# Computer Learning System

# Parent's Guide

**Version 2.0** 

Model Number: 71657

Please keep this guide for future reference, as it contains important information.

Adult assembly is required.

Tool required for assembly: Slotted screwdriver (not included).



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## **Message to Parents**

Baby Smartronics™
Computer Learning
System introduces your
baby to the world of
computers! This system
includes a Grow-With-Me
CD-ROM for three stages
of developmental learning
and a child-friendly
keyboard topper to fit
over your computer keyboard.

The Grow-With-Me software is specially designed to grow with your child as your child develops new play patterns,



skills, interests and knowledge. With beginner (level 1), intermediate (level 2) and advanced (level 3) levels of play, your child will stay challenged. And, as you play and learn together, you'll know when it's time go to the next level or to review a previous one!

Press any button on the keyboard topper in beginner for fun surprises. In intermediate, press a button for alphabet or number recognition; telephone play and more. In advanced, images on screen prompt your child for a specific response.



## **Message to Parents**

Baby Smartronics™ Computer Learning System is designed to be a supervised activity. Under proper supervision, the keyboard topper and software will provide a safe and enjoyable shared experience for you and your child. Do not leave your infant or toddler unattended in a chair with access to the cords and accessories that are associated with a computer.



Do not leave your child unattended when using this product.

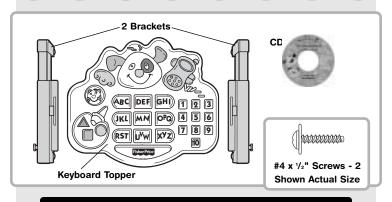








# **Your Computer Learning System**



# **⚠** CAUTION

This product contains small parts in its unassembled state.

Adult assembly is required.



### **Minimum System Requirements**

# WINDOWS® Operating System:

Windows® 95, 98, Millennium, 2000 and XP.

### **Minimum Requirements:**

Pentium 90 or better 16 MB of memory (RAM)

SVGA Video card with 256 Colors

800x600 minimum screen resolution

20 MB (minimum)/50 MB (recommended) hard disk space available

Windows® Compatible Mouse

4x CD-ROM

(Quadruple Speed CD-ROM)

DirectX 6.0 Certified sound card

Internet connection-optional

### **MACINTOSH®**

### **Operating System:**

OS 7.5.1 or higher

#### Minimum Requirements:

Power Macintosh® or better

16 MB of memory (RAM)

256-color graphics

800x600 minimum screen resolution

20 MB (minimum)/50 MB (recommended) hard disk space available

4x CD-ROM

(Quadruple Speed CD-ROM)

Internet connection-optional



### Installing

In order to run the program, you will first need to run the installer to setup the necessary program files on your hard drive.

#### WINDOWS®

- 1. Insert the CD-ROM disc into the CD-ROM drive.
- 2. If you have the Auto Insert notification feature enabled for your CD-ROM, the installation will start automatically and you can skip steps 3-5. If this feature is not enabled, please follow steps 3-6.
- 3. Select Start and then run from the Windows® taskbar.
- 4. In the dialog box, type D: \ Setup ("D:" refers to your CD-ROM drive. (If your CD-ROM drive is not D: type the appropriate letter.)
- 5. Click the OK button.
- 6. Follow the installation instructions.









## **Installing**

#### **MACINTOSH®**

- 1. Insert the CD-ROM disc into the CD-ROM drive. When the Baby Smartronics™ folder appears on your desktop, click on it.
- 2. When the folder opens, click on the Baby Smartronics™ icon. Follow the instructions in the install program.
- 3. If you have problems with installing, uninstall the program using the instructions on the next page. Then disable any preferences or extensions that are not needed for basic operation of the computer and CD-ROM drive. You can do this by using Extensions Manager (or another third-party extensions manager, such as Conflict Catcher or Startup Manager). Check your Control Panel for this utility.
- 4. If you do not have this type of utility, move the unnecessary extensions in a folder called "Extensions (disabled)" and the Control Panels in a folder called "Control Panels (disabled)."
- 5. Restart your computer and install the software again.





