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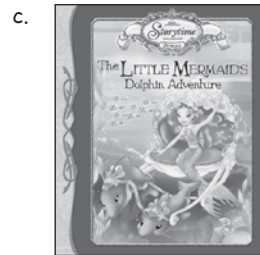
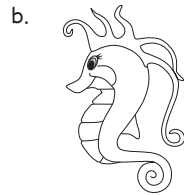
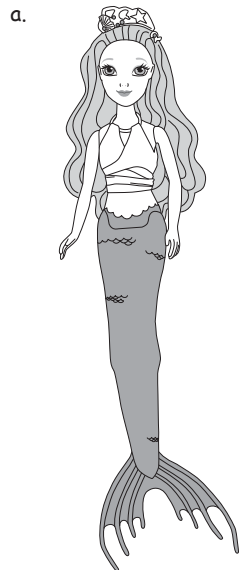
Adult Battery Installation Required

## INTRODUCTION

This beautiful princess was always one of the fairest in the land! However, well before she set foot on the shore, she was a Princess under the sea. Now you can take the Little Mermaid back to the water with the Storytime Collection™ Special Edition Mermaid!

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- b. 1 Floating Seahorse Friend
- c. 1 Waterproof Illustrated Storybook



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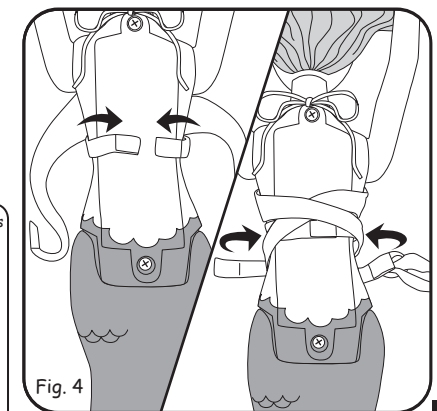
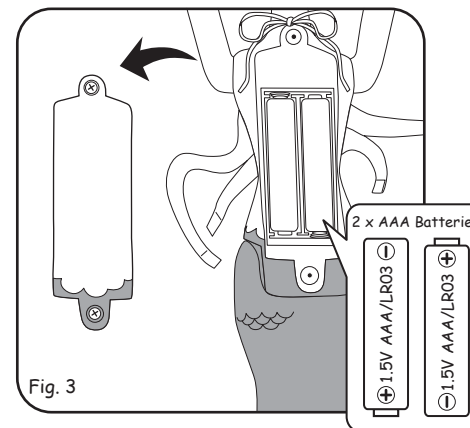
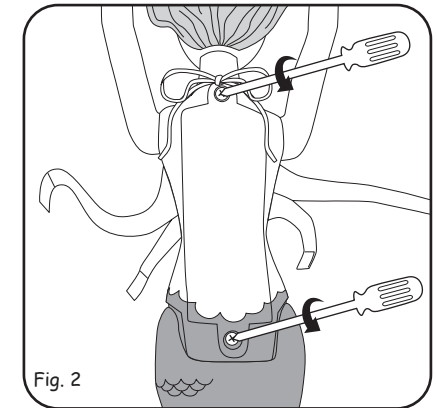
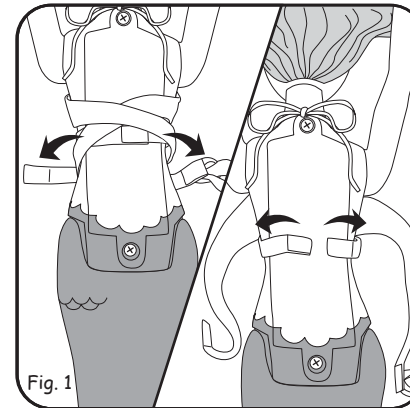
## BATTERY INSTALLATION

Ask an adult to help you install batteries by doing the following:

1. Leaving the neck portion of the swimsuit top tied, undo the outer Velcro™ fastener on the lower portion of the swimsuit and unwrap the ties. (See Fig. 1)
2. Undo the inner Velcro™ fastener. (See Fig. 1)
3. Using a Phillips screwdriver (not included), remove the two screws and the battery compartment cover. (See Fig. 2)
4. Install two (2) AAA alkaline batteries making sure the (+) and (-) ends face the proper direction as indicated inside the battery compartment. (See Fig. 3)
5. Replace the battery compartment cover and tighten the screws firmly to ensure the compartment seal will be watertight.
6. Secure the inner Velcro™ fastener, rewrap the ties, and secure the outer Velcro™ fastener. (See Fig. 4)

### REPLACING BATTERIES:

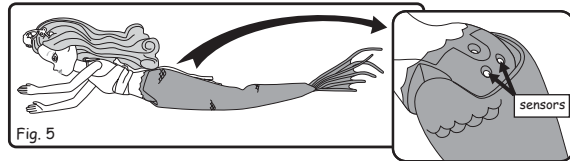
- Dry the Little Mermaid thoroughly before the opening battery compartment.
- If moisture is present in the battery compartment, dry it with a towel.
- Install the new batteries as instructed above.



