



SWING FRAME

Important: Before you assemble the Swing Frame, it is important that you read the safety notice below, and then read and follow these instructions carefully. If you have any problems, queries or concerns, please telephone our Customer Services Department on 08705 352 352.

IMPORTANT SAFETY NOTICE

Position the Swing Frame on a soft, level surface such as grass – **NEVER** on a hard surface. The Swing Frame is not designed for adults, or for children weighing more than 5½ stone (35kg). Allow only one child at a time on the Swing Frame.

Always supervise children while they are playing on the Swing Frame. Make sure they do not wear anything that can catch or snag on the equipment (e.g. jackets with hoods or cords, clothes with baggy pockets, jewellery). Make sure they do not carry bags or other items onto the equipment. Children should not wear cycle helmets on our play equipment.

Check nuts and bolts regularly and tighten them if necessary. If not checked regularly, bolts can loosen and components may become detached and cause injuries.

BEFORE YOU START

The Early Learning Centre Swing Frame can be used with any of the Early Learning Centre swing seats, which are sold separately.

This leaflet gives instructions for assembling the frame and for attaching the seat. The Swing Frame should be assembled by an adult, perhaps with another adult to help. **Taking time over the assembly helps to ensure safety. You should allow about an hour to complete the job.**

We recommend that you check all the parts against the Parts List before starting. Do this by laying out all the parts on a flat surface – but not on grass.

Use the spanners provided. Do not use pliers, as these can cause damage.

QUALITY

The Swing Frame is made from strong steel tubes, galvanised to combat rusting from the inside and coated with tough polyester paint. All other metal parts (e.g. nuts and bolts) have been specially plated. The product has been fully tested for paint toxicity and for mechanical and physical properties. Certificates have been granted for British Standard BS 5665 and European Standard EN71.

PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES

Activities like climbing, swinging, bouncing, sliding and balancing are all part of the fun of learning whilst growing up. Successfully meeting these challenges builds children's confidence as well as helping muscular development and coordination. Confidence depends on success, so it's important to let children go at their own pace, giving them a helping hand as long as they need it.

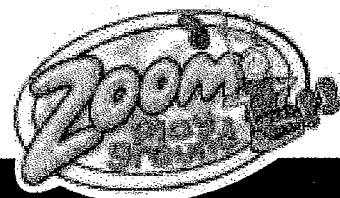
CARE OF YOUR SWING FRAME

Note that the lifetime guarantee against rust perforation does not cover rust due to chipped paintwork. Check the paintwork regularly and if necessary touch up using a non-toxic enamel or car type paint (available from good DIY stores). We regret we cannot supply paint as the type we use is suitable only for machine application.

IMPORTANT

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Toys that make learning fun!



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SWING

ASSEMBLE THE TOP SECTION

1

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To prevent scratching the paint work whilst assembling this product, hold the **bolt heads** stationary with **one spanner**, and then tighten the fixings by turning the **other spanner** on the **nuts**.

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Put a **large washer** on both **80mm bolts** and pass it through the holes in both top sections. Place the **met bracket** between the top sections, over the bolts as

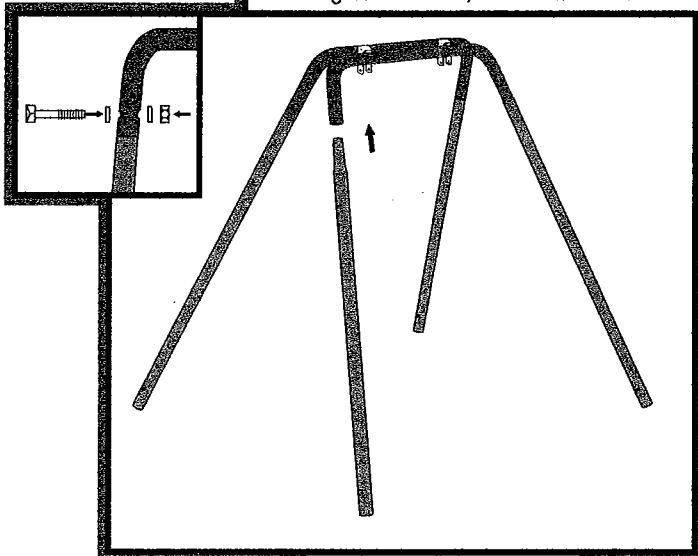
The tubes fit snugly against the grooves in the brackets.

ADD THE LEGS

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Insert 4 **leg sections** into the ends of the **top assembly**. Fix using **40mm bolts**, **standard washers** and **standard nuts**.



Leave the nuts loose for the time being.

B

Insert **foot bungs** into the non-tapered ends of the unused **leg sections**.

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Insert these **leg sections** into the assembly.

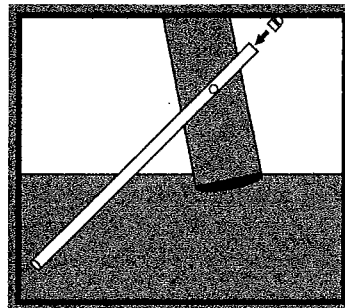
FITTING THE GROUND PEGS

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Use the **spanners** provided to tighten all **nuts**, then add a **domenut** to **EVERY bolt** and tighten these.

Make sure the frame is on level ground.



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Attach the legs to the **ground peg** using **50mm bolts**, **standard washers** and **standard nuts**. **Set ground pegs in concrete**. To do this, dig holes for the concrete: **least 30cm deep, 30cm wide and 30cm long**.

B

Make sure all the parts are in position and all the **domenuts** are fully tightened.

All domenuts will be on the inside of the frame.

C

Drive a **fixing peg** into the ground at an angle of about **45°** on the outside of each leg frame.

