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Dear Parent:

Ever notice the look on your baby's face when they learn something new through their own discovery? These self-accomplished moments are a parent's greatest reward. To help fulfill them, **VTech®** created the **Smart Start®** series of toys.

These unique interactive learning toys directly respond to what children do naturally - play! Using innovative technology, these toys react to baby's interactions, making each play experience fun and unique as they learn age-appropriate concepts like first words, numbers, shapes, colors and music. More importantly, VTech®'s Smart Start® toys develop baby's mental and physical abilities by inspiring, engaging and teaching.

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,

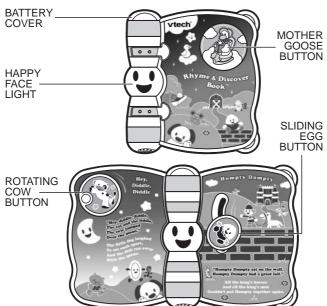
Your Friends at VTech®

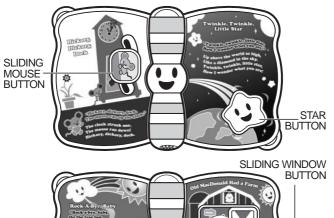
To learn more about Smart Start® and other VTech® toys, visit www.vtech.com

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the VTech® Rhyme & Discover Book™ learning toy!

The VTech® Rhyme & Discover Book™ is an interactive story book for toddlers 9 months and up. This children's book comes to life with lights, sounds and music as well as a variety of buttons to push and slide. Children can choose from six nursery rhymes. Each nursery rhyme is accompanied by a melody and sound effect relating to the nursery rhyme.







INCLUDED IN THIS PACKAGE

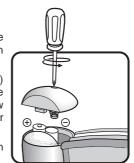
- One VTech® Rhyme & Discover Book™ learning toy
- One instruction manual

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

GETTING STARTED

BATTERY INSTALLATION

- 1. Make sure the unit is turned OFF.
- Locate the battery cover on the spine of the book. Use a screwdriver to loosen the screw.
- Install 2 new "AAA" (UM-4/LR03) 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 the battery cover.



BATTERY NOTICE

- Install batteries correctly observing the polarity (+, -) signs to avoid leakage.
- Do not mix old and new batteries.
- Do not use batteries of different types.
- Remove exhausted or new batteries from the equipment when the unit will not be used for an extended period of time.
- Do not dispose of batteries in fire.
- Do not attempt to recharge ordinary batteries.
- The supply terminals are not to be short-circuited.
- Only batteries of the same and equivalent type as recommended are to be used.

WE DO NOT RECOMMEND THE USE OF RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES.

PRODUCT FEATURES

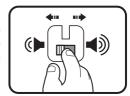
1. ON/OFF

To turn the unit **ON**, press the **MOTHER GOOSE BUTTON** on the front cover or open the book to any page. To turn the unit **OFF**, simply close the book.

2. VOLUME CONTROL SWITCH

To adjust the volume, slide the VOLUME CONTROL SWITCH to the LOW VOLUME (() or the HIGH

VOLUME ()) position.



3. AUTOMATIC SHUT-OFF

To preserve battery life, the VTech® Rhyme & Discover Book™ will automatically power-down after several minutes without input. The book can be turned on again by turning the pages, or pressing any button.



4. SIX NURSERY RHYMES

The six nursery rhymes include

- Hev. Diddle. Diddle
- Humpty Dumpty
- Hickory, Dickory, Dock
- Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star
- Rock-A-Bye Baby
- Old MacDonald Had a Farm

Turn the pages or press or move the buttons to hear the nursery rhymes.



ACTIVITIES

 When the book is closed, press the MOTHER GOOSE BUTTON to hear a random story and melody. Press the button again while the story is playing to hear a sound effect play over the story. The happy face light will flash along with the music.



 When the book is open, turn the pages or you can slide or move the buttons to hear the story and melody relating to the two pages facing you. Slide or move the button again while the story is playing to hear a sound effect play over the story. The happy face will flash with the music.



 Slide or move the button again after the story has been told, and you will hear the melody of that nursery rhyme. Slide or move the button while the melody is playing, and the sound effect will play along with the melody.



 If there is no input to the book after approximately 8 seconds, you will hear a phrase or sound effect encouraging you to continue playing with the book.

MELODY LIST

- 1. Hey, Diddle, Diddle
- 2. Humpty Dumpty
- 3. Hickory, Dickory, Dock
- 4. Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star
- 5. Rock-A-Bye, Baby
- 6. Old MacDonald Had a Farm

CARE & MAINTENANCE

- 1. Keep the unit clean by wiping it with a slightly damp cloth.
- Keep the unit out of direct sunlight and away from any direct heat source.
- Remove the batteries when the unit is not in use for an extended period of time.
- 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, 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 again.

If the problem persists, please call our Consumer Services Department at 1-800-521-2010 in the U.S. or 1-800-267-7377 in Canada, and a service representative will be happy to help you.

For information on this product warranty, please call **VTech®** at 1-800-521-2010 in the U.S. or 1-800-267-7377 in Canada.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Creating and developing **Smart Start®** 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 1-800-267-7377 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