

Safe Fit & GRO Car Seat

Instruction manual



IMPORTANT - RETAIN FOR FUTURE REFERENCE, READ CAREFULLY.

Warning: A child's safety is your responsibility.

This product is tested and approved to ECE R 44/04

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2.Welcome

Thank you for purchasing the Puggle Safe Safe Fit & Gro 1-2-3 Car Seat.

Please read the instructions and warnings carefully before use to ensure safe and satisfactory operation of of your Puggle Safe Fit & Gro 1-2-3 Car Seat.

If you have a query with this product or require replacement parts, please contact Online4Baby online at online4baby.com/contact-us.

3. Safety instructions

IMPORTANT! PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY REFORE INSTALLING THE PRODUCT

- WARNING: This child safety seat is suitable for use as Group 1/2/3 from approx. 9 months - 12 years of age (9-36kg).
- WARNING: Please read these instructions carefully, as incorrect installation could result in serious injury. If any injuries should occur as a result of incorrect installation, the manufacturer will accept no responsibility.
- WARNING: This child seat is in accordance with the ECE R44/04
 regulations and may be installed in the majority of vehicles equipped
 with approved points, such as ISOFIX points, in accordance with ECE
 regulation 16, however, prior to purchase, the child seat should always
 be tested in your vehicle with the child seated, in order to ensure that
 the model meets your needs.
- WARNING: Never use the child safety seat without its cover.
- WARNING: Protect the child safety seat from direct sunlight, as the seat can get very hot and harm the child.
- WARNING: Child seats or accessories that are damaged or have been used incorrectly must be replaced.
- WARNING: Do not leave heavy objects inside the car, as these may injure the child in the event of an accident.
- WARNING: Ensure that no part of the child seat is caught in the door
 of the vehicle or in a reclining seat. In addition, ensure that the safety
 seat is correctly installed and secured.
- WARNING: Do not disassemble, modify, or add any piece to the child seat or harness as this would seriously affect its basic functioning and the safety that the child seat provides.
- WARNING: The safety seat must remain installed in the vehicle. Even
 if the child is not seated in the car seat. The child must never be left
 unattended while seated in the safety seat, not even outside the vehicle.
- WARNING: Keep the safety seat away from corrosive products.
- WARNING: The manufacturer guarantees the quality of its products, but not the quality of second-hand products or products belonging to other companies.
- WARNING: Instruction illustrations are for informational purposes only.
 The child restraint system may contain small differences compared to the photographs or images in the instruction manual.

4. Use in the vehicle

Please observe the instructions on the use of the child restraint systems described in your vehicle owner's manual.

The seat may be used in vehicles equipped with ISOFIX, Top Tether anchoring systems or 3-point belt.

You can use your child car seat as follows:

- In the direction of travel
- Against the direction of travel
- With 2-point (vehicle) belt

On seats featuring:

- ISOFIX attachments and top tether anchoring
- 3-point (vehicle) belt



5. Preparatory works

5.1 PREPARE ISOFIX

1. If your vehicle is not equipped with the ISOFIX insert guides as standard, clip the two insert guides "02" which are included with the seat with the cut-out facing upwards onto the two ISOFIX attachment points "01" of your vehicle.

TIP: The ISOFIX attachment points are located between the surface and the backrest of the vehicle seat (fig. 1).

2. Pull the fabric loop "03" to pull out both locking arms to longest position (fig. 2). **Note.** Remove plastic cover from the ISOFIX mechanism.





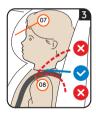
5.2. ADJUSTING THE HEADREST IN 5-POINT HARNESS INSTALLATION

A correctly adjusted headrest "07" ensures optimal protection for your child in the safety seat: the headrest "07" must be adjusted so that the shoulder belts "19" are at the same level as your child's shoulders (fig. 3).

CAUTION! The shoulder belts "19" must not run behind the back of the child or at ear height or above the ears.

The shoulder belts are adjusted as follows:

1. Press the adjusting button "26" and at the same time pull both shoulder belts "08" forwards. Do not pull on the shoulder pads "19", loosen the 5-point harness of the child seat as much as possible (fig. 4).





5. Preparatory works

5.2. ADJUSTING THE HEADREST IN 5-POINT HARNESS INSTALLATION

Back side of the child seat:

- 2. Press the button of the shoulder belt height adjuster "10" at the rear of the seat shell and tilt the shoulder belt height adjuster "10" towards you.
- 3. Slide the shoulder belt height adjuster "10" to select the correct height of the shoulder belts "19" and engage it in the position that fits for your child by releasing the button (fig. 5).

