attach the Stylus

Tie one end of the stylus string to the stylus and the other end to the stylus fastener on the InnoTab\* 3.



# **Installing the Rechargeable Battery Packs**

- 1. Make sure the InnoTab® 3 is turned off.
- 2. Turn the unit over. Slide the battery door lock switch forward and push the battery covers off to each side to remove them.
- Insert Battery Pack(1) into the compartment on the right side and Battery Pack(2) into the compartment on the left side.
  - Insert the battery pack into the connector slot first.
  - Then press the battery pack down until it rests in place.
- 4. Replace the battery covers.









# **Charging and Recharging the Batteries**

The rechargeable batteries should be fully charged before the first use. To charge and recharge the batteries, please follow the instructions below.

- 1. Make sure the battery packs are installed in the tablet.
- Use the AC adapter that comes with the InnoTab® 3. Plug one end of the AC adapter into the power jack on the InnoTab® 3 and plug the other end into a wall outlet.
  - Note: The AC adapter is not a toy, and should only be used by an adult.
- 3. You can continue to use the InnoTab\* 3 while the AC adapter is connected, but the batteries will not charge while the InnoTab\* 3 is on. When you're done playing, turn the power off and leave the tablet connected to a wall outlet to charge it.
- 4. The green light on the tablet will flash to indicate charging is in progress. When the batteries are fully charged the light will turn off. A full charge takes about 4.5 hours with the AC adapter.

Note: If the green light on the tablet flashes very quickly during charging, the battery packs may not be connected properly. Please reinstall the battery packs and try again.

## **Important Notes:**

- Make sure the InnoTab® 3 is turned off before charging.
- The tablet will charge at temperarures between 5°C~35°C (41°F~95°F).
   If the tablet is not charging properly, please move it to a location with a suitable temperature.
- · Battery removal and replacement should only be done by an adult.
- Keep the connector pins on the InnoTab\* 3 and the metal contacts on the battery packs clean for optimal performance.
- Disconnect the tablet from the AC adapter and remove the battery packs before cleaning.
- For best results, please use the AC adapter that's included in this package.

Warning: Do not allow any metal objects to touch the metal contacts on the battery packs or the contact pins on the InnoTab\* 3.

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### **Battery Notice**

- · Do not mix old and new batteries.
- Do not mix batteries of different types: alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc), or rechargeable (Ni-MH).
- Only batteries of the same or equivalent type as recommended are to be used.
- Always insert batteries properly matching the plus (+) and minus (-) signs.
- · Do not short-circuit the supply terminals.
- · Do not dispose of batteries in fire, as batteries may explode or leak.
- Remove batteries from the toy if it will not be used for an extended period of time.
- To prevent fire or electric shock, do not expose the unit to rain or moisture.
- Do not repair or alter the battery packs in any situation.
- Do not disassemble or reassemble the battery packs.
- Batteries may contain hazardous materials, and may be nondisposable.
   Please contact a recycling company for a proper disposal method.
- Avoid mixing batteries of different sizes and capacities in your electronic device.
- · Exhausted batteries are to be removed from the toy.
- The toy is not to be connected to more than the recommended number of power supplies.

A This charger is not a toy. This charger is not intended for use by children.

Do not recharge non-rechargeable batteries.

NOTE: When InnoTab\* 3 is running on batteries, you may see this icon appear on the screen . This indicates that battery power is low, and you should replace the batteries soon. Battery time remaining once the icon first appears is approximately 10-30 minutes, depending on the type of batteries in use. After



that, InnoTab® 3 will show the very low battery screen for 3 seconds, and then will turn off automatically.

To preserve battery life, **InnoTab\* 3** will shut down automatically when there is no input for a few minutes.



## 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.
- Only use the recommended adapter with the toy.
- · 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 and that, in the event of such conditions, the adapter should not be used until properly repaired.

