

## **AGE GRADE 4-**

This package includes:

1 Hamster

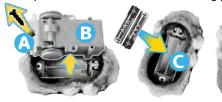
#### **Please Note**

- Requires 2 AAA batteries (Not Included). See Pg. 5 for battery recommendations.
- Please retain these instructions as they contain important information.
- Read all of the instructions before operating your Hamster.
- Adult supervision is required to change the batteries.
- The ZhuZhu™ City Hamster is a toy. It is not intended for use with live animals or in water.
- ZhuZhu™ City Hamster comes in many different colors and styles and may differ from the Hamster shown on this instruction sheet.

# **Installing or Changing the Batteries**

Adult supervision is required.

- **A.** Turn the Hamster over and unscrew the motor box.
- **B.** Remove the motor box.
- **C.** Insert or replace the two AAA batteries matching the polarity shown inside the battery compartment. Be sure the batteries are firmly seated.
- **D.** Replace the motor box and screw snugly.



#### Troubleshooting and operating tips:

- Hamsters are designed to act randomly and unpredictably. Yours may not act the same each time.
- Keep fingers, hair, and loose clothing away from the wheels.
- If hair gets caught by winding around a wheel, stop the motor quickly by pressing the Back Button or simply turn the Hamster upside down, triggering the tilt sensor. Once stopped, slowly unwind hair from axle by turning the wheel by hand.

#### **Hamster Codes**

The Hamster is equipped with a proprietary code reader. This reader allows the Hamster to react to the different locations inside ZhuZhu™ City environments.

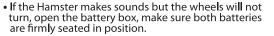


The Downtown Starter Set and all other add-on sets are sold separately. To see examples of these sets, turn over to opposite side to see full color images.

**NOTE:** The code reader has no function outside of the play sets.

For more information on the ZhuZhu™ City play sets, Hamsters, and accessories, please go to:

# www.zhuzhupets.com



- If the Hamster does not run or make sounds, the batteries may be depleted. Replace with fresh AAA batteries. For best performance and battery life, use Alkaline or better.
- If the Hamster seems to get stuck moving around in the play sets, check all of the snaps and connector junctions. Your Hamster works best on smooth, hard, even surfaces. It will not work on carpet or other soft surfaces. Do not use in sand, grass, or wet conditions.
- Running time and battery life will depend on play conditions and may vary.
- To make your Hamster go to sleep, press the Back Button while in Explore Mode.
- The sleep timer is reset each time the Hamster passes over a code in a play set.
- Remove the batteries if the Hamster is stored for long periods of time.
- The Hamster is not designed to be a sleep toy. Remove the batteries if your child wishes to take it to bed.
- Spot clean only, do not soak.
- Do NOT place Hamster in water.
- If Hamster gets wet for any reason, remove the batteries and allow the Hamster to air-dry overnight before attempting to operate it again.

# **Unpacking Your Hamster**

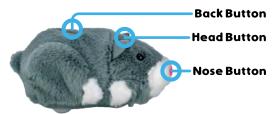
Remove all contents from package and discard any rubber bands, wire ties or other packaging materials that are not part of the product.

#### **Preparing Your Hamster For Operation**

Install 2 AAA batteries. For best results, use Alkaline batteries (See Pg. 5 for battery recommendations).

#### **Activation Buttons**

The Hamster has two activation buttons and one sensor button. The button on its head and one on its back activate the play. The button on its nose acts as a bump sensor when in Explore Mode and as a Try-Me button when in Sleep Mode. The Nose Button has no function in Talk Mode.



To stop the wheels, push the Back Button.

## **Battery Information**

- Always replace used batteries with fresh Alkaline batteries Only batteries of the same type as recommended are to be used.
- Batteries are to be inserted with the correct polarity. •Do not mix old batteries with new, do not mix Alkaline with standard zinc or rechargeable nickel cadmium batteries.
- Non-rechargeable batteries are not to be recharged.
- Rechargeable batteries are to be removed from the toy before being charged.
- Rechargeable batteries are only to be charged under adult supervision.
- Exhausted batteries are to be removed from the toy.
- Do not dispose of batteries in fire
- •The supply terminals are not to be short-circuited.

Claim: 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. Caution: changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment

**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.

### **Operating Modes**

The Hamster has three Modes of operation, Talk Mode, Explore Mode and Sleep Mode.

- 1. Talk Mode: this is the "nurturing/loving" mode when you want to give your Hamster special attention without having it try to "Zhu-oom" away from you. Press the Head Button and the Hamster will make a variety of cute sounds. It will continue to make new sounds every few seconds or every time you push the Head Button. After about one minute, the Hamster will automatically go to sleep.
- 2. Explore Mode: this is where you get to watch the Hamster go out and explore the world! Press the Back Button to engage the motor, and set the Hamster on a smooth surface. In Explore Mode, the Hamster will entertain you with crazy fun sounds and wacky movements. It will back up when it bumps its nose. Press the Back Button again while in Explore Mode and the Hamster will go to "sleep." If left alone in Explore Mode, the Hamster will automatically go to "sleep" after about 3 minutes.
- 3. Sleep Mode: the Hamster will "sleep" to conserve energy and save the batteries when not in use. You can wake it up by pressing the Head or Back button. Sleep Mode also doubles as a Try-Me Mode for the Hamster.

# DO NOT PUT HAMSTER IN WATER!

KEEP HAIR AWAY FROM WHEELS

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**WARNING:** 



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vary from those shown on the package.

All rubber bands and wire ties, as well as tags, are not parts of this toy and should be discarded for your child's safety. Colors and contents may

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