Pedal Car
Operating Instructions

IMPORTANT: Read and follow these Safety Rules and Instructions before operating this pedal car. If you have any questions concerning the safe use of this product, contact InSTEP LLC at 1-800-242-6110, Monday through Friday, 8:00a.m.- 5:00p.m. CST or visit us at www.instep.net or email us at info@instep.net before using.

Safety Rules:

⚠️ WARNING: Failure to follow these warnings and assembly instructions could result in serious injury or death.

⚠️ WARNING: This product is intended for children 3 to 6 years of age.

⚠️ WARNING: This product must be assembled by an adult.

⚠️ WARNING: Choking hazard – small parts. Not suitable for children under 3 years.

⚠️ WARNING: Immediately discard any plastic wrapping or packaging.

⚠️ WARNING: Direct adult supervision required

⚠️ WARNING: Pedal cars are not equipped with braking systems

⚠️ WARNING: Keep children within safe riding areas.
   These areas must be:
   • Away from swimming pools and other bodies of water to prevent drowning
   • Generally level ground to prevent tipovers
   • Away from steps, driveways, roads, alleys and inclines

⚠️ WARNING: Shoes must be worn at all times.

⚠️ WARNING: Only one rider at a time.

⚠️ WARNING: Always sit on the seat.

⚠️ WARNING: Maximum weight capacity for the pedal car is 60 lbs. or 27.22 kg.
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Pedal Car Assembly Instructions

Parts List:
1- Car Body
3- Standard Wheels
1- Drive Wheel
1- Master Parts Bag
2- Pedal Rods
2- Pedals
4- Hub Caps
1- Rear Axle Assembly
1- Steering Wheel
1- Windshield
1- Front V-Bracket Assembly

Master Parts Bag List:

BAG A
Rear Axle Assembly:
4 - #6 x 3/8” Screw
4 - #6 x Washer
4 - #6 Nylon Insert Locknut
2 - 3/8” Nylon Insert Locknut
2 - 3/8” Washer

BAG B
Pedal Rod Assembly:
4 - #6 x 1/2” Screw
4 - #6 Washer
4 - #6 Nylon Insert Locknut
2 - 3/8” Nylon Insert Locknut
2 - 3/8” Washer

BAG C
Front V-Bracket Assembly:
2 - 1/4” x 1/2” Screw
2 - 1/4” Washer
2 - 1/4” Nylon Insert Locknut
2 - #8 x 1/2” Screw
2 - #8 Washers
2 - #8 Nylon Insert Locknut
2 - 3/8” Nylon Insert Locknut
2 - 3/8” Washer

BAG D
Accent Piece Fasteners:
2 - #6 x 5/16” Screw
2 - 5/16” Washers
2 - 5/16” Nylon Insert Locknut
1 - 3/8” Cap nut
1 - 1” Washer

Tools required for assembly:
1 - Old blanket or towel
2 - Adjustable wrenches
1 - Philips or flat head screwdriver
Remove pedal car from packaging and compare contents of box against the parts list above.

1. Locate the parts bag marked Parts Bag A and the rear axle assembly (Figure 1).

2. Also locate the drive wheel (Figure 2) and one standard wheel. Please note: the drive wheel is different from the other three wheels. The drive wheel has a rectangular hole in the center. The other three standard wheels have circular holes in the middle.

3. Line up the rectangular hole on drive wheel with the rectangular shaped axle on the rear axle assembly (Figure 3) and slide the wheel onto the axle.

4. Then place the 3/8" washer over the end of the axle (Figure 4).

5. Thread the 3/8" nylon lock nut on by hand. Use the adjustable wrench to tighten the axle until threads are through locknut. Do not over tighten (Figure 5).

6. Locate one of the standard wheels. Put the rear axle assembly with the drive wheel on end (Figure 6). Put the
standard wheel onto to the other axle. Push the standard wheel down until the axle comes through the center of the standard wheel. Put the 3/8" washer over the axle, attach the 3/8" nylon locknut onto the axle. Tighten the locknut until the thread is through the locknut (do not over tighten).

7. Before you begin assembly, please be sure to lay down an old blanket or a towel. This will prevent the paint from scratching. Turn the car on its side, so that the undercarriage is facing out. Line up the four holes on the rear axle assembly with the four holes on the seating area (Figure 7).

8 and 9. After the four holes are lined-up, insert the #6 x 5/16" screw from the underside of the car (Figure 8). Then place the #6 washer over the screw (Figure 9). Next thread the #6 lock nut on by hand. Before tightening completely with adjustable wrench repeat steps 8 and 9 for the other three holes. After all four screws are inserted, tighten completely with an adjustable wrench and screwdriver.

10. Pictured above are the push rods. The push rods are pre-assembled to the underside of the car body (Figure 10).

11. Locate the parts bag marked Parts Bag B and the two pedal rods. Slide the 3/8" washer over the end of the push rod (Figure 11).
12. Then slide the pedal rod over the push rod (Figure 12). Thread a 3/8" nylon locknut on by hand. Then use an adjustable wrench to tighten until the threads come to the end of the locknut. Repeat steps 11 and 12 for the other side.

13. Position the pedal rods so they are as positioned as above (Figure 13). Push rods need to be sticking up when looking from the underside of car body (Figure 13a).

