

PeaPod

Guide to Accompany Item # 1325197 & 1325198

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Introduction

Congratulations on your purchase of the PeaPod! Like peas in a pod, kids will love the deep pressure snuggle factor these inflatable "veggies" provide! Designed by a therapist, the durable super strength vinyl is the key to its durability and deep pressure capabilities, while the flocked surface makes it soft to the touch. Perfect for kid calming, defining spatial boundaries, as an added support on suspended equipment and more! The PeaPod comes in 2 sizes:

- Junior PeaPod: 42" L (106 cm) item #1325197
- Medium PeaPod: 62" L (157 cm) item #1325198

Product Use

Use an electric inflator with a nozzle to inflate the chambers on the pod. Inflate the bottom chamber and inside pillow first, then fill the two outer wall chambers. Be sure all plugs are securely closed and retracted. This will help maintain good air pressure to keep the PeaPod's snug fit. Here are a few of our favorite PeaPod ideas:

- 1. As a kid calmer: Most children should be able to crawl in and adjust the pod around them for that perfect cocooning calm. PeaPod is great for chilling out while watching TV or reading a book.
- 2. To define spatial boundaries: Use a PeaPod during circle time or story time, for those children who need extra help keeping their place on the floor and/or for those who dislike other children invading their "personal space".
- 3. For rhythmic rocking: Durable side handles make it easy for a therapist or caregiver to rock the child gently side to side.
- 4. To support vestibular activities: place the PeaPod on a platform or net swing for added support and comfort during rocking and spinning activities.
- 5. For group activities: Have each child positioned in a separate PeaPod, with pods spaced as needed for skill level. Have the children toss beanbags, or balls around the group and/or towards a target.

Modifications

For an added sensory feel have the child crawl into the PeaPod, then fill up with plastic ball pool balls, packing chips or other sensory textures.

Care & Safety

PeaPods are made of a super strength vinyl with triple welded seams for added strength. However, they are not puncture proof, so avoid contact with sharp objects. Flocked vinyl is surface washable. Children should not be left unattended while using the PeaPod. Recommended for ages 4 and up.

Recommended Products

- For more great calming, deep pressure ideas, check out these other Abilitations products:
- Body Sox (assorted sizes): Lycra sack that kids can crawl into. Great for deep pressure and body awareness.
- Stretcheze (assorted sizes): Lycra bands that stretch and move.
- Fish Tunnel (item #025221): Lycra tunnel that's a house of fun for crawling and wrapping



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