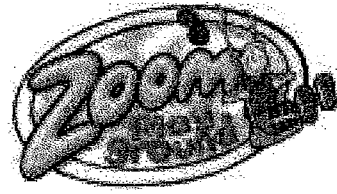
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Insert a **peg bung** into the end of each **ground peg** on the outside of the frame.

WARNING

Please ensure that when pegging in the swing, the legs have been splayed out as far as they will spread. This will ensure optimum stability.

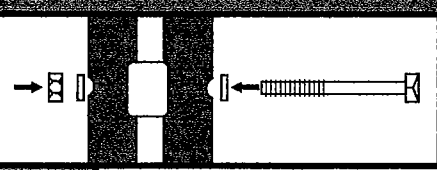
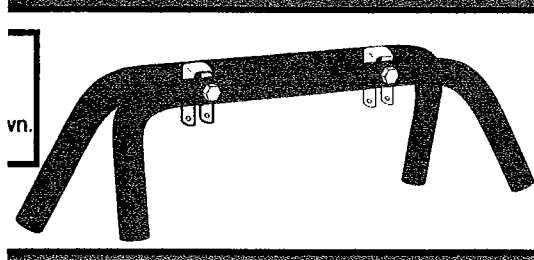
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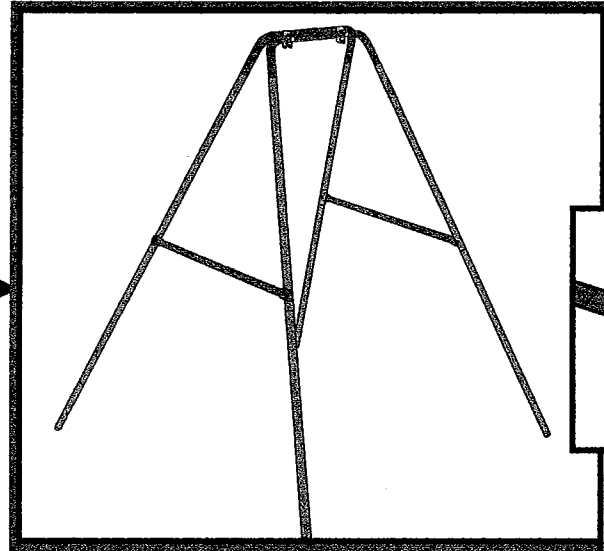
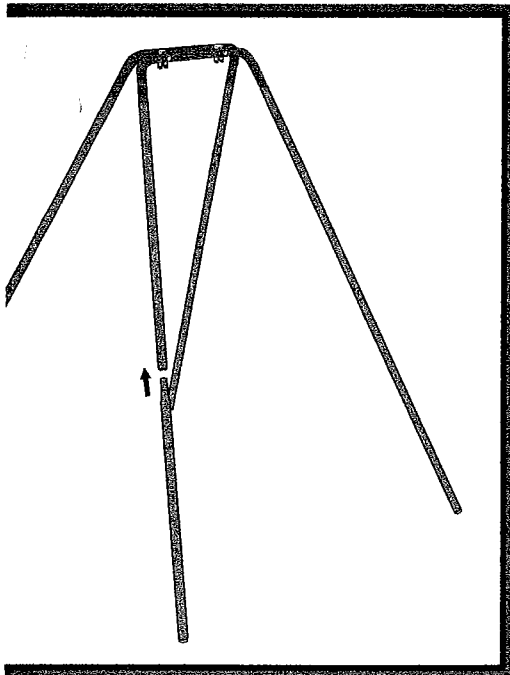
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IMPORTANT

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Add another **large washer** and a **large nut** to each **bolt** and tighten enough to hold the **brackets** in place.

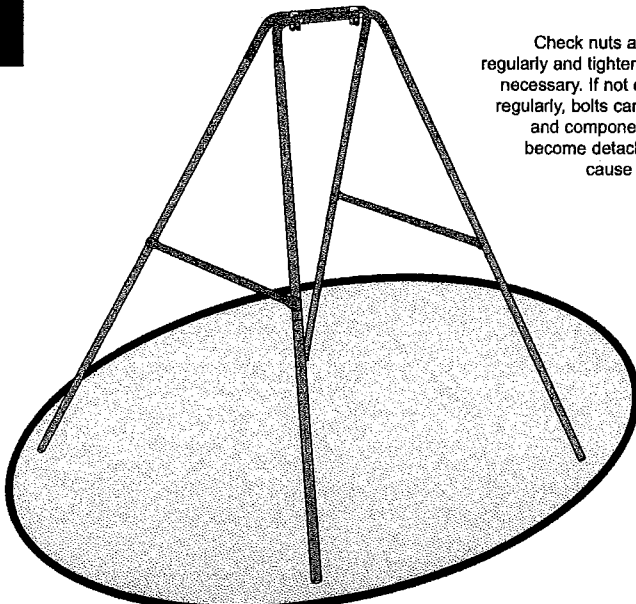


D Align the holes at the joins in the legs and fix the 2 **cross supports** as shown, using **40mm bolts**, **standard washer** and **standard nuts**.

The crossbars are angled to fit snugly against the leg section, make sure they are the right way round.

COMPLETE SWING FRAME

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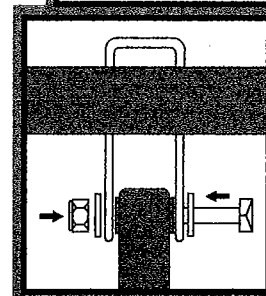
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ADD THE SWING SEAT (sold separately)

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Attach the swing of your choice to the **brackets** using **35mm bolts**, **small washers**, **plastic tubes** and **self-locking nuts** as shown.

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Make sure that the locknuts are fully tightened onto the bolts.