

## OBUBY HK-288

# Obuby Kids Walkie Talkie Instruction Manual

Model: HK-288

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Obuby Kids Walkie Talkies. This 3-pack of two-way radios is designed for clear communication and fun, outdoor adventures for children aged 3 and up. With a long range and user-friendly features, these walkie talkies are perfect for keeping in touch during play.



## 2. SAFETY INFORMATION

- **Battery Safety:** Use only specified batteries (4 AAA batteries per unit, not included). Do not mix old and new batteries, or different types of batteries. Remove batteries if the device will not be used for an extended period.
- **Choking Hazard:** Small parts may be present. Not suitable for children under 3 years old.
- **Antenna:** Do not attempt to remove or modify the antenna.
- **Cleaning:** Clean with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.
- **Water Exposure:** While the product is rated as waterproof, avoid prolonged submersion.

## 3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

- 3 x Obuby Kids Walkie Talkies (Blue, Green, Yellow)

## 4. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Familiarize yourself with the various parts and controls of your Obuby Walkie Talkie:



Image: Detailed diagram of the walkie talkie with labels for Antenna, Lamp/Scan, LED Screen, Up/Down buttons, Microphone, Power/Menu, Lamp Scan, Call/Lock, Speaker, and PTT (Talk) button.

**Antenna:** For signal transmission and reception.

**LED Screen:** Displays channel number, battery level, and other indicators.

**PTT (Push-to-Talk) Button:** Press and hold to transmit your voice.

**Up/Down Buttons:** Used to change channels or adjust settings.

**Microphone:** Captures your voice for transmission.

**Power/Menu Button:** Long press to power on/off. Short press to enter menu.

**Lamp/Scan Button:** Short press for flashlight, long press for channel scan.

**Call/Lock Button:** Short press to send a call tone, long press to lock/unlock keys.

**Speaker:** Outputs received audio.

## 5. SETUP

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### 5.1 Battery Installation

1. Ensure the walkie talkie is powered off.
2. Locate the battery compartment on the back of the unit.
3. Open the battery compartment cover. The cover is reinforced to prevent accidental falling off.
4. Insert 4 AAA batteries (not included) into the compartment, observing the correct polarity (+/-) as indicated inside.
5. Close the battery compartment cover securely.

## 6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### 6.1 Power On/Off

To power on the walkie talkie, press and hold the **Power/Menu** button until the screen lights up. To power off, press and hold the same button until the screen turns off.

### 6.2 Adjusting Volume

While the walkie talkie is on, short press the **Up** or **Down** buttons to adjust the speaker volume. The volume level will be displayed on the LED screen.

### 6.3 Channel Selection

Your walkie talkies have 22 available channels. To change channels:

1. Short press the **Power/Menu** button once. The current channel number will flash on the screen.
2. Use the **Up** or **Down** buttons to select your desired channel.
3. Press the **Power/Menu** button again to confirm your selection, or wait a few seconds for it to automatically confirm.

For communication, all walkie talkies must be set to the same channel.

## 22 Channels & 3 KM Range



Range up to  
3KM



Image: Children communicating with walkie talkies, demonstrating the effective range of up to 3 kilometers in open conditions.

### 6.4 Transmitting and Receiving

- **To Transmit (Talk):** Press and hold the **PTT (Push-to-Talk)** button located on the side of the walkie talkie. Speak clearly into the microphone. Release the PTT button when you are finished talking.
- **To Receive:** Ensure the PTT button is not pressed. The walkie talkie will automatically receive transmissions from other units on the same channel.

### 6.5 Call Tone

To send a call tone to other walkie talkies on the same channel, short press the **Call/Lock** button.

### 6.6 Flashlight Function

To turn on the built-in flashlight, short press the **Lamp/Scan** button. Short press again to turn it off.

### 6.7 Key Lock

To prevent accidental button presses, long press the **Call/Lock** button until a key icon appears on the screen. To unlock, long press the button again.

## 6.8 VOX Function (Voice Operated Exchange)

The VOX function allows you to transmit without pressing the PTT button. When VOX is active, the walkie talkie will automatically transmit when it detects your voice.

1. Press the **Power/Menu** button three times until "VOX" appears on the screen.
2. Use the **Up** or **Down** buttons to select the VOX sensitivity level (1-3, with 3 being most sensitive) or "OF" to turn VOX off.
3. Press the **Power/Menu** button to confirm.

## 6.9 Scanning Channels

To scan for active channels, long press the **Lamp/Scan** button. The walkie talkie will cycle through channels and stop on any active transmission. Press PTT to talk on that channel, or any other button to stop scanning.



Image: An illustrative diagram showcasing the main features of the walkie talkie, including HD voice, auto power saver, one-to-many transmission, 3KM range, key lock, VOX, VOX baby monitor, and 22 channels.

## 7. MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the walkie talkie with a soft, slightly damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or

solvents.

- **Storage:** Store the walkie talkies in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Remove batteries if storing for extended periods to prevent leakage.
- **Handling:** Avoid dropping the units or subjecting them to strong impacts.

## 8. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No power	Batteries are dead or incorrectly installed.	Replace batteries or check polarity.
Cannot communicate with other units	Units are on different channels. Out of range.	Ensure all units are on the same channel. Move closer to the other unit.
Static or unclear sound	Interference from other devices. Weak signal.	Change channels. Move to an open area away from obstructions.
Keys are unresponsive	Key lock is activated.	Long press the <b>Call/Lock</b> button to unlock.

## 9. SPECIFICATIONS

**Model Number:** HK-288

**Brand:** OBUBY

**Product Dimensions:** 2.5 x 1 x 0.5 inches

**Item Weight:** 2.82 ounces (80 Grams) per unit

**Number of Channels:** 22

**Talking Range Maximum:** Up to 3 Kilometers (open conditions), up to 2 Kilometers (neighborhood conditions)

**Power Source:** 4 AAA batteries per unit (not included)

**Manufacturer Recommended Age:** 3 years and up

**Color:** Blue & Green & Yellow

**Special Feature:** Adjustable volume, Built-in flashlight, VOX function, Key lock

**Tuner Technology:** UHF

**Water Resistance Level:** Waterproof

**Voltage:** 6 Volts (DC)

## 10. IMPORTANT NOTES

- **Range:** The maximum talking range of 3 kilometers is achievable in open, unobstructed conditions. Obstacles such as buildings, trees, and terrain can significantly reduce the effective range.
- **Privacy:** To enhance privacy, ensure your family uses the same frequency and utilize the scanning feature to find less congested channels. This minimizes the likelihood of others communicating with your child.