## **How to Play**

#### STEP 1: Turn InnoTab® 3 On

Turn InnoTab\* 3 on by holding down the Power button for a few seconds. A VTech\* logo and an InnoTab\* 3 logo will appear and remain onscreen for a few seconds.

#### **STEP 2: Personalize Your Profile**

The first time you turn on InnoTab® 3, you will be asked to personalize your profile. When you are asked to enter your name, use the on-screen keyboard to type in your name, and touch "OK" when you're done. When you are asked to take your profile picture, touch the on-screen shutter icon. and then touch "OK"



### STEP 3: InnoTab® 3 Desktop

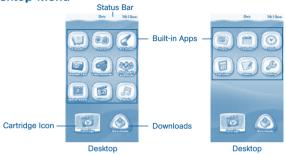
In the InnoTab\* 3 desktop, you will see several app icons. Flick left or right to look at the apps available on the desktop menu, and then touch an app icon to start playing. (For more details about the built-in apps, please see the Built-in Apps section below.)

NOTE: When you start playing with InnoTab\* 3, please go to the Clock app to update the date and time to the current date and time. See the Clock section below for more details.

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## **Desktop Menu**



Status Bar: View the Profile name and current time.

Built-in Apps: Touch an app icon to play.

Cartridge Icon: If an InnoTab\* cartridge (sold separately) is inserted, touch the cartridge icon to play.

**Downloads**: Touch the Downloads icon to view, play, or manage any content that you have downloaded from Learning Lodge<sup>™</sup>. (Please see the **Downloads Menu** section below for details.)

### **Status Bar**



Name - The profile name is displayed here.

**Time** - This is the time display. Go into the Clock app to reset the time if it does not match your time zone.

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## **Common Function Icons**

Icon	Function
$\triangleleft$	Touch this to confirm you are done with the current task.
×	Touch this to cancel.
4	Touch this to add a new item.
	Touch this to delete an item.
8	Touch this to edit/modify.
5	Touch this to go back/return to previous screen.
	Touch this to exit.
<b>W</b>	Touch this to enter the delete mode.
<b>©</b>	Touch this to enter the edit/settings mode.
6	This indicates that the content has been locked in the Parent Settings. Hold 7 to unlock the content before it can be deleted.

# InnoTab® Software Preview Cartridge

The InnoTab® Software Preview cartridge contains ten preview videos that show some of the great software titles that are available on the InnoTab®. InnoTab® software titles can be purchased at local retailers or online at VTech's Learning Lodge™.



(NOTE: The InnoTab Software Preview cartridge that comes in this package is compatible with **InnoTab\* 3 Plus** only.)

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# **Built-in Apps**

#### F-Reader

Touch the E-Reader icon to read e-books downloaded from Learning Lodge™. Flick left or right to move between the bookshelves and see all the e-books you have downloaded.

Three pages of the e-book - "What's That Noise?" - are included as a sample. The full e-book can be purchased online from the **InnoTab® 3** Download Center on VTech's Learning Lodge™.)

Connect to Learning Lodge<sup>™</sup> to purchase and download more e-books. See the **Connecting to Learning Lodge<sup>™</sup>** section on page 19 for more details.



#### **Games**

Touch the Games icon to play the games that you have purchased and downloaded from Learning  $Lodge^{TM}$ . Flick left or right to move between the game shelves. One game, the "Globe", is included on the shelf. See the **Globe** section below for more details.

Connect to Learning Lodge™ to purchase and download more games. See the **Connecting to Learning Lodge™** section on page 19 for more details.



## Globe

Did you know that with a running start, Chile's puma can jump horizontally over 40 12-inch rulers? Or, that Egypt was once ruled by a 9-year-old king? Explore the globe to learn more cool facts as well as Geography, popular sports, customs, animals, landmarks, and languages from around the world. Happy traveling!



#### **Art Studio**

Touch the Art Studio icon to draw a picture or edit a photo. Touch a tool on the right to start your creation.



Pencil - Touch this to draw with different colored pencils.

Brush - Touch this to paint with different colored brushes.

