



Vtech Emil the Panda

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INTRODUCTION

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TOOLS:

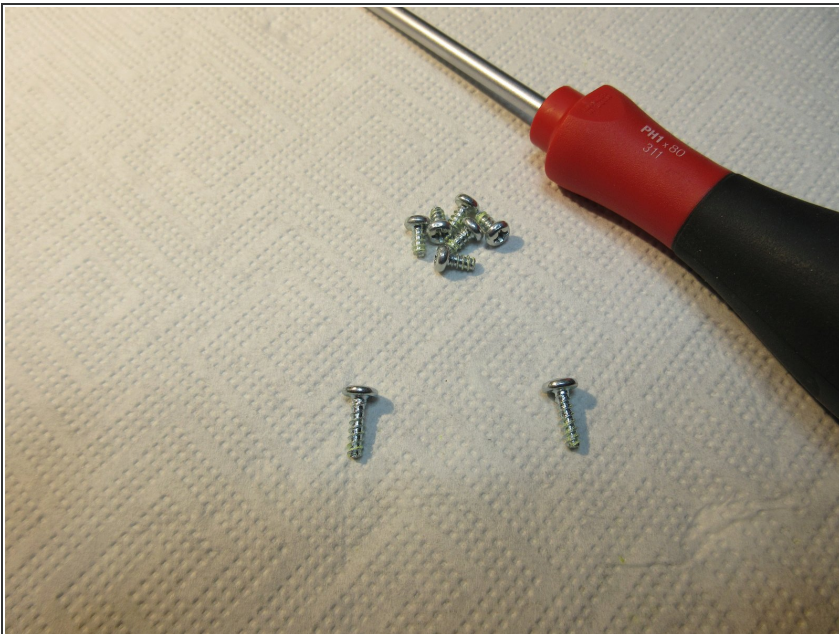
- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)

Step 1 — Vtech Emil the Panda



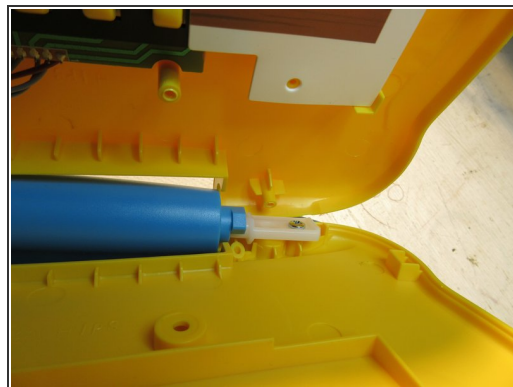
- First you must detach thes round yellow plugs which cover the screws.
- There are 6 short screws around the "display"
- ...and two longer screws under that "display"

Step 2



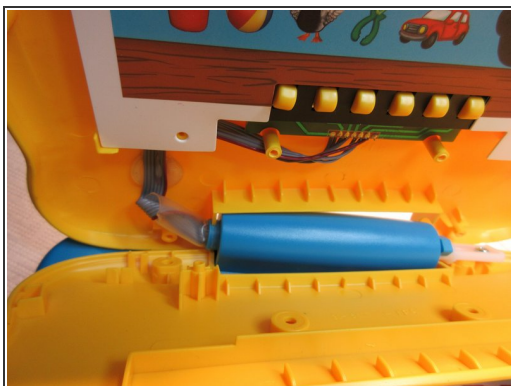
- Here a view of these screws

Step 3



- Now just pull it to open.
- Down there is a spring and a plastic part, look at the pictures

Step 4



- There you have these contact springs.

Step 5



- The springs are deoxidized with a electronics-cleaner-spray.
- After reassembling, Emil nnow knows every card and can talk and sing.
- Done. :)

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.