

Troubleshooting:

Problem: The unit fails to operate, or operates incorrectly.

Action #1: Make sure that you have fresh batteries in the unit and that they are installed according to proper polarity. You will hear a tone emitted from the unit when you install the batteries correctly.

Action #2: Make sure that the volume is turned up to an audible level

Action #3: Make sure that there is nothing inhibiting the depression of the switch plate OR holding the switch plate down (i.e. icons, crumbs, sticky juice, etc.)

Action #4: If you are using an external capability switch, make sure that there is a TIGHT connection between the switch and the unit (there should be NO gaps). Especially check this when using adapters. Any gaps will cause the unit to function incorrectly or not work at all.

Action #5: If you are using an external capability switch, test that switch with another device to rule out the switch as the source of the problem. Do the same with any adapters that you may be using.

Care of the Unit:

The Small Talk Sequencer can be wiped clean with any mild household multi-purpose, non-abrasive cleaner and disinfectant. We recommend Simple Green, which is a non toxic biodegradable all-purpose cleaner.

Do not use abrasive cleaners, as they will scratch the surface of the unit.

Do not submerge the unit, as it will damage the electrical components.



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Small Talk Sequencer #8151 & 8151Y

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Carry on a conversation!

A spectacular combination with single, sequential, and random message capabilities with an output for activating other devices. Sequential capability is great for storytelling, singing songs, telling a joke or carrying on a conversation with your friends. Press the plate the first time and the first message is spoken; press it again and the second message is heard; etc. Random capability is great for playing games that use dice, spinners, cards and more. Record up to 250 messages. Total record time is 300 seconds. Also can be activated by an external switch. Comes with a clear cover. Size: 6¼"L x 6¼"W x 3"H. Requires 4 AAA Batteries.

Operation:

Battery Installation:

1. Carefully turn unit over and remove the small screw from the battery compartment. Slide the battery compartment cover off. Observing polarity, install four AAA size batteries (Not included) into the holder. Use alkaline batteries only (e.g. Duracell or Energizer brand). Do not use rechargeable batteries or any other type of batteries because they supply lower voltage and the unit will not perform properly. Never mix old and new batteries together or different brands or types together. Replace the battery compartment cover and replace the screw.

Settings:

2. Make sure that the volume is at an audible level by turning the **ON/OFF/VOLUME** knob clockwise. Set the **Random/Sequencer/Single** switch to **Sequence**. **Please Note:** The **Random/Sequencer/Single** switch only has two positions; **Sequencer/Single** position controls both the **Sequencer** and **Single** switch functions.

Single Message Recording:

3. Press and **HOLD** the red record button on the bottom of the unit. Next press and **HOLD** the round plate switch on the top of the unit. Speak your message clearly, with your mouth preferably about 6" from the microphone (the small "fuzzy" circle on the back side of the unit) then release the plate, but **continue to hold the red record button** on the bottom of the unit. **DO NOT RELEASE THE RED RECORD BUTTON IF YOU WISH TO CONTINUE THE SEQUENCE OF MESSAGES.** If only recording a Single message release both.

Sequential Message Recording:

4. If you wish to continue recording additional messages, press the switch plate again and record your next message. For each new message you must release only the top round switch plate after each message is recorded. When finished recording release both round plate and Record button. You have a maximum of 250 recordings on this unit. Messages can be any length the units maximum total recoding time is 300 seconds.

Message Playback:

5. To use the device for playback, set the **Random/ Sequence/Single** switch to the desired position. Each time the user presses and releases the switch plate on the top of the unit, they will hear the messages recorded either in the sequence in which they were recorded or randomly depending on your settings. There is also a 1/8" female jack that will accept most external capability switches. When using an external switch, make sure there are no gaps between the connections, push cables in tightly.
6. When you are done using the unit, turn it off. If you will not be using the unit for a prolonged period of time, remove the batteries from the battery compartment.
7. A removable clear plastic cover can be used to hold picture icons or words. To remove the cover, carefully lift up on one side of the clear cover. Place your icon then place the cover over the plate and press the cover down gently. Do not hit or press the cover down, doing so can damage the unit and make removal of the cover difficult.
8. The Small Talk Sequencer can also be activated by another external capability switch, via the switch input jack located on the side of the unit. Make sure your switch is plugged in all the way with no gaps. External switch activation will replicate as if the large switch plate on the device was depressed.