Thank you for applying for a government issued child! You have received one (1) standard issue child (base model, 2024 version, X3877BR725A), as per your state's allocated funding. This is the instruction manual for your new child.

1) Software updates

Your child will receive free software updates known as "schooling" for the first 18 years of its life. These updates will provide it with bug fixes and new features, such as the ability to read, write, and do increasingly complex arithmetic. These software updates will also provide refinements to the language model that powers your child's ability to read, talk, understand speech, and have creative thought using generative ai technology. Your child will receive these free software updates, ("schooling") for the first 18 years of its life. After that, your specific model will become phased out and will no longer receive these updates. However, after schooling, you may select for your child to receive one (1) to eight (8) years of paid software updates known as "collage". These updates are very large, and often take months to download. During this period, if you wish, you can send in your child to a state-sponsored facility to receive these updates. This has been a brief summary of schooling for your state issued child. To get the full guide, visit www.your-childs-education-.mi/gov and enter your child's serial number, X3877BR725A.

2) Charging

You can charge your state issued child using power cells known as "food". Depending on the variety of power cell you choose, it will power your child for six (6) to twenty-four (24) hours. Your

child model X3877BR725A accepts power cell (food) models A5123 (V. 1.2.6), RO9925 (V. 2.8.1), and E66951 (V. 11.7.1) and later versions of these same models. Power cells can be inserted into your child via the hole in its face and removed through the hole between its legs once the energy in them has been consumed. For the first two (2) to four (4) years of its life, the removal of these energy cells must be done manually. After that, your child will receive a firmware update that will allow it to attach to the receptacle in your bathroom and remove expended power cells automatically. They will be carried away to the state recycling center in two (2) to five (5) business days. Expended power cells are recycled into new ones as part of our efforts to become carbon neutral within the next decade. For more information about our carbon neutrality efforts, and your child's charging, please visit www.your-childs-charging.mi.gov and enter your childs serial number, X3877BR725A.

3) Uses for your child

If raised correctly, your child will provide you with many years of both fulfillment and entertainment. A well-raised child will also gain the ability to perform various household chores. Your child is not programmed with these abilities, so they must be adapted through training of the language model that powers your child. This is just one of the many uses for your state-sponsored child. For more information about uses for this child, please visit www.your-childs-uses.mi.gov. This has been a brief summary of the instruction manual for your state-issued child. Please visit www.your-child.mi.gov and enter your childs serial number (X3877BR725A) to learn more.

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