Do you play video games?

What type of games do you play?

How long have you been playing games for?

In the games that you play a lot of what is your skill level in those games?

What is your goal when playing games?

What types of games do you struggle to play (if any)?

Are there any games you are actively trying to get better at?

Have you ever given someone advice on how to play a game?

How/Where do you learn to play the games that you play?

How long do you usually play video games?

Do you usually play single player or multiplayer video games?

Do you primarily play games alone or with friends?

What is your primary gaming system?

Austin

1. Austin enjoys playing battle royal and multiplayer shooter games. He has been playing games casually for 12 years. His goal when playing games is to win or be the best. He struggles to play games such as GTA because he does not know the controls or how to play. He noted he would play more if he could easily learn to play. He primarily has 1–2-hour gaming sessions with friends. His primary source of information for games is watching streamers.

Ben M

1. Ben likes to play FPS, MMO, and RPG games. He has been playing for 12 years and considers himself to be a highly skilled player. His goal when playing games is to increase in skill and have fun with friends. Ben is actively trying to get better at R6 which he occasionally plays competitively. He has previously given others advice on how to play games.

Ben A

1. Ben likes to play RPG’s and sports games. He has been playing games for 15 years and considers himself to be extremely skilled at the games he plays. When playing games, he plays competitively. In games like FIFA, he has given others advice on how to get better at the game.

Ben J

1. Ben likes to play Sport games has been gaming for 10 years, considers himself to be an intermediate player and finds games like first person shooters to be difficult. He usually plays for around 1 hour and a half to 2 hours. He finds himself playing single player games alone on his Xbox Series X and usually plays for stress relief. But doesn’t see himself needing a reason to get better at games.

Praise

1. Praise usually finds himself playing RPG and Traditional Fighting Games such as “Street Fighter, Dragon Ball FighterZ, and Mortal Kombat” he is actively trying to better at DBFZ but is considered in a medium to high skill level. He learns to play games just by playing them. And he finds himself playing more single player games alone on his PS5 his goal is often to complete the games or be the highest ranked.

Cheraad

1. Cheraad is a gamer who plays a variety of games but mainly story games and sports games. He’s been playing ever since he was 3 to 4 years old. His is a high-level competitive player and most of the time plays to win. His biggest gaming struggle is learning to balance school life and gaming, along with this he games 2 – 10 hours a day mainly playing EA FC24 as of recent. He does often give people advice on how to play and usually is playing multiplayer games on his ps5 either alone or with friends. He typically learns to play games by their in-game tutorials.

Pro gamer interviews:

1. Alec
   1. Alec stated he enjoys playing competitively, and always enjoys playing with friends that might be of lower level than him. He also like teaching people the things he knows about the games he plays
2. Grayson
   1. Grayson stated he enjoys playing competitively, and he also mainly plays fighting games. He stated he gives plenty of advice on how combo strings work in fighting games and how to pull them off. Grayson also said he’s collaborated on a scrapped YouTube video that guided new Street Fighter 6 players on how to use multiple characters.
3. Mary
   1. Mary plays Smash Ultimate competitively. She stated she doesn’t usually play with other people or guide them, however, she said she has lots of experience that she would want to share. She also is looking to improve in the game, stating the best place to learn is YouTube.
4. Joseph
   1. Joseph was a collegiate gamer who finds himself mostly playing League of Legends. He’s been gaming for 12 years and usually plays for 3 – 4 hours on his PC. His reason for playing usually resides in winning and having fun he considers himself in the top 0.1% of gamers and likes to be good at what he does. To get better he usually finds himself on YouTube watching the professionals and comparing his on footage to them.