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## The Little Robot Who Could

One fine day, a small robot by the name of Chibi-Robo arrives at the Sanderson house. What does this fourinch automaton want? To bring happiness to all! With the help of his flying robot manager, Telly Vision, Chibi-Robo works day and night to help the Sanderson family get the most out of life and find happiness.

#### Head

Need to store some garbage? Jewelry? How about a pirate ship? Chibi-Robo's chrome dome has an easy-open top for quick access, and it can store almost anything. It also comes equipped with handy signs, / & / with which he conveys his feelings.

#### Chibi-Vision

Using state-of-the-art technology, Chibi-Robo's Chibi-Vision can zoom in on distant objects in the blink of an eye.

#### Chibi-Battery

Chibi-Robo's power source. It loses energy as Chibi-Robo moves about. If it drains completely, Chibi-Robo will be rendered motionless



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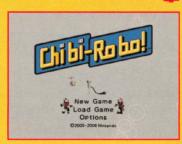






## Main Menu

Once the power is turned on, the title screen will display. Use or to select New Game, press (A) to confirm, then follow the on-screen instructions to create a new game file and start playing. You can continue playing previously saved games by selecting Load Game here



#### **New Game**

Select New Game to start playing Chibi-Robo from the beginning. Use or to select a file in which to create new game data, and press (1) to confirm. If there are no empty files available, select a file to overwrite. Remember, an overwritten file is gone for good and cannot be restored.





#### Recyclotron

Use Scrap gained from destroying Spydorz to build Utilibots with the Recyclotron. Select which Utilibot to build with o or a and press A to confirm.





Scrap is what the Recyclotron uses for building materials. Chibi-Robo can pick up Scrap by destroying the mysterious arachnid-shaped robots known as Spydorz with his Chibi-Blaster.

Use these to cross

enormous gaps!



#### **What Are Utilibots?**

Utilibots are machines that let Chibi-Robo gain access to places he can't reach on his own. Chibi-Robo can activate Utilibots by plugging into them with his Chibi-Plug and sharing his battery power.



#### Ladders

Use these to get to higher ground!

#### Warps

Use these to warp to distant places!



## Controls

Chibi-Robo's ready for action! Explore the Sanderson's home and help them find happiness. For detailed explanations of Chibi-Robo's individual actions, please see pages 18-19.

#### L Button

• Center camera behind Chibi-Robo (see page 13)

#### START/PAUSE

• Open and close Pause menu (see pages 16-17)





#### **Control Stick**

- Make menu selections
- Move Chibi-Robo



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# △ → +Control Pad

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Make menu selections



#### **C Stick**

- Make menu selections
- Move camera (see page 13)



## Marks the Spot!

The Investigation icon, ((iii), will sometimes pop up when Chibi-Robo gets close to certain items or people. When it appears, press (A) to investigate.



Talk to family members and toys! They've got lots of things to tell you.



Check out hanging cords! They're a great way to reach new heights.



Snoop snoop! Open drawers to see where it gets you.



Talk to the can! Investigate garbage cans to get rid of trash you are carrying.



#### **About the Chibi-Robo Chibi-Manual**

At some point in the game, the Chibi-Robo Chibi-Manual will appear in the living room. This is the official Chibi-Robo owner's guide. It contains everything you need to know about Chibi-Robo and Chibi-Gear.





## Main Screen

This is the screen where the majority of Chibi-Robo's adventure unfolds. One of the most important things to do is keep an eye on the Chibi-Battery and make sure it doesn't run out.

**Day and Night Icons** 

The sun icon displays during the day, and the moon icon

displays at night.



## What's on The Screen?

Each day in the game is divided into equal day and night periods, and the family members will be in different places during each period. If Chibi-Robo's battery runs out while he's out and about, Telly will transport him to the Chibi-House where he can safely recharge—but poor Chibi will lose some Moolah in the process.

