

# **Instruction Manual**

# **Squishy Spikes Alligator**



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...



Interactive toys to develop their imagination and encourage language development

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Cool, aspirational and inspiring computers for curriculum related learning

Electronic Learning

#### I need...

Computers

- ...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

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

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- ...responding to colours, sounds and textures
- ...understanding cause and effect
- ...learning to touch, reach, grasp, sit-up, crawl and toddle

#### 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

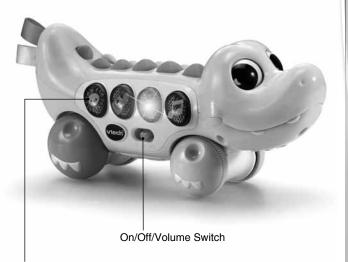
Birth-36 months



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#### INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the **Squishy Spikes Alligator** by **VTech®!** Let the good times roll with this friendly alligator! Four interactive light up buttons introduce a variety of new songs and words. The squishy scales and spinning eyes encourage movement and sensory play.



Light Up Learning Buttons

#### INCLUDED IN THE PACKAGE

- Squishy Spikes Alligator
- · 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 keep this Instruction Manual as it contains important information.

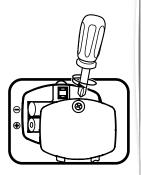
#### Unlock the packaging locks:



- 1 Turn the packaging locks 90 degrees anticlockwise several times.
- 2 Pull out and discard the packaging locks.

#### **Battery Removal and Installation**

- 1. Make sure the unit is turned Off.
- Locate the battery cover located on the bottom of the alligator, use a screwdriver to loosen the screw, and then open the battery cover.
- 3. Remove old batteries by pulling up on one end of each battery.
- Install 2 new AAA (AM-4/LR03) 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.

#### PRODUCT FEATURES

#### 1. On/Off Volume Switch

To turn the unit **On**, slide the **On/Off/ Volume Switch** to the Low volume () or the High volume (1)) position. You will hear fun sounds, a phrase and a song. To turn the unit **Off**, slide the **On/Off/ Volume Control Switch** to the **Off** (● position.



#### 2. Automatic Shut-Off

To preserve battery life, the **Squishy Spikes Alligator** will automatically power down after approximately 40 seconds without input. The unit can be turned on again by pressing any button.

#### NOTE

If the unit powers down or if the light fades out during play, please install a new set of batteries.

#### **ACTIVITIES**

#### 1. Light up Learning Buttons

Press the **Learning Buttons** to hear songs, music, fun phrases and nature sounds. The lights will flash with the sound.



#### 2. Wheel Sensor

Roll the alligator to trigger the wheel sensor and hear an assortment of fun sounds and songs. The lights will flash with the sound.



#### **MELODIES**

- Good Morning Merry Sunshine
- 2. Skip to My Lou
- 3. Oats, Peas, Beans and Barley Grow
- 4. Green Grass Grew All Around
- 5. Red River Valley
- Bear Went Over the Mountain
- 7. Yankee Doodle
- 8. Aiken Drum
- 9. Diddle, Diddle Dumpling
- 10. One Man Went to Mow

#### **SONG LYRICS**

#### Song 1

Swim, swim, down the stream. I splish and splash all day!

#### Song 2

I'm a happy alligator, I am so sweet and so are you!

#### Song 3

I like to chomp and stomp, stomp, stomp. Down by the stream where I like to play!

#### **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 sources.
- Remove the batteries if the unit will not be 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.
- 5. If the unit stops working or malfunctions, install a new set of batteries.

#### TROUBLESHOOTING

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

- 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.
- If the product still does not work, install a brand new set of batteries.

If the problem persists, please contact our Consumer Services Department and a service representative will be happy to help.

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