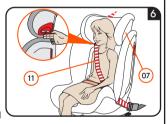


5.3. ADJUSTING THE HEADREST IN VEHICLE INSTALLATION

ONLY USE HEADREST ADJUSTER IN GROUP 2 3 MODE WITHOUT HARNESS.

A correctly adjusted headrest "07" ensures that the diagonal seat belt "11" is optimally positioned, and gives your child the optimal protection.

The headrest "07" must be adjusted so that there is a space two fingers wide between the headrest "07" and your child's shoulder (fig. 6).



5. Preparatory works

5.3. ADJUSTING THE HEADREST IN VEHICLE INSTALLATION

To adjust the height of the headrest to fit your child:

- 1. Squeeze the adjustment handle "12" on the back of the headrest "07". This unlocks the headrest (fig. 7).
- 2. You can now move the unlocked headrest "07" to the desired height. As soon as you release the adjustment handle "12" the headrest "07" will lock into place.
- 3. If the position of the headrest "07" is still not satisfactory, additional adjustment can be made through the shoulder belt height adjuster "10", as explained in Section 5.2



This seat offers a variety of mounting options. The following table indicates the types of installation for the respective groups:

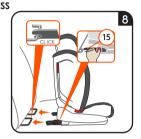
| Group | Fitting Options | Vehicle Belt | ISOFIX | Top Tether | Child Installation | User Guide Chapter |
|---------|--------------------|-----------------|--------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Group 1 | Method 1 | Yes | | | With 5-point harness | 4.1 |
| | Method 2 | | Yes | Yes | With 5-point harness | 4.2 |
| Group 2 | Method 1 | Yes | | Yes | With 5-point harness | 4.3 |
| | Method 2 | Yes | | | Vehicle belt | 4.4 |
| | Method 3 | Yes | Yes | | Vehicle belt | 4.4 |
| | Method 4 | Yes | Yes | Yes | Vehicle belt | 4.4 |
| Group 3 | Method 1 | Yes | | | Vehicle belt | 4.4 |
| | Method 2 | Yes | Yes | | Vehicle belt | 4.4 |
| | Method 3 | Yes | Yes | Yes | Vehicle belt | 4.4 |

6.1. GROUP 1 (9-18KG) WITH ISOFIX + TOP TETHER + 5-POINT HARNESS

- 1. Make sure that the child seat's 5-point harness is installed correctly (see section 7).
- 2. Follow the steps in section 5.1 (to prepare the ISOFIX).
- 3. Follow the steps in section 5.2 (to adjust the headrest).
- 4. Take the top tether and lay it over the child seat.
- 5. Place the child seat facing in the direction of travel on the vehicle seat.
- 6. Grasp the child seat with both hands and slide the two locking arms "15" firmly into the insert guides "02" until the locking arms engage with a clicking noise on both sides, the ISOFIX indicator "04" turn green on both sides (fig.8, 9).

CAUTION! The locking arms are only correctly engaged if both of the safety buttons "04" are completely green.

- 7. Push the child seat towards the backrest applying firm, even pressure on both sides (fig. 10).
- Shake the child safety seat to make sure it is safely attached and re-check the green safety buttons "04" to make sure that both of them are completely green.







6.1. GROUP 1 (9-18KG) WITH ISOFIX + TOP TETHER + 5-POINT HARNESS

- 9. Take the top tether and if required, lengthen the belt by pressing the top tether brake button to release the strap, pulling to adjust as necessary (fig. 11).
- 10. Hook the snap hook "17" into the top tether anchoring point recommended in your vehicle owner's guide. Look for this symbol in your vehicle (a) (fig. 12).
- 11. To tension the top tether, remove any slack by pulling on the free end of strap until it is suitably tightened. The top tether will be properly tightened when the tension indicator turns completely green (fig 13).
- 12. Follow the steps in section securing your child with 5-point harness.





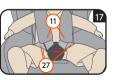


6.1. GROUP 1 (9-18KG)

WITH ISOFIX + TOP TETHER + 5-POINT HARNESS 6.1.1 SECURING YOUR CHILD WITH 5-POINT HARNESS

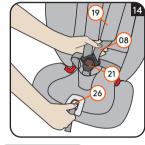
The more snualy the harness fits over your child's body, the better your child will be protected. Therefore avoid putting thick clothes on your child under the belt.