Magic Pen - Touch this to draw with fun colored and patterned pens.

Sticker - Touch this to put stickers on your creation.

Fun Tool – Touch this to play with silly tools – such as a hopping frog!

Eraser – Touch this and then touch the screen to erase what you've done.

New Page – Touch this to make a new creation. You can choose a page template or a photo to start with.

Save – Touch this to save your creation.

Reset - Touch this to reset the whole creation.

Undo - Touch this to undo what you just did.

Music On/Off - Touch this to turn the background music on or off.

TIP: Touch em to go back to the toolbox menu.

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#### **Wonder Cam**

Touch the Wonder Cam icon to take photos with fun decorations and effects.



Normal Mode - Touch this to take a photo without any decoration or effect.

All-Me Mode - Touch this to take a photo with an All-Me effect, and your face will appear on all the characters in the photo.

Sticker Mode - Touch this to take a photo with a silly sticker.

Kaleidoscope Mode - Touch this to take a photo through a kaleidoscope.

Funny Face Mode - Touch this to make a funny face photo.

Fantasy Effect Mode - Touch this to take a photo with a fantasy effect.

Frame Mode - Touch this to take a photo with a frame.

Thumbnail - Touch this to view the photo you have just taken.

Arrows - Touch these to see more decorations or effects.

Auto Detection - Touch this to turn Auto Detection on or off in Fantasy Effect Mode. If this feature is on, the fantasy effects will automatically be placed in the area with the most light. If the feature is off, then the effects will be placed in a predetermined pattern near the edge of the picture.

Face Detection - Touch this to turn Face Detection on or off in Sticker Mode. If Face Detection is on, the camera will change the size and placement of the sticker to try to match your face.

Shutter - Touch this to take a photo.

TIP: You can select the photo resolution by changing the Photo Size options in the Settings menu. More memory space is required for higher photo resolutions.

NOTE: Not all effects can be saved on all photo resolutions.

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### Video Recorder

Touch the Video Recorder icon to record video. The maximum recording length for each video is 5 minutes.



Time - This is the elapsed time of the video now recording. Record button - Touch this to start/stop recording.

Thumbnail - Touch this to view the video you have just taken.

WARNING: Video recording may take up memory quickly. Connect your InnoTab\*3 to Learning Lodge™ and select "File Manager" to back up your videos to your computer regularly. See the Connecting to Learning Lodge™ section on page 19 for more details.

# My Magic Beanstalk

A mysterious Bean Seller has given you some magic beans. And where there are magic beans, a magic beanstalk is sure to follow! Take care of your very own magic beanstalk in this simulation game that takes place in real time. Your beanstalk will respond to your actions just



like a real plant would. If you water it every day and take good care of it, the beanstalk will grow tall. How high can this magic beanstalk grow? The answer is up to you!

You can also use magic potions to make your plant grow beans. Each magic potion grows a different type of bean. Use different potions and try to collect all the beans.

Note to Parents: As your children play this game, they will earn special gifts that will help them take better care of their beanstalk. When your child receives a message about earning a gift, connect the **InnoTab**® 3 to Learning Lodge™ to download the gift package onto your child's tablet.

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#### Movie Maker

Lights, camera, action! Now you can be your very own movie director in this fun and exciting stop-motion animation app! First, use the camera to take a series of pictures. Then, watch your pictures come to life as they are played back in order. You can also choose



backgrounds and music and create a poster to show off your movie!

#### **Videos**

Touch the Videos icon to watch motion JPEG (MJPEG) and H.264 format videos you have transferred to your InnoTab® 3 from your computer, videos that you have purchased and downloaded from Learning Lodge™, or videos that you have taken with the Video Recorder on your InnoTab® 3. Expand InnoTab® 3 memory by inserting a microSD memory card (not included). Connect your InnoTab® 3 to Learning Lodge™ and select "File Manager" to transfer videos



Previous Rewind Play/Pause Forward Next Trash Can

See the Connecting to Learning Lodge™ section on page 19 for more details.