### **Uninstalling**

#### **WINDOWS®**

- Select Start from the Windows® taskbar and then find the Uninstall icon in the Fisher-Price® Baby Smartronics™ program group at the Start menu.
- 2. Click the Uninstall icon
- 3. Follow the Uninstall instructions.

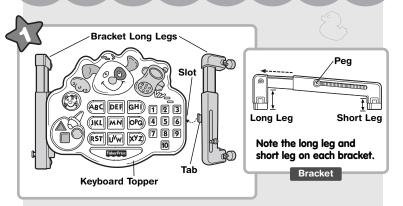
# You can also uninstall the program by running the Windows® Add/Remove Programs program:

- 1. Select Start from the Windows® taskbar and then find and click the Control Panel icon under Settings.
- 2. Double click the Add/Remove Programs icon in the Control Panel folder.
- 3. Select Baby Smartronics™ from the list of programs and click the "Add/Remove" button
- 4. Follow the Uninstall instructions.

#### MACINTOSH®

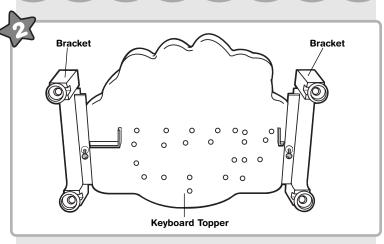
- Open your Applications folder and drag the Baby Smartronics<sup>™</sup> folder to the Trash.
- Open your Preferences folder and drag the Baby Smartronics™ preferences to the Trash.
- 3. Empty the Trash.



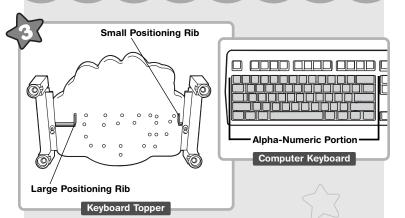


- Pull the peg out on each bracket and extend the bracket to its widest position.
- Position the brackets so that the long leg on each is toward the top of the keyboard topper and the peg on each is facing out.
- Position one of the brackets at a 45° angle to the keyboard topper. Insert and "snap" the bracket tab into the slot on the side of the keyboard topper.
- Repeat this procedure to assemble the other bracket to the keyboard topper.





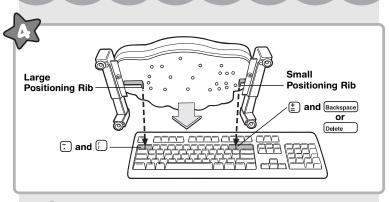
- While holding the brackets in place, carefully turn the keyboard topper over.
- Insert the screws through the brackets and into the keyboard topper.
   Loosely tighten the screws with a slotted head screwdriver. Do not fully tighten the screws.



- Locate the positioning ribs on the underside of the keyboard topper.
- Locate the alpha-numeric portion of your computer keyboard.

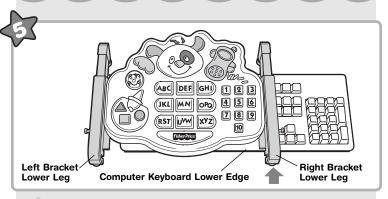






- With the keyboard topper face up, position the keyboard topper over the alpha-numeric portion of your computer keyboard.
- Fit the **small positioning rib** (vertical portion) **between** the **(**key and the key to its right (Backspace) or (Delete ).
- Make sure the large positioning rib (vertical portion) is between the and () keys.

**Hint:** If you have properly positioned the keyboard topper on your computer keyboard, the keyboard topper cannot be moved from side or up or down.

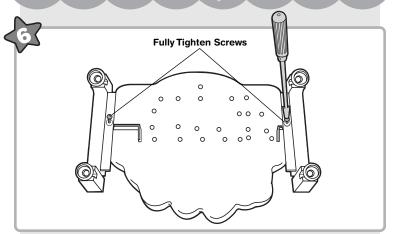


 Position the right bracket lower leg to the lower edge of the computer keyboard.

**Hint:** If you have properly positioned the keyboard topper on your computer keyboard, the left bracket lower leg will not contact the computer keyboard bottom edge.

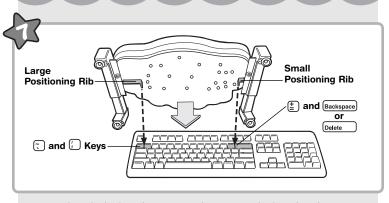
 Position the left bracket lower leg so that it is even with the right bracket lower leg.





