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Model: 618605

## INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars. This device is designed for children aged 5 and above to explore the world around them through observation, interactive videos, images, and educational games. This manual provides essential information for setup, operation, and maintenance to ensure optimal use and longevity of your product.



Image: The VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars, showing the main unit with its flip-up color screen and binocular lenses.

# IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

# WARNING: Not suitable for children under 36 months due to small parts.

- Always supervise children during use.
- Do not look directly at the sun through the binoculars, as this can cause serious eye damage.
- Ensure batteries are inserted correctly.
- Do not mix old and new batteries or different types of batteries.
- Remove exhausted batteries promptly.
- Dispose of batteries responsibly.

# WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- 1 Pair of VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars
- Batteries (4 x LR6-AA)
- Neck strap

## **SETUP**

# 1. Battery Installation

- 1. Locate the battery compartment on the device.
- 2. Using a screwdriver, open the battery compartment cover.
- 3. Insert 4 new LR6-AA batteries, ensuring correct polarity (+/-).
- 4. Replace the cover and tighten the screw.

# 2. Attaching the Neck Strap

Thread the provided neck strap through the designated loops on the binoculars. Adjust the strap length for comfortable and secure wearing.



Image: A child wearing the VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars with the neck strap, demonstrating how it can be worn for outdoor exploration.

## **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

## 1. Power On/Off

Press and hold the power button to turn the device on or off. The device features an automatic shut-off function to preserve battery life.

## 2. Viewing Modes

The binoculars offer two primary viewing methods:

- Through the Binoculars: Look directly through the eyepieces (binocular lenses) for traditional observation. The interpupillary distance is adjustable for optimal comfort.
- On the LCD Screen: Flip up the 2.4-inch color LCD screen to view observations digitally.



Image: A child looking through the VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars, demonstrating the traditional viewing method

# 3. Magnification and Focus

- The binoculars provide up to 10x magnification.
- Use the focus wheel to adjust the image clarity for both binocular and screen viewing.

# 4. Night Vision Mode

Activate the integrated infrared system for night vision. This mode is exclusively available on the LCD screen, allowing observation in low-light or dark conditions.



Image: The VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars displaying a night vision image of a hedgehog on its screen, highlighting the night vision feature.

# 5. Photo and Video Capture

The integrated camera allows you to capture images of flora and fauna. The internal memory can store up to 50 photos. A micro-SD card slot (card not included) is available to expand storage capacity and save photos for printing.



Image: The VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars with multiple captured images of animals and nature displayed around it, illustrating the photo capture function.

# 6. Interactive Content (BBC Videos & Images)

Explore over 340 official videos and images from the BBC, providing more than 700 educational facts categorized into 9 groups:

- Amphibians
- Arthropods
- Terrestrial Birds
- · Flying Birds
- Terrestrial Mammals
- · Marine Mammals
- Reptiles
- Flowering Plants



Image: The VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars displaying an image of a mushroom on its screen, with a speech bubble indicating educational information, showcasing the BBC content.

# 7. Games and Quizzes

- Adventure Game: Navigate through 5 natural environments, encountering over 100 animals and exploring 25 levels.
- Educational Quiz: Test scientific knowledge through a 3-stage quiz (Training, Time Challenge, Clue Game).
- Use the joystick and 12 buttons to navigate through games and features.







# Des jumelles high-tech pour observer de jour comme de nuit!

Apprête-tol à vivre des aventures uniques grâce aux Jumelles vidéo interactives de VTech\*! Ces jumelles avec écran couleur et appareil photo intégrés te permettent de faire tes propres observations de jour comme de nuit grâce à la vision nocturne. En plus, découvre plus de 340 images et vidéos de la BBC et teste tes connaissances sur la nature et les animaux dans le grand quiz éducatif!



Image: A child holding the VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars, playing an adventure game on its screen, demonstrating the interactive game feature.

## 8. Volume Control

Adjust the sound volume using the dedicated controls on the device.

## MEDIA INTEGRATION

## **Official Product Videos**

The following video demonstrates the key features and interactive capabilities of the VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars.

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Video: A short preview video showcasing children using the VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars to observe nature, take photos, play games, and utilize the night vision mode. It highlights the educational BBC content and interactive features.

This video provides a broader overview of the Genius XL range, including the Interactive Video Binoculars and the Interactive Video Globe.

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Video: A preview video demonstrating both the VTech Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars and the Interactive Video Globe. It shows children engaging with both products, highlighting their educational and interactive aspects, including exploring animals and geography.

## **MAINTENANCE**

# **Cleaning**

Wipe the device with a slightly damp cloth. Do not use harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners. Ensure the device is dry before storage.

## **Storage**

Store the binoculars in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight. Remove batteries if the device will not be used for an extended period.

## **Troubleshooting**

- **Device does not turn on:** Check battery installation and ensure batteries are not depleted. Replace with new batteries if necessary.
- Screen is blank or frozen: Try turning the device off and on again. If the issue persists, remove and reinsert the batteries
- **Sound not working:** Check the volume settings. If the issue persists after checking volume and restarting, contact customer support.
- Photos lost or unable to access gallery: Ensure a micro-SD card is properly inserted if you are relying on external storage. If using internal storage and experiencing issues, a factory reset might be necessary, but this will erase all stored photos. It is recommended to regularly transfer important photos to an external micro-SD card.
- Image blurry: Adjust the focus wheel until the image is clear.

## **S**PECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	12.1 x 6.9 x 16.2 cm
Weight	170 grams
Recommended Age	5 years and up
Educational Value	Learning, Creativity, Animal Discoveries, Interaction
Language	French (Note: Product content is in French as per specifications)
Manufacturer Reference	618605
Number of Pieces	1
Batteries Required	Yes (4 x LR6-AA)
Batteries Included	Yes
Main Material	Plastic

Color	Grey
Special Feature	Night Vision
Objective Lens Diameter	21 Millimeters
Maximum Magnification	10x
Mounting Type	Collar (Neck Strap)
Model Name	X 21
Binocular Prism Description	Porro Prism

# WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official VTech website. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

Product support and spare parts availability may vary by region. The manufacturer states that spare parts are unavailable for this product.



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## Related Documents - Genius XL Interactive Video Binoculars (Model 618605)



# PAW Patrol: The Movie: Learning Tablet Parents' Guide - VTech

Official Parents' Guide for the VTech PAW Patrol: The Movie: Learning Tablet. Learn about product features, setup, activities, and troubleshooting for this educational toy.



## VTech Bluey Game Time Laptop Instruction Manual

Official instruction manual for the VTech Bluey Game Time Laptop, featuring 10 fun games, button descriptions, care instructions, and troubleshooting tips. Learn how to set up and use this interactive educational toy.



## VTech Rattle & Waggle Learning Pup Parent's Guide

This parent's guide provides comprehensive information for the VTech Rattle & Waggle Learning Pup™ toy, including setup, features, activities, songs, maintenance, and troubleshooting.



## Shake It Bluey Instruction Manual - VTech

Official instruction manual for the VTech Shake It Bluey toy. Learn about features, setup, battery installation, modes, care, and troubleshooting.



## VTech Brilliant Creations Beginner Laptop User Manual

User manual for the VTech Brilliant Creations Beginner Laptop, detailing its features, setup, operation, activities, care, and troubleshooting. This educational toy is designed for children to learn letters, phonics, math, science, and more.



## VTech Nitro Notebook User Manual and Learning Activities Guide

Comprehensive user manual and guide for the VTech Nitro Notebook, detailing setup, features, and a wide range of educational activities for children. Learn about battery installation, connecting peripherals, product features, troubleshooting, and available learning games.