

Fischer The Curv Jr Skis w/FJ4 GW CA JRS Bindings 2024 70

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1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing Fischer Kids' The Curv Jr Skis with FJ4 GW CA JRS Bindings. These skis are designed to provide optimal stability, control, and balance for junior skiers. The lighter construction and softer flex facilitate easier control and more forgiving turns, making the learning process enjoyable. This manual provides essential information for the safe setup, operation, and maintenance of your new ski equipment.

Please read this manual thoroughly before using the skis and bindings. Keep it in a safe place for future reference.



Image: Fischer Kids' The Curv Jr Skis with FJ4 GW CA JRS Bindings. This image displays the blue skis with bindings attached, ready for use.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Skiing can be dangerous if proper safety precautions are not followed. Always prioritize safety to prevent injuries.

- **Professional Binding Adjustment:** Always have your bindings mounted and adjusted by a certified ski technician. Incorrect binding settings can lead to serious injury.
- **Wear a Helmet:** Always wear a properly fitted ski helmet.
- **Check Equipment:** Before each use, inspect your skis, bindings, and boots for any damage or loose components.
- **Know Your Limits:** Ski within your ability level and on appropriate terrain.
- **Follow Ski Area Rules:** Adhere to all signs, warnings, and rules of the ski resort.
- **Stay Hydrated and Warm:** Dress appropriately for weather conditions and take breaks as needed.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Your package should contain the following items:

- 1 pair of Fischer Kids' The Curv Jr Skis
- 1 pair of Fischer FJ4 GW CA JRS Bindings (pre-mounted or separate, depending on retailer)

If any items are missing or damaged, please contact your retailer immediately.

4. SETUP

4.1 Binding Mounting

The FJ4 GW CA JRS Bindings must be mounted onto the skis. This process requires specialized tools and expertise to ensure correct alignment and secure attachment. **It is mandatory to have a certified ski technician mount your bindings.** Attempting to mount bindings yourself can result in improper installation, leading to binding malfunction and potential injury.

4.2 Binding Adjustment

After mounting, the bindings must be adjusted to the skier's boots, weight, height, age, and skiing ability. This adjustment determines the release settings (DIN setting) of the bindings, which are crucial for safety.

- **Boot Compatibility:** Ensure your ski boots are compatible with GW (GripWalk) bindings.
- **DIN Setting:** The DIN setting is a numerical value that dictates how easily your bindings will release. This must be set by a certified technician based on the skier's individual profile. Do not attempt to adjust DIN settings yourself.
- **Forward Pressure:** Proper forward pressure ensures the boot is held securely in the binding while allowing for safe release. This is also set by a technician.

Always verify that the bindings are correctly adjusted and tested by a professional before skiing.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

These skis are designed for junior skiers to learn and progress. Focus on fundamental techniques for control and safety.

5.1 Getting Started

- **Balance:** Practice standing and balancing on flat ground before attempting slopes.
- **Walking in Skis:** Learn to walk and shuffle in your skis on flat terrain.
- **Snowplow (Wedge):** Master the snowplow for speed control and stopping. This involves pointing the tips of the skis inward and pushing the tails outward.

5.2 Turning

Begin with basic snowplow turns on gentle slopes. To turn, apply more pressure to the ski on the outside of the turn.

- **Snowplow Turn:** Start in a snowplow, shift weight to one ski to initiate a turn in the opposite direction.
- **Parallel Turn Progression:** As skill improves, transition to parallel turns by keeping skis parallel and using edge control.

5.3 Stopping

The most common stopping method for beginners is the snowplow stop.

- **Snowplow Stop:** Widen your snowplow stance, push the tails of the skis out firmly, and apply pressure to the inside edges until you come to a stop.

6. MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance extends the life of your skis and ensures optimal performance.

6.1 After Each Use

- **Clean Skis:** Wipe down skis and bindings with a dry cloth to remove snow, ice, and moisture.
- **Dry Bindings:** Ensure bindings are dry to prevent rust and corrosion.
- **Inspect for Damage:** Check for any visible damage to the base, edges, or bindings.

6.2 Regular Maintenance (Professional Service Recommended)

- **Waxing:** Apply ski wax regularly to protect the base and improve glide. Frequency depends on usage and snow conditions.
- **Edge Sharpening:** Keep ski edges sharp for better grip and control. Dull edges can make turning difficult.
- **Base Repair:** Address any deep scratches or gouges in the ski base promptly to prevent further damage.
- **Binding Check:** Have bindings inspected and tested by a certified technician at least once per season.

6.3 Storage

- **Long-Term Storage:** For off-season storage, clean and dry skis thoroughly. Apply a thick layer of storage wax to the base (do not scrape off). Store in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and heat sources.
- **Binding Release:** When storing, release the binding pressure by setting the DIN to its lowest setting or by unclicking the heel piece. Remember to reset to the correct DIN before next use by a technician.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter.

- **Bindings not releasing:** This is a serious safety concern. Immediately stop skiing and have a certified technician inspect and adjust your bindings. Do not attempt to force release or adjust yourself.
- **Bindings releasing too easily:** This also indicates an incorrect DIN setting or binding malfunction. Seek immediate professional inspection and adjustment.
- **Poor turning or edge grip:** Check ski edges for dullness or damage. Consider having them sharpened. Ensure proper waxing. If the problem persists, consult a ski technician.
- **Skis feel slow or sticky:** This usually indicates a need for waxing. Clean the bases and apply fresh wax.

For any issues related to binding function or ski damage, always consult a certified ski technician.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Fischer
Model	The Curv Jr Skis w/FJ4 GW CA JRS Bindings 2024 70
Sport Type	Skiing

Skill Level	Beginner
Binding Type	FJ4 GW CA JRS (GripWalk compatible)
Construction	Air Power, Fiber Tech
Color	Blue

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Fischer products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For information regarding warranty coverage, claims, or technical support, please refer to the official Fischer website or contact your authorized Fischer retailer.

Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty-related inquiries.