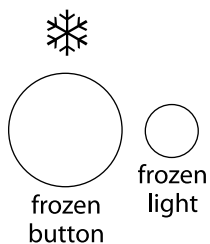
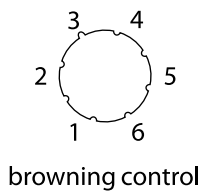
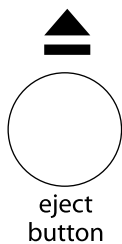
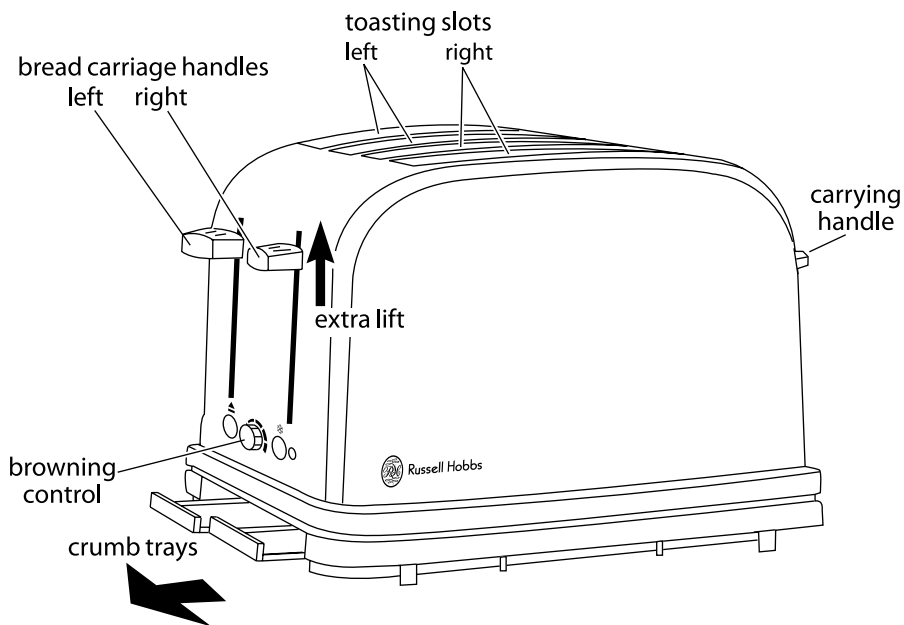




# Russell Hobbs




instructions



Read the instructions, keep them safe, pass them on if you pass the toaster on. Remove all packaging, but keep it in case you ever need to return the toaster.

## **important safeguards**

Follow basic safety precautions, including:

- 1 This appliance must only be used by or under the supervision of a responsible adult. Use and store it out of reach of children.
- 2 Don't put the appliance in liquid, don't use it in a bathroom, near water, or outdoors. 
- 3 Sit the toaster upright on a firm, level, heat-resistant surface.
- 4 Don't put it on or near anything that could be damaged even by moderate heat.
- 5 Bread may burn. Don't use the appliance near or below curtains or other combustible materials and watch it while it's hot.
- 6 The area round the toasting slots gets very hot – don't touch!
- 7 Route the cable so it doesn't overhang, and can't be tripped over or caught.
- 8 If you are not using all the slots, don't let anything get into the empty slots, as the central elements are live when the left bread carriage handle is lowered.
- 9 Don't let the toasting slots become covered during toasting, or while hot.
- 10 Don't cover the appliance or put anything on top of it.
- 11 If bread gets jammed, unplug the toaster, let it cool, and carefully remove the bread. Don't use anything sharp, you'll damage the elements.
- 12 Don't toast "buttered" items, they may catch fire.
- 13 Don't use torn, curled, or misshapen bread, you may jam the toaster.
- 14 Unplug the appliance when not in use, before moving and before cleaning. Let it cool down fully before cleaning and storing away.
- 15 Clean the crumbs out of your toaster frequently, to avoid a build up of crumbs. This is unhygienic and could cause a fire hazard.
- 16 Don't use the toaster unless both crumb trays are fitted and closed.
- 17 Keep the appliance and the cable away from hotplates, hobs or burners.
- 18 Don't use the appliance for any purpose other than those described in these instructions.
- 19 This appliance must not be operated by an external timer or remote control system.
- 20 Don't operate the appliance if it's damaged or malfunctions.
- 21 If the cable is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent, or someone similarly qualified, in order to avoid hazard.

## **household use only**


### **before using for the first time**

- 1 Before using the toaster for the first time, you need to cure the elements. This will remove their protective coating.
- 2 This may smell a bit, but it's nothing to worry about. Just make sure the room is well ventilated.
- 3 Check that there's nothing in the slots, turn the browning control to max, and operate the toaster without bread.
- 4 When it's done, leave it to cool down fully, then you can use it normally.