Album - Touch this to go to see a list of saved videos.

Previous - Touch this to go to the previous video.

Rewind - Touch this to rewind the video.

Play/Pause - Touch this to play or pause the video.

Forward - Touch this to fast forward the video.

Next - Touch this to go to the next video.

Trash Can - Touch this to delete the current video.



Video Recorder - Touch this to use your InnoTab® 3 Video Recorder.

Closed Captions On/Off - Touch this to turn closed captions on or off (only available if the video that's playing comes with closed captions). To change the settings for closed captions, please select Closed Captions from the Parent Settings menu.

For more details about transferring videos to your InnoTab® 3, please see the Transferring Photos and Videos section below.

### Music

Touch the Music icon to listen to MP3 format songs you have transferred to your InnoTab\* 3. You can purchase and download music from Learning Lodge™, or you can transfer music to your InnoTab\* 3 from your computer using Learning Lodge™. Expand InnoTab\* 3 memory by inserting a microSD memory card (not included). Connect your InnoTab\* 3 to Learning Lodge™ and select "File Manager" to transfer music. See the Connecting to Learning Lodge™ section on page 19 for more details.

### **Photos**

Touch the Photos icon to look at JPEG format photos you have transferred to your InnoTab\* 3 and photos taken with the InnoTab\* 3 Wonder Cam app. You can transfer photos to your InnoTab\* 3 from your computer using Learning Lodge™. Expand InnoTab\* 3 memory by inserting a microSD memory card (not included). Connect your InnoTab\* 3 to Learning Lodge™ and select "File Manager" to transfer photos. See the Connecting to Learning Lodge™ section on page 19 for more details.



Previous Play/Pause Next



Set Wallpaper Previous Play Next

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Album - Touch this to see a list of saved photos.

Set Wallpaper – Touch this to set the current photo as your desktop wallpaper.

Previous - Touch this go to the previous photo.

Play - Touch this to view a photo slideshow.

Next – Touch this to go to the next photo.

Trash Can - Touch this to delete the current photo.

Camera - Touch this to use your InnoTab® 3 Wonder Cam app.

TIP: Turn the rotating Camera to the front to take a photo of yourself. Turn the rotating Camera to the back to take a picture of your friends. You can change the viewing orientation between landscape and portrait by rotating the tablet.

### Calendar

Touch the Calendar icon to look at or edit your calendar. To mark a day with a sticker, drag a sticker from the tool bar to the day. To add a note, touch the day, and then type in your note using the pop-up keyboard.

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	1900	8 7				10	480

Touch in to delete a sticker or a note.

You can save up to 500 stickers to mark your important dates!

### Clock

Touch the Clock to set the time or date, or use the stopwatch.

Clock - Touch this to view or adjust the time.

Stopwatch – Touch this to use the stopwatch to count up.

Date - Touch this to view or adjust the date.



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#### Calculator

Touch the Calculator icon to do simple calculations.

TIP: Try shaking the tablet to see what happens.



Lunch with Dad at 12:30.

#### **Notes**

Touch the Notes icon to type a new note or view a note you have saved. Touch anywhere on the page to open the pop-up keyboard and start typing.

To look at your saved notes, flick left or right to see the previous or next note. To see a list of all your notes, touch  $\blacksquare$ .

You can save up to 500 characters per note and a maximum of 100 notes.

## **Settings**

Touch the Settings icon to edit your profile name, set a profile picture, record a greeting message, set desktop wallpaper, change camera photo size, check memory usage, delete game records, lock content from deletion, change closed captions settings, and view the **InnoTab**\* 3 firmware version number.

Register your InnoTab\* 3 on Learning Lodge™ to obtain a registered license for the onboard content and software. To ensure that your tablet has been registered, go to the About menu in the Settings menu in your InnoTab\* 3. You

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will see the license type listed as "Trial" until your  $InnoTab^{*}$  3 is registered on Learning  $Lodge^{TM}$ .



