

Create-A-Story



Cinderella and Sleeping Beauty



User's Manual

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Dear Parent,

The gift of reading is the greatest gift you can give your child. That's why together with Disney, VTech® developed Create-A-Story™.

Now you can watch words come alive in your child's imagination with our innovative approach to reading. Designed with your child's creativity in mind, Create-A-Story allows your child to build their own fun filled adventure by choosing the elements of the story such as setting, props, and actions with all of their favorite Disney characters.

At **VTech**[®] we are dedicated to helping you help your child discover their gifts. We thank you for your trust in our uniquely developed products that encourage active minds through imaginative play.

sincerely,

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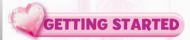
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INTRODUCTION

Experience the gift of reading with Cinderella and Sleeping Beauty! In the Read-A-StoryTM book, read along with two Princess stories, or choose from three different games on each page to learn reading skills. In the Create-A-StoryTM book, create your very own Princess stories. Choose from different story parts, including places, characters, objects, actions and more! Then watch and listen as your story comes to life!



Step 1: Choose Your Book

Choose a book and place it inside the console as shown.





Step 2: Two Ways to Play

Connect to the TV if you want to play in the **TV Mode** to bring play to life, or you can play in the **On-the-Go Mode** to play the console solely. In the **TV Mode**, watch as your stories play back and animate on the TV screen. In the **On-the-Go Mode**, listen to your stories through the speaker on the console.

Step 3: Start Your Game

Turn the console on. Then use the pen to touch the yellow star \uparrow on each page to begin.



FEATURES

VOLUME UP/DOWN Buttons



Press the blue arrows on the Disney Create-A-Story console to increase or decrease the volume

MUSIC ON/OFF Button



Press the green circle on the Disney Create-A-Story console to turn the background music off. Press the green circle again to turn the background music back on

HELP Button



Press the red star on the Disney Create-A-Story console to hear helpful instructions.

CREATE-A-STORY BOOK

Would you like to create your very own stories? Join Cinderella and Sleeping Beauty to create over 600 different stories!



Step 1: Add Your Name

To personalize your stories, you can add your name and a friend's name.

To add your name, touch the pink pencil. Then touch the letters of your name. When you are done, touch the green checkmark.

To add your friend's name, touch the blue pencil. Then touch the letters of your friend's name. When you are done, touch the green checkmark.





Step 2: Choose a Page

Turn to a page and touch the yellow star with the pen to start. To create a new story using the same page, remember to touch the yellow star.



Step 3: Make Your Choices

Follow the instructions and choose the content of your story. You can choose from places, characters, objects, actions and more! What will the Princesses do? It's up to you to decide.



Step 4: Play Your Story

Finally, touch the Play My Story speaker on the page to hear the story you created.



Step 5: Replay/Reset Your Story

After your story plays, you can either touch the Play My Story speaker to hear your story again, or you can create a new story by touching the yellow star on the page.





ACTIVITIES

Pages 1-2 -- Story Time with Princess Aurora

Princess Aurora is thinking about her wedding to Prince Phillip, and wants some advice from someone she loves. Can you help her choose a place, person, object and how she will act? Let's see what you can create.





Pages 3-4 -- My Very Own Story

A story is made up of a beginning, middle and an end. Choose from these three different parts to create your very own story!





Pages 5-6 -- A Surprise for Prince Phillip!

Aurora wants to surprise Prince Phillip by decorating the courtyard for the Winter Ball. Will you help her choose the decorations? Choose flowers, an ice sculpture and colorful bows for the courtyard. Then watch as Prince Phillip discovers his surprise!





Pages 7-8 -- Create a Story Together!

On these pages, you can either create a story by yourself, or you can choose someone to co-author your story.

Start by choosing two characters, an activity they would like to participate in, what happens in their story and how the characters react.

Remember to add your name before starting this story. Please refer to page 4 for more details.







Pages 9-10 -- Cinderella Plans the Royal Banquet

Cinderella is planning the Royal Banquet. Help her choose a place, a friend and a dessert. Then watch how the story changes!









READ-A-STORY BOOK

Join Cinderella and Sleeping Beauty for two different princess stories! Cinderella needs a gift for the Prince's birthday in "A Gift from the Heart." Aurora receives a special gift from her mother in "The Wedding Gift." Or you can play games to learn early reading skills!

Play Entire Story



Touch 'Play Sleeping Beauty's Story' or 'Play Cinderella's Story' to hear that story read aloud.



Story Teller



Touch the speaker on the page to hear the story read aloud.



Skill Builder Games



Touch a gem to play a game.



Exploratory Play

Touch the pictures or words on the page to explore.



ACTIVITIES

Educational Curriculum

Pages	Skill Builder Games	Reading Skills
1-2	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	Charming Capitals	Capital Letters
	Great Beginnings	Beginning Sounds
3-4	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	Find Friends	Identify Characters
	Small & Sweet	Lowercase Letters
5-6	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	Describe It	Adjectives
	For Sale	Text and Print Comprehension
7-8	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	Action!	Verbs
	Magical Matching	Capital and Lowercase Letters
9-10	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	Guess the Guest	Print Awareness - Characters
	Begins With	Letter-Sound Relationships
11-12	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	Pretty Print	Concepts of Print
	Who's Who?	Story Comprehension
13-14	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	Colorful Words	Vocabulary - Color Words
	Ends With	Final Letter Sounds
15-16	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	Picture This!	Text-Picture Relationships
	Feelings	Listening Skills
17-18	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	Oh My, Opposites!	Opposites
	Short Vowels	Short Vowel Sounds
19-20	Royal Sounds	Phonics
	We're Related	Character Relationships
	Amazing Alphabet	Alphabet Order



- Keep Create-A-Story™ clean by wiping it 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 using it for an extended period of time.
- 4. Avoid dropping it. NEVER try to dismantle it.
- 5. Always keep **Create-A-Story™** away from water.

WARNING

A very small percentage of the public, due to an existing condition, may experience epileptic seizures or momentary loss of consciousness while they play games on a TV. While **Create-A-Story** does not contribute to any additional risks, we do recommend that parents supervise their children while they play games on a TV. If your child experiences dizziness, altered vision, discontinue use immediately and consult your physician. Please note that focusing on a TV screen 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.



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.

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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.

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