

# Getting Started With T3 Atlas

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## WELCOME

Prepare to explore the world and outer space with this set of 46 interactive tactile maps! With *T3 Atlas*, you can place any of the tactile sheets in this binder on a T3 Tablet, then explore the maps with both hands. Whenever you want to know the name of any country, state, city, ocean, river or lake you touch, just press down with one finger. Press again on the same spot to learn pertinent information, such as area, population, lengths of rivers, and heights of mountains.

## FIRST...

- Plug in the tablet to wall power, and connect to the internet via network cable or Wi-Fi. Wait until you

hear, “T3, Place a Sheet to Start”, it takes about two minutes.

- Remove a map sheet from this binder and place it on the tablet. Line up the three pins on the left side of the tablet with the three holes on the sheet.
- T3 will announce the name of the map, for example, “Southern Africa”.
- You can explore the map in silence with both hands. Then, when you want information about any place, lift your other fingers slightly so that only your pointing finger is still touching the place you want to know about. You will hear its name spoken aloud.
- Press again on the same spot to access more layers of information (e.g., area or population). Rising tones at the end of the audio layer indicate there are more layers; descending tones indicate there are no more layers.
- The Index lets you locate a particular place on the current map. Swipe right to access the Index. Follow the audio instructions, which will guide you as you

select a place from an alphabetical list, then follow a rising-pitch tone, as you drag your finger across the map towards your selected place.

## MAIN MENU

Swipe up or down to move through a list of options. As you do, you will hear each option spoken aloud. When you hear the option you want, swipe right to select it, then follow the spoken instructions.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

What to do if:

- You hear “Sheet not recognized” or “Downloading sheet contents” indefinitely: Remove sheet from tablet then replace it. If the error persists, check your internet connection.
- Tablet is not responding to touches: Power cycle by either holding down the power button on the bottom of

the tablet or disconnecting and reconnecting the power cord.

- TalkBack screen reader required/no longer required: Turn TalkBack on/off by connecting a USB keyboard and using the shortcut ALT + CTRL + Z.

## UPDATES

To find your current version of the T3 app: use the Main Menu and select Version. You may download the latest version from the Google Play Store. You must first exit the T3 app using the Main Menu. Search for Touch Graphics, T3, then click Update.

## TECH SUPPORT

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