#### Time

This shows the total time in minutes for each day or night period.



This shows Chibi-Robo's current Happy Point total.

#### Moolah

This shows Chibi-Robo's current Moolah total (see page 20). Use Moolah to buy items on the Chibi-PC

#### Scrap

This shows how many pieces of Scrap Chibi-Robo is carrying. Scrap is used to make Utilibots. This number will flash when Chibi-Robo has collected enough Scrap to make a Utilibot.



#### Chibi-Battery

This shows how much energy is in Chibi-Robo's battery.
This will decrease as Chibi-Robo moves around.

## U Status

Chibi-Robo's ranking, Happy Points, and Moolah are on display here.

#### Chibi-Ranking

Where Chibi-Robo is currently ranked.

Amount of Happy Points, Moolah, and Scrap

#### Chibi-Robo Upgrades

This shows the components Chibi-Robo has purchased on the Chibi-PC (see page 20).



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## Controller -

Open this menu item to see a layout of the control scheme. Check it out if you forget what a button does.



## Sticker

Chibi-Robo will gain Happy Stickers as he progresses through the game. Come here to check them out.





# **Equip Menu**

Press x on the main screen to display the Equip menu. This is where you go to equip Chibi-Gear and tools, as well as to change suits.

# Viewing the Equip Menu

The top row of the menu shows Chibi-Gear and tools, while the bottom shows Chibi's suits. Use , or to switch between rows. Time stops when the Equip menu is open.



## **Selecting Suits**

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As Chibi-Robo explores the house, he'll get special suits to wear. Use , or to scroll through the suits and press to put one on or to take it off.

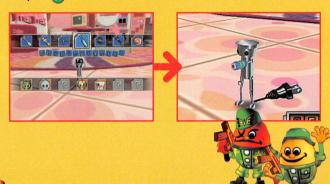


Press while wearing a suit to strike a pose. Poses differ depending on the suit being worn.

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# Selecting Chibi-Gear and Tools

Chibi-Robo can equip Chibi-Gear he buys online (see page 20) and tools he picks up around the house. Use , , or to choose a piece of Chibi-Gear or a tool for Chibi-Robo to use and press to confirm.



**Using Chibi-Gear and Tools** 

Press (A) to use the tool or Chibi-Gear that Chibi-Robo has equipped.

To put tools and Chibi-Gear away, press (B) or return to the Equip menu, select the equipped tool or piece of Chibi-Gear, and press (A).





## **Pause Menu**

Press START/PAUSE on the main screen to display the Pause menu. The Pause menu is where you come to check on Chibi-Robo's status, items, and stickers.

# Viewing the Pause Menu

Use  $\bigcirc$  or  $\bigcirc$  to choose a menu selection, then press  $\bigcirc$  to confirm. The game clock stops while you are in the Pause menu.

Status

Items

Controller

Stickers

**ltems** 

(11)

All of the items Chibi-Robo has collected are shown here. Select an item with or then press to see a description of the item.



The number displayed next to an item shows how many of that item Chibi-Robo is carrying.



Depending on the situation, Chibi-Robo can sometimes use items by pressing (1).

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# How to Operate the Three Cameras

All cameras can be zoomed in or out by moving (a) up and down.





### **Centered Camera**

Move (1) left and right to rotate the camera. Press 10 center the camera behind Chibi-Robo.

## **Chibi-Vision**

Press to switch the camera into first-robot view. Use to look around. Hard-to-find items are easy to spot with Chibi-Vision, so be sure to make good use of it.





## Map Camera

Press to switch to a ceiling camera for a bird's-eye view of the room Chibi-Robo is exploring. The map will display Chibi-Robo's location, as well the locations of items. Use to move the camera's position.



# **Explore!**

One of the most important things for Chibi-Robo to do is to explore his surroundings. Who knows what treasures hide behind shelves and on tables? Get out there and check out every nook and cranny!

