
Cheap Talk 4 with Jacks

The Cheap Talk 4 with Jacks is a self-contained communication device. Activated by pressing one of the four message squares or by plugging in external input switches into the four jacks on the side, 5 seconds per message. Additionally, two output jacks allow unit to activate two devices. Size: 8" x 8" x 3". Requires 4 AA batteries.

Operation:

1. Turn the unit over to reveal the black battery compartment. Carefully remove the small screw from the battery compartment cover using a Phillips head screwdriver, and slide the battery compartment cover off. Observing polarity, install four AA size batteries into the holder. Alkaline batteries are recommended because they last longer. Do not use rechargeable batteries because they supply lower voltage and the unit may not perform as well. Replace the battery compartment cover and replace the screw.
2. The microphone and the red "RECORD" button are located on the back panel of the unit. To record, depress and hold the red "RECORD" button. At the same time, depress one of the 4 colored plates on the front of the unit and speak into the microphone. Release both the plate and The recording button when the recording is over. Play back your message by pressing and releasing the same colored plate used to record. Each of the remaining plates can be "programmed" in the same manner.

The unit will retain recorded information indefinitely, even if the battery is disconnected. Previously stored information will be erased only when a new recording is performed.

3. Playback volume can be adjusted using the "ON/OFF/VOLUME" control knob located on the back panel of the unit.
4. Connect the unit to one, two, three or four capability switches via the 1/8" jacks, which are located on the side of the unit.
5. The four large, colorful plates provide ample space for words, symbols or pictures. These visuals should be cut or designed to fit in the square inset area of each plate, and then covered with the clear overlays provided. To do this, simply bend the clear plastic overlay and slip the sides into the slots.
6. There are two output jacks on this unit, to allow activation of two external toys/devices via the supplied double ended male to male 1/8 inch cords. When a toy/device is connected to one of the cords and a switch plate on the device is depressed the toy/device will activate until the plate is released.

Important Notes:

1. The maximum message length for any single colored plate is five seconds, up to a total of 20 seconds for all 4 plates or respective external switches.

2. Cheap Talk 4 with Jacks will shut off automatically after playback, to preserve battery life. However, the device still drains a very small current in this "sleep" mode. Therefore, if the unit is not going to be used for a few days, it is recommended that the unit be turned off, to extend overall battery life. This can be done by turning the "ON/OFF/VOLUME" Switch counterclockwise, until it "clicks" off.

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