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Instruction Manual

GOT YOUR BACK
LEARNING BACKPACK

VTech understands that a child's needs and abilities change as they grow and with that in mind we develop our toys to teach and entertain at just the right level...

Electronic Learning Computers

Cool, aspirational and inspiring computers for curriculum related learning

Pre-School

Interactive toys to develop their imagination and encourage language development

vtech Baby

Toys that will stimulate their interest in different textures, sounds and colours

I need...

...challenging activities that can keep pace with my growing mind

...intelligent technology that adapts to my level of learning

...National Curriculum based content to support what I'm learning at school

I want...

...to get ready for school by starting to learn the alphabet and counting

...my learning to be as fun, easy and exciting as can be

...to show my creativity with drawing and music so my whole brain develops

I am...

...responding to colours, sounds and textures

...understanding cause and effect

...learning to touch, reach, grasp, sit-up, crawl and toddle

4-10 years

3-6 years

Birth-36 months

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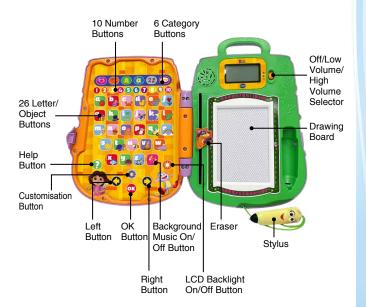
INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the **VTech® Dora Got Your Back Learning Backpack**! Pack your bag and get ready to enjoy learning about letters, numbers, counting, shapes, emotions, writing and drawing with a stylus.

10 Number Buttons

6 Category Buttons

Off/Low Volume/ High Volume Selector

26 Letter/ Object Buttons

Drawing Board

Help Button

Customisation Button

Left Button

OK Button

Background Music On/ Off Button

Eraser

Stylus

Right Button

LCD Backlight On/Off Button

INCLUDED IN THE PACKAGE

- One **Dora Got Your Back Learning Backpack**
- Two Backpack Straps
- Quick Start Guide

WARNING:

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

NOTE:

Please save this Instruction Manual as it contains important information.

Unlock the Packaging Locks:

① Turn the packaging locks several times anticlockwise.
② Pull out and discard the packaging locks.

GETTING STARTED

The **Dora Got Your Back Learning Backpack** is in try-me mode in the packaging. To exit try-me mode, press the **Letter Buttons** A and N together and hold, then switch the **Off/Low Volume/High Volume Selector** from the **Off** to **High** Volume position, the unit will then exit try-me mode after three beep sounds and activate normal-play mode with an opening response.

⚠ WARNING:

Adult assembly required for battery installation.
Keep batteries out of reach of children.

Battery Removal and Installation

1. Make sure the unit is turned **Off**.
2. Locate the battery cover on the back of the unit. Use a screwdriver to loosen the screw and then open the battery cover.
3. If used batteries are present, remove these batteries from the unit by pulling up on one end of each battery.

4. Install 2 new AA (AM-3/LR6) batteries following the diagram inside the battery box (for best performance, alkaline batteries or fully charged Ni-MH rechargeable batteries are recommended).
5. Replace the battery cover and tighten the screw to secure.

IMPORTANT: BATTERY INFORMATION

- Insert batteries with the correct polarity (+ and -).
- Do not mix old and new batteries.
- Do not mix alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc) or rechargeable batteries.
- Only batteries of the same or equivalent type as recommended are to be used.
- Do not short-circuit the supply terminals.
- Remove batteries during long periods of non-use.
- Remove exhausted batteries from the toy.
- Dispose of batteries safely. Do not dispose of batteries in fire.

RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES:

- Remove rechargeable batteries (if removable) from toy before charging.
- Rechargeable batteries are only to be charged under adult supervision.
- Do not charge non-rechargeable batteries.

Disposal of batteries and product

The crossed-out wheelie bin symbols on products and batteries, or on their respective packaging, indicates they must not be disposed of in domestic waste as they contain substances that can be damaging to the environment and human health.

The chemical symbols Hg, Cd or Pb, where marked, indicate that the battery contains more than the specified value of mercury (Hg), cadmium (Cd) or lead (Pb) set out in the Batteries and Accumulators Regulation.

The solid bar indicates that the product was placed on the market after 13th August, 2005.

Please dispose of your product and batteries responsibly.

In the UK, give this toy a second life by disposing of it at a small electricals collection point* so all of its materials can be recycled.

Learn more at:
www.vtech.co.uk/recycle
www.vtech.com.au/sustainability

* Visit www.recyclenow.com to see a list of collection points near you.

ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

The **Dora Got Your Back Learning Backpack** comes with backpack straps that can be attached or removed at any time. Follow the steps below to attach these straps:

NOTE: Adult operation needed.

1. Insert one end of the strap through the slot on the top and the other end through the slot on the bottom.

2. Loop the strap through the buckle. Secure both ends of the strap as shown. Repeat for the second strap.

PRODUCT FEATURES

1. Off/Low Volume/High Volume Selector
To turn the unit **On**, turn the **Off/Low Volume/High Volume Selector** to the **Low** 🔊 or **High Volume** 🔊 position.
To turn the unit **Off**, turn the **Off**/**Low Volume/High Volume Selector** to the **Off** O position.

2. LCD Screen
The **LCD Screen** displays letters, numbers, shapes, emotions, various objects and fun animations. It even teaches you how to draw what is being shown.

3. Category Buttons
Press one of the 6 **Category Buttons** to choose a category. Each category includes 2 activities.

4. Number Buttons

Press the **Number Buttons** to learn numbers, counting, Spanish words of numbers or to answer number-related questions.

