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BEFORE YOU PURCHASE A TOY!



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What will your child learn from this toy?



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by letting them play with toys that promote, celebrate or depict violence?
Do we want our children to believe that we think that conflicts
are best resolved through force and violence,
or are there other values that we want to communicate?

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