## QUICK START

### Before placing the Little Mermaid in water:

- Make sure the battery compartment is securely closed and sealed and the screws are tightened firmly to assure the compartment is watertight.
- To swim well, the Little Mermaid's body must be straight (as if lying down.)
- The Little Mermaid will swim with her arms stretched out in front of her or with her arms to her sides. Both arms must be positioned in the same direction or she may not swim in a straight line. (See Fig. 5)



### Going for a swim:

**IMPORTANT:** This toy is to be operated in water only when it is fully assembled in accordance with the instructions.

- Totally submerge the Little Mermaid (and Seahorse) in water until no air bubbles appear on the water surface to assure they both will swim evenly balanced.
- When the water touches both of the sensors (just under the top edge of her tail on her backside), the Little Mermaid will immediately begin to swim.
- When lifted up and her sensors no longer touch the water, she will stop swimming.
- Add her floating Seahorse Friend for even more water fun!

**CAUTION:** Do Not allow children to play with this toy in water without ADULT SUPERVISION.

**NOTE:** When removing the Little Mermaid from the water, lift her up and allow all excess water to drain, then place her on a towel. (NOTE: Water will drain from the small holes in her tail. They are created just for that purpose.)

**IMPORTANT:** After play, drain excess water from the holes in the tail, dry the doll thoroughly and bring indoors. Prolonged exposure to sunlight will cause irreparable damage to the soft tail material.

**NOTE:** A slight clicking sound may be heard when bending the mermaid at the waist or when she swims. This is normal.

### On dry land:

- With the Little Mermaid on dry land, have fun brushing her hair (brush not included), reading her storybook and presenting her with her princess tiara.

### Storing your Little Mermaid:

- Allow the Little Mermaid, her clothing, and her Seahorse Friend to dry thoroughly in a well-ventilated area before storing.
- If she will not be played with for an extended period of time, remove the batteries to prevent possible corrosion and damage to the toy.

## SAFE BATTERY USAGE

- Use alkaline batteries for best performance and longer life.
- Use only the type battery recommended for the unit.
- Batteries should be replaced only by an adult.
- Insert batteries with the correct polarity (+ and -).
- Do not mix different types of batteries or old and new batteries.
- Do not short-circuit batteries.
- When not used for an extended time, remove batteries to prevent possible leakage and damage to the unit.
- Do not mix rechargeable and non-rechargeable batteries.
- Rechargeable batteries are to be removed from the toy before charging.
- Rechargeable batteries are to be recharged only under adult supervision.

## SAFE BATTERY USAGE (con't)

- Do not recharge non-rechargeable batteries.
- Exhausted batteries are to be removed from the toy.
- Do not dispose of batteries in fire as they may leak or explode.

## FCC STATEMENT

**NOTE:** This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
  - Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
  - Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
  - Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.
- This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

**Warning:** Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

## WARNINGS CAUTIONS AND NOTES

### WARNING:

- DO NOT allow children to play around water unsupervised.
- DO NOT allow children to play in water near any electrical source or apparatus in order to avoid electrical shock and/or electrocution.
- DO NOT leave Mermaid or Seahorse near electrical source or apparatus when wet.

**CAUTION:** Some children and adults may experience an allergic reaction to glitter. If this occurs, stop playing with the toy and seek medical attention.

### NOTES:

- Handle the Mermaid's tail as little as possible to prevent glitter loss.
- If glitter remains on your hands, wash them thoroughly and DO NOT allow them near your eyes or mouth.
- After removing Mermaid from water, dispose of water, do not reuse it for any purpose.
- Play with your Mermaid in fresh, clean, clear water only.
- DO NOT bend the tail of the Mermaid as it may cause irreparable damage.
- DO NOT attempt to push the Mermaid's feet through the tiny water drainage holes at the bottom of the tail as it will cause irreparable damage.
- DO NOT place mermaid in extremely hot or extremely cold water.

Please keep this manual as it contains important information.



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