Step 1: Main story.

Step 2: Develop your world.

Step 3: Add in secondary characters and creatures.

Step 4: Create backstories.

Step 5: Add in gameplay elements.

Step 6: Create the character selection / customisation screen.

## **Type of Game**

RPG.

# **Storyline**

Year 2060, Tokyo, Japan.

## June 28th:

The sky began to be upset, with heavy, dark storms forming. Lightning and thunder stayed for a week long. The sky began to shift, a rift in space or time was opening. The sky was cutting open, with darkness looming over the city.

Soon a winged, dark-red entity began to appear from within. It crashed into the earth and was followed by a few other smaller entities. All seemed to be unconscious or dead as none gave out movements.

The sky began to crash again as it closed its wound. Lightning and thunder disappeared with it. Rainfall kept pursuing.

The police and public defence units rushed immediately onto site, keeping everyone away from the entities. Nobody was allowed to approach them. The area was secured and the government had a secret emergency meeting to take the bodies away into their research facility but this would take days before they were ready.

A couple hours later, the smaller entities started to emit toxic gas into the air. Everyone was evacuated from the area as the smaller entities started to wake up. People choked and struggled to breathe from the toxicity now spreading through the air. The city was marked dangerous, and the government plans failed.

While everyone was being evacuated, the smaller entities roamed the city.

They caused more chaos around the city. Police & Military forces rushed onto site. They were armed with weapons; guns and grenades, wearing gas masks and getting ready to shoot. They shot the entities as they ran towards civilians, and bullets penetrated their bodies. Some fell down and died after a full magazine of bullets, others took a lot more.

Spraying gun fire and screaming, woke up the massive winged entity. The ground shook as it stood up and roared. You could hear it miles away. With its massive wings it sprung itself into the air and flew across the city, breathing fire and destroying buildings, killing thousands of people.

#### June 29th:

The entire city was taken over by the entities. Nobody was left alive inside. Most of the buildings were destroyed, on fire or used as shelter by the entities. They made the city their home. The toxic gas mostly dispersed and fog took over its place.

Japan was planning a massive emergency attack to take back their city. They had their army ready, equipped with better weapons and better protective gear.

The dark-red winged entity was in the centre of the city, breathing fire down into the earth to create an entrance portal to their home. The power of the entity was never seen before and is the most powerful of all other entities that humanity has seen so far.

Fungi started slowly growing around the city, like an infection, spreading faster than normal plants would. It was an existing crested coral fungus that began to appear. Including a new type, that looked similar to an existing fungus but was proven to be new as toxic particles and a foul smell emitted from its body.

For Reference A ("Crested Coral Fungus") and B ("Unknown"):





/// Removed fungi in updated story.

## June 30th:

The "Fire Dragon" was still opening up a portal and needed to be stopped. Japan rushed their forces and attacked on the south of the city. Many casualties happened. The army retreated as the numbers drastically fell, running for their lives. Those that stayed didn't survive.

The fungi were most vibrant around the centre of the city and kept slowly spreading outwards. It is very dangerous for humans to approach this because of the toxic particles being emitted from them.

In a couple of hours, the fungus was able to grow on top of destroyed buildings and through broken pavement.

The small entities were studied from a far and were given a name "Fungus Lacerti" or "Mushroom Lizard"; while the massive entity was named "Ignis Draconem" or "Fire Dragon". Both of which were marked as very hostile towards humans and would attack on sight.

"Mushroom Lizard" / "Fungus Lacerti" - Fungus-like plants grew from its raptor-lizard-like body. It stood up on its hind legs, its two front limbs grew long claws that emitted light and heat. It's fat, rounded tail being covered with more fungus and spikes. The eyes stared down at you as they glowed fiery red/orange. Toxic particles emitting from its body. Marked as hostile, it will attack on sight with its bite and claws.

"Fire Dragon" / "Ignis Draconem" - It can make the ground shake while standing up and roaring. Known to be immune to toxic gases. Massive dark red wings, with four legs and long tail. Can breathe fire and create portals to its original home. Marked as very hostile, will attack on sight with its fire breath or will use its deadly tail slam if you get too close.

It was also observed from afar that two new entities have been spotted and have been given names, along with a massive increase in numbers after the portal was fully opened. Another "Fire Dragon" was spotted, it roamed further out of the city and began destroying the outskirts of Tokyo. This puts humanity in greater risk and danger.

"Taer" / "Puritis Monstrum" - A bulky creature with long fangs with spikes on its back. Quadruped, with lava-like plates around its body to protect it from enemies. Glowing eyes that were perfectly adapted to night time as to day. Marked as hostile and will attack on sight by jumping onto its enemy, pinning them on the ground and with its sharp teeth, penetrating the neck.

"Bat Insect" / "Insectum Vespertilio" - A small flying creature that resembled a huge insect with the wings of a bat. Marked as unknown as of now.

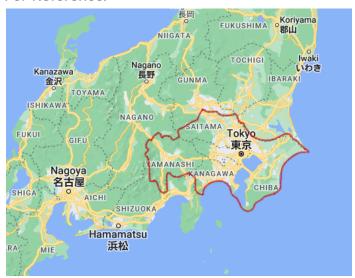
Japan was struggling to fight them off, eventually having to retreat further and contact other countries for help.

/// The portal idea was changed into the rift, and brought to the beginning in the updated story.