- 1. Open the harness buckle "21" by pressing red button.
- 2. Press the adjusting button "26" and at the same time pull both shoulder belts forwards. Do not pull on the shoulder pads "19" (fig 14).
- 3. Have your child sit down in the child seat
- 4. Make sure that your child's back lies flat against the backrest of the child seat
- 5 Guide the two buckle latches "20" together and engage them before putting them into the harness buckle "21" - this should make a click noise (fig. 15, 16, 17).
- 6. Pull on the adjuster strap "09" until the harness lies flat and is close against your child's body (fig. 18).









6.1. GROUP 1 (9-18KG)

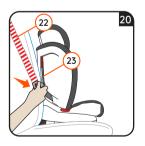
WITH ISOFIX + TOP TETHER + 5-POINT HARNESS

For the safety of your child, before every journey in the car check that...

- The child safety seat is engaged on both sides with the ISOFIX locking arms "15" in the ISOFIX attachment points "01" and that both green safety buttons "04" are completely green;
- The child seat is firmly installed in the vehicle;
- The Top Tether "13" is tightly tensioned over the backrest of the car seat and the tension indicator "18" is green:
- The straps of the child safety seat are close to the body without constricting the child;
- The shoulder belts "08" are correctly adjusted and the straps are not twisted:
- The shoulder pads "19" are the same level as your child's shoulders;
- The buckle latches "20" are engaged in the harness buckle.

6.2. GROUP 1 (9-18KG) VEHICLE BELT + 5-POINT HARNESS

- 1. Make sure that the child seat's 5-point harness is installed correctly (see section 9).
- 2. Follow the steps in section 5.2 (to adjust headrest).
- Place the child seat facing in the direction of travel on the vehicle seat.
- 4. Pull the vehicle belt "22" out and guide it through the belt guides of the child seat. Make sure that the belt is not twisted (fig. 20).



6.2. GROUP 1 (9-18KG) VEHICLE BELT + 5-POINT HARNESS

- 5. Engage the buckle tongue in the vehicle seat buckle "29" this should make a click noise (fig. 21).
- 6. On the side opposite the car seat belt buckle, swivel clamping lever "24" and insert diagonal belt in belt lock-off "25" (fig. 22).
- 7. Apply your body weight to the child seat (kneel into the seat). At the same time pull the diagonal belt strongly to tighten.
- 8. Follow the steps in section securing your child with 5-point harness.





6.2. GROUP 1 (9-18KG) VEHICLE BELT + 5-POINT HARNESS

For the safety of your child, before every journey in the car check that...

- The child seat is firmly installed in the vehicle:
- The belt is not twisted;
- The diagonal belt is only clamped by the lock-off which is located on the opposite side from the car seat belt buckle:
- The straps of the child safety seat are close to the body without constricting the child:
- The shoulder belts "08" are correctly adjusted and straps are not twisted:
- The shoulder pads "19" are at the same level as your child's shoulders;
- The buckle latches "20" are engaged in the harness buckle "21".

6.3. GROUP 2 (15-25KG) VEHICLE BELT + TOP TETHER + 5-POINT HARNESS

- Follow the steps in the section
 (to fix child seat by 3-point belt).
- 2. Take the top tether and if required, lengthen the belt by pressing the top tether brake button to release the strap, pulling to adjust as necessary (fig. 23).
- 3. Hook the snap hook "17" into the top tether anchoring point recommended in your vehicle owner's guide. Look for this symbol in your vehicle (a) (fig. 24).
- 4. To tension the top tether, remove any slack by pulling on the free end of strap until it is suitably tightened. The top tether will be properly tightened when the tension indicator turns completely green (fig. 25).
- 5. Follow the steps in section securing your child with 5-point harness.







6.3. GROUP 2 (15-25KG) VEHICLE BELT + TOP TETHER + 5-POINT HARNESS

For the safety of your child, before every journey in the car check that...

- The child seat is firmly installed in the vehicle:
- The belt is not twisted:
- The top tether "13" is tightly tensioned over the backrest of the car seat and the tension indicator "18" is green;
- The diagonal belt is only clamped by the lock-off which is located on the opposite side from the car seat buckle;
- The straps of the child's safety seat are close to the body without constricting the child;
- The shoulder belts "08" are correctly adjusted and the straps are not twisted;
- The shoulder pads "19" are at the same level as your child's shoulders:
- The buckle latches "20" are engaged in the harness buckle "21";

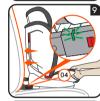
6.4. GROUP 2 (15-25KG) AND GROUP 3 (22-36KG) VEHICLE BELT

- 1. Make sure that the child seats 5-point harness is removed correctly (see section 8).
- 2. Follow steps in section 5.3 (to adjust headrest).
- 3. Follow steps in section 6.1, install child seat with ISOFIX and top tether (option).

