Plugging in and Turning on the COSMO Video Transcript, February 2021

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Hello everyone. Welcome to another exciting tutorial on using the COSMO e-brailler. Today what we're going to focus on is actually plugging up the unit into two situations. The first one will be in using it with the main power outlet that comes with the unit. If you remember in the box you got the charger with the unit which is a big huge charger and then you've got the battery pack, for those of you who bought the battery pack, with a small little charger. So in this section we're going to look at how, you know, how it's used with the regular big power bar or power outlet, and then, or I like to call them transformers sometimes, but it's basically the big power charger that you use for the unit and then we're gonna look at using it with the battery pack.

So what I'm gonna do right now is I'm simply gonna plug in the main power charger that comes with the unit. As you can see this is a long long wire that goes all the way to my power bar. You probably can't see the power bar but that's fine. My recommendation is, if you're going to plug this up, try to plug it to a close outlet so you're not having to go across the room. It's just that my room is is designed in a special way. But, try to make sure you have the outlet for the charger in the main power socket that plugs in. Make sure that it's as close as possible. So this is the long wire. This is what came with the unit, if you didn't buy the battery pack and it comes with the unit even if you buy the battery pack. So I'm going to plug this adapter into the back of the unit which is located at the far left hand bottom corner of the unit. If you're facing the unit it's on your far left hand corner, for those of you who are totally blind or visually impaired. So I'm just gonna plug this here like so and I'm going to turn on the unit so we'll just do that.

(sound of Brailler)

As you can hear the head is calibrating.

And once you hear the two beeps the unit is ready to go and you're able to do some fantastic Braille writing. So I'm now going to switch the unit off because I want to demonstrate to you guys how we use the battery pack. So I'm going to unplug the main power bar or the main charger. And as you can see, here we have the battery pack. It's very important that the switch be in the up position because if it's in the down position, obviously the unit

will not function with the battery. So I have the power switch so that it's facing away from me where the bottom, where the right corner is away from me and the switch is in the down position. As you can see, my finger here so I'm gonna push the switch up and now I'm to plug in. There's a little cord here as you can see that plugs in to the COSMO unit and of course the other end as we saw when we were doing the unboxing. This other wiring connection here is where you plug in the small charger to charge it, the battery pack that is. So what we'll do is, I'll just plug in this end here which is the long end into the back of the unit again on the far bottom left-hand corner. And the switch is on. It's in the up position and probably some of you might be able to see that there's a little light. But if you don't, it's fine as long as that switch is in the up position we're good to go. And I will power up the unit.

## (sound of Brailler)

Again the head is calibrating you hear the little beep, the machine is ready to go and you guys are able to do some nice Braille writing with this fantastic unit. So in a nutshell that's it. If you of course have any questions you can always contact Mike or the other Mike and of course if you need to you can always call or contact Dave for questions. So at this point I bid you farewell and we'll see you in the next tutorial.