Year 2062, Tokyo, Japan. August: A scientist managed to take a sample of both the fungus, including a body from one of the "Fungus Lizards" into their lab underground, outside of Japan, enabling research and studies.

The entities have spread outside of Tokyo, spreading out towards other cities on the outskirts of Tokyo; Saitama, Yamanashi, Kanagawa, Chiba.

#### For Reference:



Japan agreed to send air reinforcements into the cities, and to send bombs down to hopefully kill most the enemies. Half of the population was wiped out in Tokyo and Saitama. The military struggled to fight for their lives against the creatures. Eventually casualties were too high to continue after taking back half of Saitama. More reinforcements came in later to help out but they stood no chance against the "Fire Dragon" and so the military built a temporary shelter back in Saitama that they have taken.

#### Year 2075, Tokyo, Japan.

#### March:

All of Japan was taken over. All humans have fled from Japan.

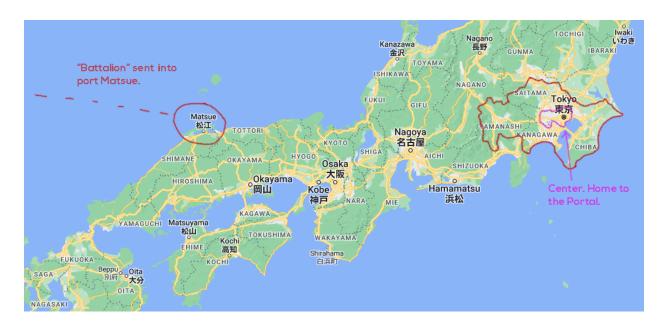
The research on the fungus and creature became successful, giving humanity the edge on their new invention, creating hybrids with the power harvested from the creature. Powerful hybrids or mutated animals were invented but these took at least two years to create and maintain. They were working hard to improve the time efficiency and power spent on these.

New, better protective gear was created for the military and a bracelet was invented that the military could wear to improve their strength and agility by only a slight percentage. The bracelet was named "Body Enhancement" as a lack of better names.

This was the beginning of new findings to help humanity out.

A couple people from the military and a couple hybrids were selected and brought forward as test subjects for the new bracelet. This group was named the "Battalion", and were sent out to Japan on ships.

"Battalion" arrived after a week and fought to take back a city called Matsue. In success, they were able to take back the port and set up a camp. They later split the group to push forward and ended up as a failed mission, only two survived.



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## Year 2079, Tokyo, Japan.

#### January:

This year brought new gear, better body armour, high tech weapons like rifles and snipers with better penetrating bullets and another new improved bracelet to further improve strength and agility ("Body Enhancement 2.0") by twice as much as before.

New studies brought better hybrids that were engineered for the military. Intensive training and engineering made these highly responsive to commands and were tested for fighting abilities as well as support. They had body armour specifically made for

them that would protect them from severe injuries and allowed them to survive for longer.

A new "Battalion II" group was created. Consisting of 50 men and 60 hybrids. They were also sent into Matsue and claimed the previous camp where they met the last two survivors. Their mission was to secure the whole city of Matsue and mark it safe for later reinforcements.

Blood was shed and many injuries with little loss. The mission was successful after a week of brutal fighting and a much bigger camp was set up at the port with cargo coming in and out. Buildings were searched as well.

They were able to capture a "Mushroom Lizard" and a "Taer", secured them and were thrown in cages for shipment out into the lab where further research on live subjects would continue.

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Year 2080, Tokyo, Japan.

#### June:

Technology and weapons were highly improved with newly added interfaces or improved interfaces.

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- Build a timeline for the character's life events. Relevant to the story. Link it to the present.
- Inspirations from real life stories. Don't overload.

# **Backstories**

### Main Character, the Protagonist:

Rin, the character you play as, Works at the Defence Forces. As captain he assigned himself and his unit to set up defences in Tokyo, where the alien invasion began . Rin was a first responder when the sky ripped apart and was on site to assess the situation.

Not long after Rin arrived, most of Japan's cities had been completely overrun and at that point survival rate was almost zero. Rin was tasked with simply staying alive, but wanted to still help as many survivors as he possibly could.

After countless days of staying hidden and alive while trying to even find any humans, Rin had found a laboratory that housed research on the creatures.

Apparently these creatures were previously on earth but the government kept it a secret. There was one last scientist in the lab researching ways to fight the aliens. This scientist proved his ability to fight off the aliens with his original creations that could deter them in many different ways.

Rin had now found hope for humanity and a newfound purpose.

#### Scientist:

10 years ago from the present day ( when the aliens ripped the sky apart and invaded), Mizumi, an incredibly successful scientist, was applying for his dream job under the government. Mizumi thought the interview was going well until he was tranquilised and taken away to a facility in tokyo.

When Mizumi awoke he was met with a giant laboratory. He was being interviewed to see if his skills were up to the task of researching an alien species that the government had found and detained. Mizumi at first was shocked but after hearing his tasks, was thrilled and couldn't be held back from his work.

Mizumi, for 10 years, had been kept hidden away from the outside world to make sure secrets wouldn't slip, researched this alien race and had found ways to fight them if ever it was necessary.

- Basic Essential Elements:
  - Player.
  - Aesthetics.
  - Story.
  - o Objectives.
  - o Rewards.
  - A System of Rules.