## **toasting bread**

- 5 Sit the toaster upright on a firm, level, heat-resistant surface.
- 6 Don't put it on or near anything that could be damaged even by moderate heat.
- 7 Bread may burn. Don't use the appliance near or below curtains or other combustible materials and watch it while it's hot.
- 8 Put the plug into the power socket.
- 7 Turn the browning control to the required setting (1 = light, 6 = dark).
- 9 The left bread carriage handle operates the left pair of slots, the right carriage handle operates all four slots (it pulls the left handle down at the same time).
- 10 Use the left pair of slots for one or two slices of toast. Use the right pair of slots for the third and fourth slices.
- 11 Put bread into the toasting slots (maximum thickness 25mm).
- 12 Press the bread carriage handle down fully – it won't lock down unless the toaster is connected to the electricity supply.
- 13 The elements will heat up.
- 14 When it's done, the toast will pop up and the elements will turn off.

## **eject**

- 15 To stop toasting, press the  button.
- 16 The toast will pop up, and the elements will turn off.

## **extra lift**

- 17 After toasting small items (bagels, crumpets, etc.) the bread carriage handle may be raised further, to allow them to be removed more easily.

## **frozen bread ❄️**

- 18 This feature takes the guesswork out of toasting frozen bread.
- 19 Leave the browning control at your favoured setting, insert the frozen bread, lower the bread carriage handle, then press the ❄️ button.
- 20 The light will come on, and the toasting time will be altered automatically to give the same degree of browning you get with unfrozen bread.

## **reheating toast**

- 21 Use a low setting.
- 22 Only reheat plain, "unbuttered" toast. Buttered toast may catch fire.

## **hints and tips**

- 23 When toasting more than one slice of bread, use slices of similar size, thickness and freshness.
- 24 Old (yesterday's) bread contains less moisture, so makes crisper toast.
- 25 Old or thin bread cooks faster than fresh or thick bread. Use a lower setting.
- 26 Sweet bread products (tea cakes, fruit loaf, etc.) brown much more quickly than ordinary bread, so should be toasted on a lighter setting.

## **crumbs**

- 27 Clean the crumbs out of your toaster frequently, to avoid a build up of crumbs. This is unhygienic and could cause a fire hazard.
- 28 Unplug the toaster and let it cool down. Remove and empty the crumb trays. Wipe them with a damp cloth, dry them, then replace them in the toaster.
- 29 Don't use the toaster unless both crumb trays are fitted and closed.

## **care and maintenance**

- 30 Unplug the appliance when not in use, before moving and before cleaning. Let it cool down fully before cleaning and storing away.
- 31 Wipe outer surfaces with a damp cloth. If necessary, use a little washing-up liquid.
- 32 Don't let anything enter the slots, you might damage the elements.
- 33 Don't put the appliance in water or any other liquid.
- 34 Don't use harsh or abrasive cleaning agents or solvents.



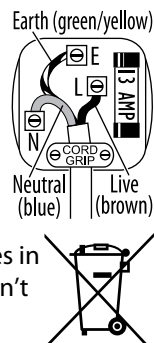


## connection

The product must be earthed. It has a 13A BS1362 fuse in a 13A BS1363 plug. To replace the plug, fit the green/yellow wire to ⊕ or E, the blue wire to N, and the brown wire to L. Fit the cord grip. If in doubt, call an electrician. Don't use a non-rewireable plug unless the fuse cover is in place. If you remove the plug, dispose of it.

## wheelie bin symbol

To avoid environmental and health problems due to hazardous substances in electrical and electronic goods, appliances marked with this symbol mustn't be disposed of with unsorted municipal waste, but recovered, reused, or recycled.



## service

If you ring Customer Service, please have the **Model No.** to hand, as we won't be able to help you without it. It's on the rating plate (usually underneath the product).

The product isn't user-serviceable. If it's not working, read the instructions, check the plug fuse and main fuse/circuit breaker. If it's still not working, consult your retailer.

If that doesn't solve the problem – ring Customer Service – they may be able to offer technical advice.

If they advise you to return the product to us, pack it carefully, include a note with your name, address, day phone number, and what's wrong. If under guarantee, say where and when purchased, and include proof of purchase (till receipt). Send it to:

**Customer Service, Russell Hobbs Ltd, Fir Street, Failsworth, Manchester M35 0HS**

email: [service@russellhobbs.com](mailto:service@russellhobbs.com)

telephone: 0845 658 9700 (local rate number)

## guarantee

Defects affecting product functionality appearing within one year of purchase will be corrected by replacement or repair provided the product is used and maintained in accordance with the instructions. Your statutory rights are not affected. Documentation, packaging, and product specifications may change without notice.

## online

[www.russellhobbs.co.uk](http://www.russellhobbs.co.uk) for more products