5. Letter/Object Buttons

Press the **Letter/Object Buttons** to learn letters, phonics, objects, Spanish words of objects or to answer letter and object-related questions.

6. Background Music On/Off Button

Press the **Background Music On/Off Button** to turn the background music **Off**. Press this button again to turn the background music **On**.

7. Help Button 🟢❓

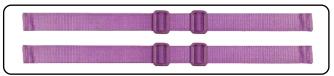Press the **Help Button** to hear an instruction or question repeated.

8. Customisation Button ⚙️

Press the **Customisation Button** to customise your name, choose your favourite Dora character, opening tune and to adjust the LCD contrast.

9. LCD Backlight On/Off Button ☀️

Press the **LCD Backlight On**/**Off Button** to turn the LCD backlight **Off**. Press this button again to turn the LCD backlight **On**.

10. Left/Right Buttons 🔵 🟡

Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to select an activity or option.

11. OK Button 🆗

Press the **OK Button** to confirm a selection and the completion of writing or drawing.

12. Stylus, Drawing Board & Eraser

Use the **Stylus** to write and draw on the **Drawing Board**. Slide the **Eraser** up and down to clear the board.

NOTE: For best results, write and draw slowly on the **Drawing Board** using the **Stylus**. Clean the writing and drawing by sliding the **Eraser** slowly several times.

13. Backpack Straps
Attach the **Backpack Straps** to carry just like a backpack.

14. Automatic Shut-Off
To preserve battery life, the unit will automatically power **Off** after several minutes without input. The unit can be turned **On** again by turning the **Off**/**Low Volume**/**High Volume Selector** to the **Low Volume** or **High Volume** position.
The unit will also automatically turn **Off** when the batteries are very low. A warning ⟨⎘⟩ will be displayed on the screen as a reminder to change the batteries.

ACTIVITIES
1. Shapes

1.1. Drawing Shapes
Let's learn how to draw shapes. Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to choose a shape, then press the **OK Button** to confirm. Use the **Stylus** to follow along with the shapes that are shown on the screen. Press the **OK Button** when you finish drawing shapes.

1.2. Shape Matching

Dora is missing the crystal she needs to open the gate and release the rainbow water. Help her find the correct shaped crystals. Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to choose, then press the **OK Button** to confirm.

2. Emotions

2.1. Drawing Emotions

Let's draw and explore emotions. Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to choose an emotion, then press the **OK Button** to confirm. Use the **Stylus** to follow along with the emotions that are shown on the screen. Press the **OK Button** when you finish drawing emotions.

2.2. Finding Faces

Tico is drawing faces on his kite. Help him find the correct faces. Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to choose, then press the **OK Button** to confirm.

3. Capital Letters

3.1. Capital Letter Writing
Let's learn how to write capital letters. Press the **Letter Buttons** to learn how to write capital letters and the phonics associated with them. Use the **Stylus** to follow along with the capital letters that are shown on the screen. Press the **OK Button** when you finish writing each capital letter.

3.2. Crossing the Bridge
Dora and Boots need to cross the bridge. Help them solve Grumpy Old Troll's riddle. Press a **Letter Button** to answer. Or press the **Left** or **Right Button** to choose, then press the **OK Button** to confirm.
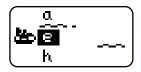
4. Small Letters

4.1. Small Letter Writing
Let's learn how to write small letters. Press the **Letter Buttons** to learn how to write small letters and the phonics associated with them. Use the **Stylus** to follow along with the small letters that are shown on the screen. Press the **OK Button** when you finish writing each small letter.

4.2. Crossing the River

Dora and Boots have to avoid hangry fish to cross the river. Help them find the correct path with small letters. Press a **Letter Button** to answer.

5. Objects & Numbers

5.1. Objects & Numbers

Let's learn objects & numbers. Press the **Object Buttons** to learn objects and how to draw them. Press the **Number Buttons** to learn numbers, counting and how to write numbers. Use the **Stylus** to follow along with the objects or numbers that are shown on the screen. Press the **OK Button** when you finish drawing objects or writing the numbers.

5.2. Find It, Count It

Time to match! Choose the correct object or number to match the English words, or choose the correct numbers for counting. Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to choose, then press the **OK Button** to confirm.

6. Spanish

6.1. Spanish Words

Get ready to learn some Spanish. Press the **Object Buttons** to learn the Spanish words of objects. Press the **Number Buttons** to learn Spanish words of numbers and how to count in Spanish.

6.2. Spanish Search

Choose the correct object or number to match the Spanish words. Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to choose, then press the **OK Button** to confirm.
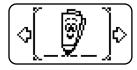
7. Customisation

7.1. Customisation Setting

Let's customise Backpack! You can set your own name, choose your favourite Dora character and more! (1) Your name: Press the **Letter Buttons** to input your name, press **ok** to confirm and your name will show up on the screen. Your name will also display on the unit upon opening.

(2) Favourite Dora Character: Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to choose your favourite Dora character, then press the **OK Button** to confirm. You will see an animation of your selected character. You will also see the animation of the selected character on the unit upon turning it back on.

(3) Opening Tune: Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to choose your opening tune, then press the **OK Button** to confirm.

(4) LCD Contrast: Press the **Left** or **Right Button** to adjust the LCD contrast, then press the **OK Button** to confirm.

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 will not be 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.

TROUBLESHOOTING

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

1. Please 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 with again.
5. If the product still does not work, install a brand new set of batteries.

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