# Moving Chibi-Robo

Tilt in the direction you want Chibi-Robo to move. Tilt it a little bit to make him walk, or tilt it farther to make him run.

Chibi-Robo can climb up or jump onto some objects. Walk toward the object and press and hold to make a small meter appear. If you keep holding in the desired direction, Chibi-Robo will climb or jump up onto the object when the meter is full.

There are some places where Chibi-Robo can hang from edges.

Use o and to climb up and b to let go and drop.



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## Charging Up

Press A while standing next to the Chibi-Plug to pick it up. Move close to a socket while carrying the Chibi-Plug and press A again to make Chibi-Robo plug himself in and recharge. Once Chibi-Robo is recharged, you can save your game progress. If you want to save, select ? and press A



## B B Button

- Cancel
- Put Chibi-Gear away (see page 15)
- Drop Chibi-Plug
- Scroll through conversation text

#### R R Button

 Turn map camera on and off (see page 13)



#### Z Z Button

Pose (see page 14)

#### Y Button

 Turn Chibi-Vision on and off (see page 13)



# X

#### **X Button**

 Open the Equip menu (see pages 14-15)

## (A) A Button

- Confirm selections
   Pick up Chibi-Plug
- Investidate
- Talk
- Use Chibi-Gear and items (see page 15)
- Scroll through conversation tex





## Chibi House

This is Chibi-Robo's base of operations. He returns here automatically at the end of each day and night or when his battery runs out.



## **Break Time**

At the end of each day and night, Chibi-Robo returns to the Chibi-House to recharge, count his Happy Points, and adjust his standings in the Chibi-Rankings. Rumor has it that he'll get new, longer-lived batteries as he moves up in the rankings. Game progress can also be saved in the Chibi-House.







#### Chibi-Po

The Chibi-House is also the place to use the Chibi-PC, where Chibi-Robo can access the Online Shop and the Recyclotron. Eventually, Scrap Trade will be an option as well.

### Online Shop

This is the place to buy Chibi-Gear and items with your hard-earned Moolah. Select items with or or and confirm with A. If you purchase the Timer 10 or Timer 15, each day and night time period will be ten or fifteen minutes long.





#### Load Game

Choose Load Game to continue a previously saved game. Use or to select a file, and then press to confirm.



#### **Options**

On the Options menu, you can choose to turn the Rumble Feature on or off and set the Sound to Stereo or Mono.





#### **About Saving**

You can save your game whenever Chibi-Robo charges his battery (see page 18). A single save file requires six blocks on your Memory Card. You can save up to three games on a Memory Card. You can play Chibi-Robo without a Memory Card, but once you turn the game off, you will lose all of your progress.



While the game is saving, do not remove the Memory Card or turn the power off as this may damage the Memory Card or the Nintendo GameCube.



For information on formatting or deleting saved data from a Memory Card, please see the Nintendo GameCube Instruction Booklet.



# Talk to Telly!

#### I don't know what to do!

Well, here are a few ideas for you! Try on suits and press

, talk with people in the house, or shoot Sunshine stickers with the Chibi-Blaster. How's that for starters?







# I don't have enough Moolah to buy any Chibi-Gear!

Have you seen any of those funny doors with blinking eyes? I've named them Chibi-Doors, and Chibi-Robo can open them with his Chibi-Plug. I've got a feeling there may be something useful behind them...



Unfortunately, I do not have an answer for you.

Ah! That robot's got a socket. I wonder what
would happen if Chibi-Robo plugged his ChibiPlug into it...







Watch out for mysterious come alive when humans

### **Meet the Sandersons**

The head of the household, Mr. Sanderson, is currently unemployed. His wife, Mrs. Sanderson, takes care of the housework and family finances and is struggling with the family budget. Their daughter, Jenny, only speaks in the language of frogs. Meanwhile, the family's faithful dog, Tao, wants nothing more than bones.





# NOTES!





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