TIP: You can reset the tablet to factory settings by typing R-E-S-E-T into the My Name profile in Settings.

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WARNING: Any data saved in internal memory will be lost. Data saved in a mircoSD card (not included) will not be affected by resetting the tablet.

# Plaving an InnoTab® Cartridge

If an InnoTab® cartridge (sold separately) has been inserted properly, you will see the cartridge icon at the bottom of the desktop menu screen. Touch the cartridge icon to play.

### **Downloads Menu**

In the InnoTab® 3 desktop, touch the Downloads icon to manage your downloaded content. Touch any category at the bottom to see the downloaded items in that category.

Touch at to enter the delete mode.

In delete mode, touch an item to delete it. A pop-up menu will ask if you really want to delete that item. Touch "Yes" to confirm, or "No" to cancel. If you see (6), hold 2 to unlock the content



## Inserting a microSD Card

You can insert a microSD card (not included) into your InnoTab® 3 to expand available memory for downloaded content, photos, videos or music. InnoTab® 3 is compatible with memory cards up to 32GB.

- Make sure the tablet is turned off.
- Locate the microSD card slot on the back of InnoTab® 3. It is under the battery cover with the "microSD" inscription next to it.
- Insert the microSD card, as shown in images 3 & 4.





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## Connecting to Learning Lodge™

Connect to Learning Lodge<sup>™</sup> to keep track of your child's learning progress online. You can also download great apps, e-books, music, videos and themes. To install the **InnoTab**® 3 version of the Learning Lodge<sup>™</sup> software on your computer, follow the instructions below.

- Insert an SD card into your InnoTab\* 3, as shown above, if you wish to
  expand the available memory.
- Turn on your InnoTab® 3.
- Locate the USB port on your InnoTab® 3 and open the rubber port cover.
- Insert the smaller end of the included USB cable into the USB port on your InnoTab\* 3.
- Insert the larger end of the USB cable into a USB port on your computer.
   The USB port is usually marked with the symbol that appears on the USB port cover of your InnoTab\* 3. Please refer to images 5 & 6 below.





- When the connection is successful your InnoTab® 3 will show a "Connected to Computer" screen (image 7).
- If you have not already installed Learning Lodge™ on your computer, the Learning Lodge™ Setup Program will automatically launch. Follow the prompts on screen to complete the installation.
- For help using the Learning Lodge™ refer to the Help section of the program.



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## Other Learning Lodge™ Installation Methods

If the Setup Program fails to launch when you connect the InnoTab® 3 to your computer, you can also install Learning Lodge™ through one of the following methods.

## • CD Installation (for PC Computers)

- Insert the Learning Lodge™ CD into the CD-ROM drive.
- Wait for the installation screen to come up. If the installation screen does not come up automatically, go to "My Computer" and then right click on the CD-ROM drive. From the drop-down menu, choose "Explore" and double click the "VTech\_toy\_Setup.exe" icon to start it up manually.
- Select the InnoTab® 3 version of Learning Lodge™ on the installation screen.
- Click "Install" to begin the installation.
- Follow the on-screen prompts to install Learning Lodge™.

## CD Installation (for Macintosh Computers)

- Insert the Learning Lodge™ CD into the CD-ROM drive.
- Double click the "VTech Toy Setup" icon in the pop-up window.
- Select the InnoTab® 3 version of Learning Lodge™ on the installation screen.



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- Click "Install" to begin the installation.
- Follow the on-screen prompts to install Learning Lodge™.

## Download the Setup Files from the VTech® Website

- To download the files, go to: www.vtechkids.com/download for US or www.vtechkids.ca/toysdownload for Canada.
- Select InnoTab\* 3 from the list of products and click the Download button for PC or Mac depending on which type of computer you own.
- Run the Setup Package and follow the on-screen prompts to install Learning Lodge™.