6.4.1. Option A: install child seat with ISOFIX connectors and top tether.

- 1. Take the top tether and lay it over the child seat.
- 2. Place the child seat facing in the direction of travel on the vehicle seat.
- 3. Grasp the child seat with both hands and slide the tow locking arms "15" firmly into the insert guides "2" until the locking arms engage with a clicking noise on both sides, the ISOFIX indicator "04" turns green on both sides (fig. 8, 9).
- 4. Take the top tether and if required, lengthen the belt by pressing the top tether brake button to release the strap, pulling to adjust as necessary (fig. 11)







6.4. GROUP 2 (15-25KG) AND GROUP 3 (22-36KG) VEHICLE BELT

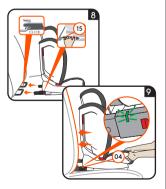
6.4.1. Option A: install child seat with ISOFIX connectors and top tether.

- 5. Hook the snap hook "17" into the top tether anchoring point recommended in your vehicle owner's guide. Look for this symbol in your vehicle (fig. 12).
- 6. To tension the top tether, remove any slack by pulling on the free end of strap until it is suitably tightened. The top tether will be properly tightened when tension indicator turns completely green (fig. 13).



6.4.2. Option B: install child seat with ISOFIX connectors only.

- Place the child seat facing in the direction of travel on the vehicle seat.
- 2. Grasp the child seat with both hands and slide the two locking arms "15" firmly into the insert guides "02" until the locking arms engage with a clicking noise on both sides. The ISOFIX indicators "04" will turn green on both sides (fig. 8, 9).



6.4. GROUP 2 (15-25KG) AND GROUP 3 (22-36KG) VEHICLE BELT

6.4.3. Option C: install child seat without ISOFIX neither top tether. Make sure ISOFIX connectors are in the shortest position.

- 1. Have your child sit down in the child seat.
- 2. Pull out the vehicle seat belt and guide it in front of your child to the vehicle seat buckle "29". Engage the buckle tongue in the vehicle seat buckle "29" CLICK! (fia. 25).





CAUTION! Do not twist the belt.

- 8. Guide the diagonal seat belt section "11" into the red belt holder "30" of the headrest "07" until it lies completely in the belt holder "30" and is not twisted (fig. 28).
- 9. Make sure that the diagonal seat belt "11" runs over your child's shoulder bone, and not in front of his/her neck.

Tip! You can still adjust the height of the headrest "07" again here in the vehicle.





For the safety of your child, before every journey in the car check that...

- The lap belt "28" runs through the light red belt guides "23" on both sides of seat cushion:
- The diagonal seat belt "11" on the side of the vehicle seat belt buckle "29" also runs through the light red belt guide "23" of the seat cushion;
- The diagonal seat belt "11" runs through the dark red belt holder "30" of the head rest.

7. Removal of the car seat

7.1. REMOVING THE CAR SEAT

- 1. To release the ISOFIX fastening, squeeze the safety button, first on one on side, then on the other.
- 2. Open the buckle of the vehicle seat belt and pull out the diagonal from lock-off.
- 3. To release the top-tether anchoring, loosen the belt by pressing the brake button of the adjuster. Then take the spring hook out of the anchoring point.
- 4. Slide the ISOFIX locking arms back into the seat shell.

8. Removal of the 5-point harness

8.1. REMOVING THE 5-POINT HARNESS

1. Loosen the 5-point harness "38" of the child seat as much as possible (fig. 29).

Back side of the child seat:

- 2. Press the button of the shoulder belt height adjuster "10" towards you (fig. 30).
- 3. Move the shoulder belt adjuster "10" into the top position and fix the position by releasing the button of the shoulder belt height adjuster.



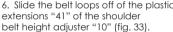


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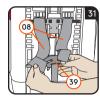
- 4. Loosen the 5-point harness "38" of the child seat as much as possible. Unhook the shoulder belts "08" on the back side of the child seat from the connecting piece "39" (fig. 31).
- 5. Snap the connecting piece "39" in the provided storage (fig. 32).





Front side of the child seat:

7. Pull below both, the shoulder pads "19" and the two shoulder belts "08" to the front through the slots "40" (front side of the child seat) (fia. 34).









8. Removal of the 5-point harness

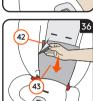
8.1. REMOVING THE 5-POINT HARNESS

Front side of the child seat:

8. Open the harness buckle "21" (press the red release button) (fig. 35).



9. Open the left and right press stud fasteners "42" on the lower part of the cover "43" and lift the cover piece to the front. Slide the buckle latches "20" down into the storage compartments (fig. 36 and 37).