- While keeping the brackets in position, carefully remove the keyboard topper from your computer keyboard.
- Turn the keyboard topper over and fully tighten the screws in the brackets with a slotted screwdriver. Do not over-tighten.

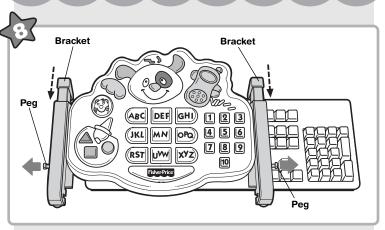




• Replace the keyboard topper over the computer keyboard. Make sure the **small positioning rib** (vertical portion) is **between** the (and the key to its right (Backspace) or Delete. Make sure the **large positioning rib** (vertical portion) is **between** the (and ) keys.

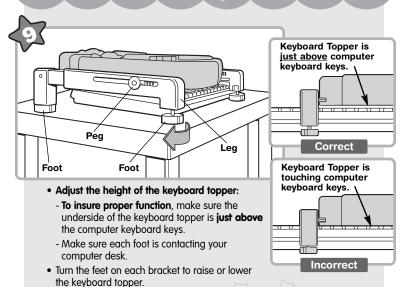






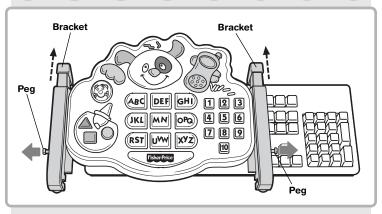
 Pull the peg out on each bracket and slide the top legs until they contact the upper edge of the computer keyboard.







# Removing the Keyboard Topper from Your Keyboard



- Pull the peg out and slide it to enlarge the bracket to its widest position.
- Remove the keyboard topper from your computer keyboard.

#### IMPORTANT!

When replacing the keyboard topper to your computer keyboard, remember to re-adjust the keyboard topper top legs. The keyboard topper top legs should contact the upper edge of your computer keyboard.



### **Let's Learn Together**



### Home

**Hint:** Use your computer keyboard mouse to make selections from the Home screen. Selections on the Home screen cannot be made using the keyboard topper.

Auto Play Tips - Click to see play tips at the top of each screen.

Background Music - Click for a delightful selection of children's music.

**Web Connection** - Click to automatically launch your internet software and visit our Fisher-Price® website.\*

Parent Content Guide - Click to read our Parent Content Guide and First Year of Learning. The Parent Content Guide includes information about the software and gives you some general guidelines on ways to use the software now and as your baby grows. Then, read the First Year of Learning, an article about how and what your baby learns. You can also browse some of our other Fisher-Price® toys.

Level Selection - Click the desired level of play.

Quit - Click to exit this program.

**Start** - Click to start play on the desired level.

\*If you do not have internet service, you will not be able to access our Fisher-Price® website.



## **Beginner**

### Level 1



- Press any button on the keyboard topper for animated scenes, fun sounds and music.
- Using your computer keyboard mouse, click the for tips.
- Using your computer keyboard mouse, click the house to return to the home screen.



### **Intermediate**

### Level 2



- Press any button on the keyboard topper for a corresponding image and sound.
- Using your computer keyboard mouse, click the for tips.
- $\bullet$  Using your computer keyboard mouse, click the  $\ensuremath{\widehat{\text{TID}}}$  to return to the home screen.



### **Advanced**

### Level 3



**Park** 



House



#### Farm

- Visit the park, the farm or the house! Simply press the telephone and let your child make a selection. Images prompt your child to respond with a specific touch of a button.
- $\bullet$  Using your computer keyboard mouse, click the  ${\textcircled{\tiny 2\!\!\! D}}$  for tips.
- Using your computer keyboard mouse, click the to return to the home screen.



# **Customer Support and Troubleshooting**

#### **Troubleshooting**

Please refer to the README document included in this program. It provides solutions to problems you may encounter while using this software. To access this document, simply quit out of the program.

Then, enter the folder that you installed on your hard drive.

Locate the README and click on it.

#### Questions? We'd like to hear from you!

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