# **Transferring Photos and Videos**

You can transfer photos/videos from your computer to your InnoTab® 3 using Learning Lodge™. See the **Photos** section above for more details.

InnoTab\* 3 supports JPEG formatted photos and MJPEG/H.264 baseline profile formatted video playback. Other video formats can be converted to work with InnoTab\* 3 using third party software (not included). 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.

Recommended format settings required for video playback compatibility with InnoTab\* 3:

When converting your video for InnoTab, please follow the following guidelines: Supported format:

H.264 baseline profile video and MP3 audio in an AVI file.

### Recommended resolution:

480x272 if source is 16:9 and 320x240 if source is 4:3. Other resolutions are supported but are not optimal for the device.

#### Recommended Video bitrate:

600 Kbps. Other bitrates are supported but are not optimal for the device.

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Recommended Audio bitrate:

96 Kbps. Other bitrates are supported but are not optimal for the device.

Maximum file size:

2GB (over 5 hours of play time using the recommended setup).

The following freeware programs may be used to convert most videos:

Avanti GUI

eRightSoft Super©

MediaCoder

**TEncoder** 

(All trademarks are the property of their respective owners. **VTech**\* does not endorse, support or accept any liability for the freeware listed above.)

# **Minimum System Requirements**

#### **PC Hardware Requirements:**

CPU: Pentium® 4 or above

Memory: 256MB RAM

300MB Hard disk space

Monitor Resolution: 1024 x 768

**USB** Port required

## **PC Software Requirements:**

Microsoft® Windows® XP, Windows Vista®, Windows® 7 or Windows® 8 Operating System

Adobe® Flash® Player 10 - Other Browsers

Macintosh Hardware Requirements:

Macintosh Computer with an Intel processor

Memory: 512 MB RAM

300 MB Hard disk space

**USB** Port required

## **Macintosh Software Requirements:**

Mac OS X version 10.6, 10.7, 10.8 or 10.9

Adobe® Flash® Player 10 - Other Browsers Version

\*Internet connection required for Internet enabled functions on both PC and Macintosh computers.

# CARE & MAINTENANCE



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NOTE: Do not disconnect InnoTab\* 3 or the computer while files are downloading. After you have finished, turn off the tablet to save power. When not connected to a computer, please close the USB port cover on the InnoTab\* 3 for safety.

### **Care & Maintenance**

- 1. Keep InnoTab® 3 out of direct sunlight and away from direct sources of heat.
- 2. Remove the batteries when not using it for an extended period of time.
- 3. Avoid dropping it. NEVER try to dismantle it.
- 4. Always keep your InnoTab® 3 away from water.
- 5. Please examine the toy transformer 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) and that, in an event of such conditions, the transformer should not be used until properly repaired.
- Do not touch or push the metal pins on the underside of each battery pack, or it will damage the battery.

## Using the InnoTab® 3 touch screen and stylus:

- Use only enough pressure to operate the game. 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 an InnoTab® stylus.
- · Put the stylus back in the stylus holder when not in use.

## Cleaning the InnoTab® 3 touch screen

 Slightly dampen a soft, lint-free cloth with a little water and wipe the screen to loosen dirt.



 Using a clean and dry cloth, wipe the screen dry. Repeat these two steps as needed.

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- Pay attention to the small gap around the edge of the LCD screen. Do not allow any small particles to fall into it.
- If you find small particles in this gap, use a toothpick to gently remove them.

## Cleaning the InnoTab® 3 cabinet

 Keep your InnoTab\* 3 clean by wiping it with a slightly damp cloth. Never use solvents or abrasives.

## **Backup battery replacement**

- · Make sure the tablet is turned off.
- Locate the backup battery cover on the back of the tablet, then open it with a screwdriver as shown in image 8.
- Insert 1 3V CR2032 battery in the battery compartment with the "+" side facing up as shown in image 9.

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· Make sure to replace the backup battery cover.

