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Model: ELR-12511

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1. INTRODUCTION

The ECR4Kids ELR-12511 Peek-A-Boo Caterpillar Climbing Play Structure is designed to provide a fun and engaging environment for toddlers and young children. This versatile play structure encourages physical activity, imaginative play, and the development of gross motor skills. It is suitable for both indoor and outdoor use, featuring durable, weather-resistant construction.

This manual provides essential information for the safe assembly, operation, and maintenance of your Peek-A-Boo Caterpillar. Please read it thoroughly before use and retain it for future reference.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: Adult Active Engaged & Direct Supervision Required at all times.

- Ensure the play structure is assembled correctly according to the instructions before use.
- Place the structure on a soft, level surface, such as grass or play mats, to minimize injury risk from falls.
- Regularly inspect all parts for wear, damage, or loose connections. Do not use if damaged.
- Keep children away from the structure during assembly and disassembly.
- This product is designed for children aged 2 and up. Adhere to recommended age and weight limits.
- Do not allow children to climb on the structure if it is wet or slippery.
- The plastic material is UL GREENGUARD Gold Certified for low VOCs and CPSIA compliant, ensuring safety standards are met.

3. PARTS LIST

Before assembly, verify that all components are present and undamaged. The ECR4Kids Peek-A-Boo Caterpillar includes the following main parts:

- Caterpillar Head Section (1)
- Caterpillar Tail Section (1)
- Middle Body Sections (2) - These form the crawl-through tunnel.
- Boot-Shaped Feet (14) - These provide stability and can be configured in various ways.



Image 1: Components of the Peek-A-Boo Caterpillar laid out for assembly.

4. ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

Assembly of the Peek-A-Boo Caterpillar is designed to be straightforward and typically requires no tools. Follow these steps:

1. **Unpack Components:** Carefully remove all parts from the packaging and lay them out on a clean, flat surface.
2. **Connect Body Sections:** Identify the two middle body sections. Align the connecting tabs and slots, then firmly press them together until they click into place. Ensure a secure connection.
3. **Attach Head and Tail:** Connect the caterpillar head section to one end of the assembled body and the tail section to the other. Again, ensure all tabs and slots are properly aligned and clicked into

place.

4. **Install Boot-Shaped Feet:** Insert the 14 boot-shaped feet into the designated openings along the bottom of the caterpillar body. These feet provide stability and can be arranged as desired.
5. **Final Check:** Once all parts are connected, gently shake the structure to ensure all connections are secure and stable before allowing children to play.

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Video 1: Official ECR4Kids video demonstrating the assembly and features of the Peek-A-Boo Caterpillar.

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Video 2: ECR4Kids video showcasing the assembly process for the Happy Caterpillar Climbing Structure.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Peek-A-Boo Caterpillar is designed for active and imaginative play. Here are some ways children can interact with the structure:

- **Crawling Exploration:** Children can crawl through the tunnel sections, promoting gross motor skills and spatial awareness.
- **Climbing:** The sturdy design allows children to climb on top of the caterpillar, using the boot-shaped feet as steps. This helps develop balance and coordination.
- **Peek-A-Boo Play:** The circular windows along the body are perfect for peek-a-boo games and social interaction.
- **Imaginative Play:** Encourage children to use their imagination, turning the caterpillar into a train, a secret hideout, or any other creative scenario.



Kids Play Tunnel

Encourage gross motor skill development, balance, and social skills with imaginative active play



Kiddo is approx 40''

Image 2: A child engaging in crawling exploration through the caterpillar's tunnel.

Standout Features



Made for indoor and outdoor play with a durable fade and weather-resistant plastic



Peek-a-boo holes for climbing and play

Bright and engaging features

Image 3: Multiple children enjoying climbing and playing on the outdoor caterpillar structure.

6. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and safety of your Peek-A-Boo Caterpillar, regular maintenance is recommended:

- **Cleaning:** The weather and fade-resistant plastic can be easily cleaned with mild soap and water. Wipe down surfaces regularly, especially after outdoor use, to remove dirt and debris.
- **Inspection:** Periodically check all connections, especially where the body sections join, to ensure they remain secure. Inspect the boot-shaped feet for any signs of wear or damage.
- **Storage:** For extended periods of non-use, especially during harsh weather conditions, the climber can be easily disassembled for space-saving storage. Store in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight to prevent material degradation.



Spark Adventure and Play

Encourage fun and exciting ways to play with little ones



Crawling exploration



Peek-a-boo



Balance and Coordination



Climbing



Group play



Hide and seek

Image 4: Demonstrating the ease of cleaning the durable plastic surface of the caterpillar.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Most issues can be resolved with simple adjustments:

- **Loose Connections:** If any sections feel wobbly, re-check the connecting tabs and slots to ensure they are fully engaged and clicked into place. Apply firm pressure until secure.
- **Feet Detaching:** The boot-shaped feet are designed to be removable for storage. If they come off during movement, simply re-insert them firmly into their designated holes. For increased permanence, some users have opted to secure them with screws (not included), though this is not required for normal operation.
- **Fading/Discoloration:** While the material is fade-resistant, prolonged exposure to intense sunlight over many years can cause some fading. Storing the unit indoors or in shaded areas when not in use can help preserve its vibrant color.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
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Product Dimensions (Assembled)	56.25" L x 37" W x 48" H (143 cm L x 94 cm W x 122 cm H)
Item Weight	40 pounds
Material	UV-protected, weather and fade-resistant plastic
Certifications	UL GREENGUARD Gold Certified, CPSIA Compliant
Recommended Age	2 years and up
Use Environment	Indoor/Outdoor



Image 5: Dimensional overview of the assembled Peek-A-Boo Caterpillar.

9. WARRANTY & SUPPORT

ECR4Kids products are designed for durability and safety. For specific warranty information, product support, or to inquire about replacement parts, please visit the official ECR4Kids website or contact their customer service department.

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