

vtech®

User's Manual



TOUCH LEARNING SYSTEM

MobiGo®

**THOMAS
& FRIENDS**™

REALLY USEFUL ENGINES



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 **MobiGo**®, a revolutionary way to make learning fun with touch!

MobiGo® is the next generation of learning. Kids can control how they play, and develop the skills of using touch applications. As kids tap, flick, spin, and drag their way through exciting learning games, they'll experience the same technology and fun as parents do with their touch-screen devices.

When playing with **MobiGo**®, kids can look at, listen to and touch the screen wherever they go to discover a world of fun, while developing knowledge of numbers, letters, spelling, and music which we know is important to you. Learning on the go is now easier than ever with **MobiGo**®.

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 **MobiGo**® and other **VTech**® toys, visit www.vtechkids.com



NOTE: This cartridge is compatible with any of the **MobiGo**® systems. However, some of the games are designed to use the motion sensor and microphone controls that are only available in the **MobiGo**® 2 system. If this cartridge is played on the original **MobiGo**®, the motion and microphone controls will be replaced by alternate control methods.

INTRODUCTION

The engines on the Island of Sodor are very busy. Join Thomas and his friends as they explore exciting places. Help them be Really Useful on Misty Island, and at the Sodor Steamworks, Knapford Station, Brendam Docks, and Tidmouth Sheds. Meet more of Thomas' friends as you progress!

GETTING STARTED

STEP 1: Insert the Cartridge

Make sure the unit is turned off. Insert the cartridge with the label side facing up, and push it until it clicks into place. Press the ON button to turn the unit on.



STEP 2: Select the Cartridge Icon

Touch the cartridge icon on the MobiGo main menu.



STEP 3: Choose a Game to Play

Touch a game to select it.



USING YOUR MOBIGO®

Button



Exit Button

During a game, press this button to exit the game, or press it within a menu to go back to the previous screen.



Help Button

Press this button when you need help in a game.

QWERTY Keyboard

Slide the screen up to reveal the keyboard. Use it to enter your name in the user profile or to give the answers in some letter-related games.

The Touch Screen

The most common way of playing with the **MobiGo®** is by using the touch screen. Touch the screen to navigate the menu and to play most of the games.



Motion Controls (*MobiGo® 2 only*)

Move the **MobiGo®** as directed to perform specific actions in some games.

Microphone (*MobiGo® 2 only*)

Blow into the microphone to perform specific actions in some games.

SETTINGS

Options

Select Options from the main menu to turn the background music on or off.



Level

Choose Easy or Difficult level before each game.



Reset Function

To reset the game scores and erase any progress information that is currently stored for your cartridge, go to the main menu and type the code "RESET". Then, press the ENTER key. If the reset is successful, you will see the message "Score reset" appear on screen.

ACTIVITIES

Misty Island

Sir Topham Hatt asks Thomas to get jobi wood from Misty Island. Help Thomas collect jobi wood logs from Ol' Wheezy. Then, help Thomas cross the Shake Shake Bridge. Finally, help load the correct number of jobi wood logs. When you're done, see what Sir Topham Hatt makes using the jobi wood!



Curriculum: Counting, Math

Special Motion Operations:

Action	MobiGo® 2 (motion controls)	MobiGo® (touch controls)
Speed up Ol' Wheezy	Shake the console up and down	Swipe Ol' Wheezy left and right
Balance Thomas	Tilt the console left or right	Press left or right on the directional pad
Blow away mist	Blow into the microphone	N/A

The Sodor Steamworks

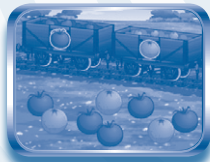
It's a very busy day at the Sodor Steamworks. Help Victor and Kevin tidy up the Steamworks by putting loose parts away and stacking heavy objects. After you finish cleaning up, fix the engines by replacing their missing parts.



Curriculum: Colors, Matching

Knapford Station

Sir Topham Hatt needs Thomas to make some deliveries. First, listen to Sir Topham Hatt and choose the correct object to deliver. Then, help Thomas deliver the object. Along the way, find and help Thomas' friends!



Curriculum: Objects, Classification

Brendam Docks

Cranky is hard at work. Help him find the correct crates to load and unload.



Curriculum: Letters

Tidmouth Sheds

After a hard days' work, the engines rest at Tidmouth Sheds. Unlock engines using the badges you've earned in the other games. Look at all the engines you've collected, or play a fun game with them!



Curriculum: Memory

WEB CONNECTIVITY

Connect **MobiGo**® to the internet to download new games and follow your child's learning progress online. Refer to the **MobiGo**® console manual for connection details.

CARE & MAINTENANCE

1. Keep your **MobiGo**® clean by wiping it with a slightly damp cloth. Never use solvents or abrasives.
2. Keep it 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 **MobiGo**® 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 when viewing certain types of flashing colors or patterns. While the **MobiGo® Touch Learning System** 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 and handling directional pad controls 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.

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.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Please note that if you try to insert or remove a **MobiGo®** cartridge without first turning the unit **OFF**, you may experience a malfunction. If this happens, and the unit does not respond to pressing the **ON/OFF** buttons, disconnect the AC adaptor from the main unit or remove the batteries. Then, reconnect the adaptor, or reinstall the batteries.

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 started.

Internet www.vtechkids.com

Phone: 1-800-521-2010 in U.S. or 1-877-352-8697 in Canada

COPYRIGHT NOTICES

Copyright 2012 VTech Electronics North America, L.L.C. All Rights Reserved. VTech and the VTech logo are registered trademarks of VTech. **MobiGo®** is trademark of VTech Electronics North America, L.L.C. All other trademarks are property of their respective owners.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Creating and developing **MobiGo**® Touch Learning System products is accompanied by a responsibility that we at **VTech**® take very seriously. We make every effort to ensure the accuracy of the information that 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.

OTHER INFO

DISCLAIMER AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

VTech® Electronics North America, L.L.C. and its suppliers assume no responsibility for any damage or loss resulting from the use of this handbook. **VTech**® Electronics North America, L.L.C. and its suppliers assume no responsibility for any loss or claims by third parties that may arise through the use of this software. **VTech**® Electronics North America, L.L.C. and its suppliers assume no responsibility for any damage or loss caused by deletion of data as a result of malfunction, dead battery, or repairs. Be sure to make backup copies of important data on other media to protect against data loss.

COMPANY: **VTech**® Electronics North America, L.L.C.

ADDRESS: 1155 West Dundee Rd, Suite 130, Arlington Heights, IL 60004 USA

TEL NO: 1-800-521-2010 in the U.S. or 1-877-352-8697 in Canada

NOTE:

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 undesired operation. This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ices-003.

Cet appareil numérique de la classe b est conforme à la norme nmb-003 du Canada.

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.



Thomas the Tank Engine & Friends™ ^{*Bright*} CREATED BY BRIGHT ALLCROFT
Based on The Railway Series by The Reverend W Awdry.

© 2012 Gullane (Thomas)Limited. Thomas the Tank Engine & Friends and
Thomas & Friends are trademarks of Gullane (Thomas) Limited.

© HIT Entertainment Limited. HIT and the HIT logo are trademarks of HIT
Entertainment Limited.

© 2012 VTech
Printed in China
91-002461-186 (US) (CA)