#### 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\* 3 Learning Tablet 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



# **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 low.	Replace or recharge the batteries.
No picture (or incorrect picture) on screen, and pressing the Power button has	Program needs to be reset.	Disconnect all power supplies (batteries and adapter), then reconnect all power supplies.
no effect.		Press the Power button.
		Remove the cartridge, clean it if necessary, and then reinsert it into the <b>InnoTab</b> ® 3.
No screen display after pressing Power	Battery power low.	Replace or recharge the batteries.
button.	Incomplete battery installation.	Make sure to install all batteries in the battery compartment.
	No AC adapter power.	Securely connect the AC adapter or car adapter to both the InnoTab® 3 and the power source.
The cartridge icon does not appear on desktop.	Poor cartridge connection.	Remove the cartridge, clean it if necessary, and then reinsert it into the <b>InnoTab</b> * 3.
USB connection window does not pop up after connecting	Poor USB cable connection.	Securely connect the USB cable to InnoTab® 3 and the computer.
to computer.	Connection is running through USB hub.	Connect the <b>InnoTab</b> ® 3 directly to the computer, without using a hub.

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Clock time is not accurate or InnoTab* 3 requests to set up time when turning on InnoTab* 3.	Backup battery power low or backup battery is not installed correctly.	Replace backup battery and make sure the backup battery is installed correctly (for backup battery replacement instructions, please see Backup Battery Replacement section on page 24).
Touch screen is inaccurate or it is impossible to select the correct icon on the screen.	Touch screen requires calibration.	Turn the InnoTab* 3 OFF. Then hold , ? and d down when turning the InnoTab* 3 ON. Follow the steps on the screen.
	Small particles inside gap of LCD screen.	Use a tooth pick to gently remove any small particles within the gap.
Inserted a microSD card (not included), but the tablet cannot recognize it.	microSD card format is not FAT32.	Format the microSD card to FAT32 in your computer.
Files copied to the tablet's internal memory disappeared.	The tablet's memory was not formatted to FAT32.	If formatting the memory is necessary, make sure it is formatted to FAT32.
When using the Rechargeable Power Pack, the console suddenly turns off without giving a "Low Battery" warning.	There is uneven charge storage among the cells in the battery packs.	Charge the rechargeable battery packs for 24 hours (keep charging even after the battery charging indicator light stops flashing).
The battery charging indicator light does not come on.	The AC Adapter is not properly connected, or the tablet has been left on.	Inspect the AC adapter. Make sure that the adapter is securely connected to the InnoTab* and plugged in to the wall outlet.
		Make sure the tablet is turned off.

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The green light blinks very quickly when attempting to charge	The rechargeable batteries are not able to charge properly.	Check that the rechargeable batteries are correctly installed in the tablet.
the unit.		Make sure the connector pins on the InnoTab* and the metal contacts on the battery packs are clean and free of debris.
		If problem persists after checking the above, unplug the AC adapter from the AC adapter jack. Wait for 10 seconds before plugging the AC adapter back in

For more information and troubleshooting tips, visit www.vtechkids.com/tutorials/innotab3

If your InnoTab® 3 does not respond to an inserted cartridge, please carefully try the following:

- · Remove all batteries and unplug all wiring.
  - Use a cotton swab dipped in rubbing alcohol or an alcohol-based window cleaner to gently clean the contact area of the cartridge slot.
- If necessary, dry all the clean contact areas with a soft, lint-free cloth.
- Please make sure that all parts are completely dry before restoring electricity.

Static electricity may cause the <code>InnoTab\*3</code> to malfunction. In some cases, the game play score stored in the tablet memory may be lost. In cases where <code>InnoTab\*3</code> is malfunctioning due to static electricity, reset the tablet by removing and reinstalling the batteries, or by unplugging and replugging the AC adapter. Or, if the static electricity malfunction occurred during the downloading process, disconnect the USB cable, delete the corrupted file, and reset the tablet as described above. Then reconnect the USB cable and restart the download process.

# TECHNICAL SUPPORT



# **Technical Support**

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