# Meeting minutes: The Exiles Group Project

**Date of meeting:** 30th September 2019

**Time of meeting:** 11:00 AM

**Attendees:**

Alpeche Pancha

Ethan Ward

**Apologies from:**

Jamie Gostling

### Sprint review

**What went well**

* Everyone completed their tasks on time and provided ideas for the game concept
* We got organized with Google Drive, Trello and Discord

**What could be improved**

**Feedback received**

*Either playtest or tutor feedback*

* Think of the target audience
  + This will affect what sort of puzzles and gameplay the game will involve
* Think of what sort of skills you want from players
* Define puzzles based on these
* What sort of challenge: dexterity, mental/logic, social skills (e.g. bluffing, managing, etc)
* Think of number of gameplay hours
* Think about game look and feel - setting etc.

**Individual work completed**

All team members completed the following tasks

* Research mechanics and game design
* Compile the research into a document along with a proposed concept for our game

### Discussion topics

**Initial research**

* Reviewed each other’s research documents
* Started thinking about common themes
* Defined tasks to be completed over this week’s sprint to finalize the game concept

**Game concept**

From our initial research and concept ideas, we identified common ideas:

* Top down & 2.5D game
* Puzzles/challenges

To help design levels and puzzles faster, programmers could develop a level editor of some sort.

We are also considering a tower defense game. During this week’s sprint, we will prototype a simple top down game and a tower defense game in order to explore both concepts further and lock down a concept before the next meeting.

### Sprint aim

*Overall aim of the current week’s sprint (what will the product look like by the end of the sprint)*

Prototype the game concepts in Unity. Lock down the game concept and theme.

The individual tasks can be found on [Trello](https://trello.com/b/lrI8yav8/the-exiles).

### Any other business

None.

**Meeting ended:** 12:00 PM

**Minute taker:** Alpeche Pancha