10. Roll the shoulder belts "08" together and also place them into the storage compartments (fig. 37).



11. Reposition the two cover parts to the rear and lock the press stud fasteners "42" on the left and the right side of the cover back side (fig. 38).



8. Removal of the 5-point harness

8.1. REMOVING THE 5-POINT HARNESS

Front side of the child seat:

- 12. Lift the recline handle and pull at the front to fully recline the child seat (fig. 39).
- 13. Grasp the metal plate "33" from underneath and turn it into a vertical position.
- 14. Push upwards and slide the metal plate "33" through the slot "34".

Remove the harness buckle (fig. 40) and store in a safe place.





9. Refitting the $\overline{\text{5-point harness}}$

9.1. REFITTING THE 5-POINT HARNESS

1. Squeeze the adjustment handle "12" at the rear of the headrest "07" and push the headrest into the lowest position (fig. 41).



9. Refitting the 5-point harness

9.1. REFITTING THE 5-POINT HARNESS

- 2. Open the left and the right buttons on the lower part of the cover "43" and lay the cover piece on the seating area (fig. 42).
- 3. Take the shoulder belts "08" and the buckle latches "20" from the storage compartment "47" and unroll the shoulder belts (fig. 43).
- 4. Fold back the two cover pieces and close the left and right poppers "43" on the lower part of the cover (fig. 44).
- 5. Refitting harness buckle "21" and crotch pad. Group 1 (9-18kg) use the belt slot closest to the backrest "a", For Group 2 (15-25kg) use the one furthest away "b".
- 6. Take the harness buckle "21" and hold the metal plate "33" vertically. Push it with the narrow side upwards through the belt slot "a" or "b" into the seat shell from above (fig. 45).









9. Refitting the 5-point harness

9.1. REFITTING THE 5-POINT HARNESS.

- 7. Ensure by looking underneath the seat that the metal plate "33" is in a horizontal position and check the installation by pulling on the harness buckle "21" several times (fig. 46 and 47).
- 8. Guide the two buckle latches "20" together and engage them before putting them into the harness buckle "21" this should make a click noise (fig. 48).

CAUTION! The lap belts must not be twisted or swapped.

9. Thread the shoulder pads "19" onto the shoulder belts "08" in the correct orientation as shown ensuring there are no twists. Align the two loops of the shoulder belts "08" and strap loops of the shoulder pads"19" (fig. 49).









9. Refitting the 5-point harness

9.1. REFITTING THE 5-POINT HARNESS

10. Pull the shoulder belts "08" and strap loops of the shoulder pads "19" through the slots "40" (fig. 50).

CAUTION! The shoulder belts "08" must not be twisted or swapped.

11. Pull the strap loops of the shoulder pad "19" onto the plastic extensions "41" of the shoulder belt height adjuster "10" (fig. 51).

Tip: The strap loops of the shoulder pads should be the lower loop.

- 12. Take the connecting piece "39" from the provided storage on the backside of the child seat.
- 13. Hook the shoulder belts "08" back onto the connecting piece "39". The left loop on the left arm of the connecting piece and the right loop on the right arm (fig. 52).







10. Care and maintenance

10.1. CARE FOR THE HARNESS BUCKLE

It is vital for the safety of your child that the harness buckle works correctly. Malfunctions of the harness buckle are usually caused by accumulations of dirt or foreign bodies.

Malfunctions as follows:

- The buckle latches are ejected only slowly when the red release button is pressed.
- The buckle latches will no longer lock home (i.e. they are ejected again if you try to push them in).
- The buckle latches engage without an audible "click".
- The buckle latches are difficult to insert (you feel resistance).
- The buckle only opens if extreme force is applied.

Remedy:

Wash out the harness buckle so that it functions properly once again. Cleaning the harness buckle:







- 1. Follow Section 9 to remove the harness buckle "21" fig. 53, 54, 55).
- 2. Soak the harness buckle "21" in warm water with washing up liquid for at least and hour.

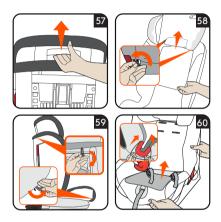
Then rinse thoroughly.



10. Care and maintenance

10.2. CLEANING

The cover can be removed for easier cleaning. Please observe the instructions on the washing label.



Headrest:

Move the headrest of the child seat to the upper position (fig. 57). Take the elastic seam of the cover from the hooks at the back side of the headrest (fig. 58) and remove the cover of the headrest.

Cover:

Undo the hooks on the bottom side (fig. 59). Remove the cover (fig. 60).

Re-fitting simply follow the steps in the opposite order.



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