14. Line up the two holes in the pedal rod with the holes in the rear axle bearing. Insert the #6 x 1/2" screws through the hole (Figure 14). Please note: it is best to have the phillips head of the screw on the inside of pedal rods and to have the locknuts on the outside nearest to the wheels. Place the #6 washer over the end of the screw. Thread the #6 nylon locknut on by hand. Repeat steps for other hole and other side. Use the phillips screwdriver and adjustable wrench to tighten all 4 bolts completely.

15. Locate the parts bag marked Parts Bag C and the Front V-Bracket Assembly (Figure 15).

16. Guide the steering column of the front V-Bracket assembly between the two push rods and through the hole in the top of the pedal car body (Figure 16 and 16A).

17. Line up the two tabs on the front V-Bracket assembly with the two tabs on the undercarriage main frame. Push down on the front V-Bracket assembly to secure it into place (Figure 17).
18. Line up the two holes on the front v-bracket assembly with the two holes in the frame. After the two holes are lined up, insert the #8 x 1/2" screw (Figure 18). Place the #8 washer on the screw. Thread the #8 nylon lock nut on by hand. Use the adjustable wrench and screwdriver to tighten completely. Repeat step 18 for other hole.

19. Line up the holes on the front the of pedal car with the holes on the front v-bracket assembly. Insert the #8 x 1/2" screw through the hole (Figure 19). Place the #8 washer on the screw. Thread the #8 nylon lock nut on by hand. Use the philips screwdriver and adjustable wrench to tighten completely. Repeat step 19 for other side.

20. Line up the hole on the wheel with the axle. Slide the wheel onto the axle (Figure 20).

21. Place the 3/8” washer onto the axle (Figure 21).

22. Thread the 3/8” nylon lock nut on by hand. Use the adjustable wrench to tighten until axle threads are through locknut (Figure 22). Do not over tighten. Repeat steps 20 through 22 for the other wheel.

23. Locate the parts bags marked Parts Bag D and the windshield. Line up the tab on the windshield with the slot on the top of the pedal car body (Figure 23). Insert the tab into the slot.
24. Line up the hole on the windshield with the hole on the side of the pedal car body. Then insert the #6 x 5/16" screw through the holes (Figure 24). Then place the 5/16" washer over the screw.

25. Thread the 5/16" lock nut on by hand. Use adjustable wrench and screwdriver to tighten completely (Figure 25). Repeat steps 24 and 25 for the other side.

26. Locate the steering wheel and the 1" washer with rectangular cut out and 3/8" cap nut. Place the 1" washer over the end of the steering column (Figure 26).

27. Slide the steering wheel over the steering column (Figure 27).

28. Thread the 3/8" cap nut on by hand. Use the adjustable wrench to tighten completely (Figure 28).

29. Locate the parts bag with the hub caps. Line up the hub cap in the center of the tabs (Figure 29).

30. Insert the hub cap into the center of the tabs (Figure 30).

31. Then push down the six tabs around the hub cap. The recommended method would be to use the rubber handle of another household tool (Figure 31). Repeat steps 29 through 31 for the other three hubcaps.

30. Locate the bag with the two pedals. Remove the locknut from the pedal. Line up the pedal with the desired hole in the pedal rod (Figure 30). Please note: there are three holes for adjusting to the appropriate length of your child's legs.
31. After you find the desired hole, insert the bolt through the hole. Then thread the 3/8" lock nut onto the bolt by hand, making sure the spacer washer fits into the hole. (Figure 31).

32. Use two adjustable wrenches to tighten completely (Figure 32). Repeats steps 32 through 34 for the other pedal.

Please note: If you have the Police Car or the Taxi Cab you are finished with the assembly instructions. However if you have the Fire Truck, Delivery Truck or the Tow Truck please see the attached supplemental instruction sheet(s).

Supplemental Instructions for Fire Truck (PC300)

Parts List:
1 - Chrome Bell and bracket with fasteners
2 - Chrome Ladder Rails (One Left and One Right)
2 - Wood Ladders
2 - 3/16" x 1" Screws
4 - 3/16" Nylon lock nuts
2 - 3/16" x 3/8" Screws
4 - 3/16" Washers

1. Locate the chrome bell with bracket remove the screws and washers from the bracket. Line up the holes on the bracket with the holes on the top of the pedal car body (Figure 1).

2. Insert the screw through the hole in the bracket and the hole in the pedal car body. From the underside place the washer and locknut on by hand. Then tighten with the adjustable wrench and the philips screwdriver (Figure 2). Repeat steps 1 and 2 for other side of the bracket.

3. Tie the string from the chrome bell onto the steering wheel (Figure 3).

4. Locate either the left or right chrome rail. Remove the existing screw that is holding the tailgate on. Line up the hole at the end of chrome rail with the hole in the tailgate. Reinsert the tailgate screw through the hole (Figure 4). Place the washer over the screw and thread the locknut on by hand. Please note: do not tighten the screw and locknut at this point.
5. Line up the hole on the rear of the chrome rail with the hole on the rear of the pedal car body. Insert the 3/16" x 1" screw through the hole (Figure 5). Then place the 3/16" washer over the screw. Thread the 3/16" locknut on by hand. Please note: do not tighten the screw and locknut at this point.

6. Line up the slot on the chrome rail with the hole closest to the seat area in the pedal car body. Insert 3/16" x 3/8" screw through hole and chrome rail (Figure 6). Place the 3/16" washer over the screw. Thread the locknut on by hand. Tighten all three locknuts with adjustable wrench and Philips screwdriver. Repeat steps 4 through 6 for other side.

7. Place one ladder on each side of the chrome rail, as shown (Figure 7).