# Implementation Guide v2.0 - Snake Evolution

### Development Setup & Development Workflow

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### Executive Summary

This guide provides step-by-step instructions for environment setup, configuration, development workflow, testing, debugging, and deployment of Snake Evolution v2.0. It is the reference document for developers starting the project.

## 1. Prerequisites and Initial Setup

### 1.1 System Requirements

| Requirement | Minimum | Recommended |
|---|---|---|
| OS | Windows 10, macOS 10.15, Ubuntu 20.04 | Latest LTS |
| RAM | 4GB | 8GB+ |
| Disk | 2GB free | 10GB+ |
| Node.js | 16.x | 18.x LTS |
| npm | 8.x | 9.x+ |

### 1.2 Prerequisites Verification

```
# Verify Node.js
node --version
# Output: v18.x.x or higher

# Verify npm
npm --version
# Output: npm 9.x.x or higher

# Verify git
git --version
# Output: git version 2.x.x
```

## 2. Repository Cloning & Setup

### 2.1 Clone Repository

```
# Clone from GitHub
git clone https://github.com/yourusername/snake-evolution.git
cd snake-evolution

# Verify branch
git branch -a
# Output: * main
#           develop
```

### 2.2 Setup Node.js Environment

**Windows:**

```
# Create virtual environment
npm install

# Install all dependencies
npm install

# Verify installation
npm list
```

**macOS/Linux:**

```
# Install dependencies
npm install

# Make scripts executable
chmod +x scripts/*.sh

# Verify installation
npm ls
```

### 2.3 Project Structure

```
snake-evolution/
├── src/
│   ├── core/
│   │   ├── GameEngine.js
│   │   ├── GameLoop.js
│   │   └── Constants.js
│   ├── entities/
│   │   ├── Snake.js
│   │   ├── Food.js
│   │   └── Grid.js
│   ├── systems/
```

```
│   │   ├── EvolutionSystem.js
│   │   ├── CollisionSystem.js
│   │   ├── InputManager.js
│   │   └── AudioManager.js
│   ├── ui/
│   │   ├── SceneManager.js
│   │   ├── UIRenderer.js
│   │   └── scenes/
│   ├── storage/
│   │   ├── StorageManager.js
│   │   └── HighScoreRepository.js
│   ├── events/
│   │   └── EventBus.js
│   ├── utils/
│   │   ├── Logger.js
│   │   ├── Validators.js
│   │   └── Profiler.js
│   ├── index.html
│   ├── style.css
│   └── main.js
├── tests/
├── config/
├── scripts/
├── package.json
└── README.md
```

## 3. Development Workflow

### 3.1 Common Commands

```
# Start development server
npm run dev
# Output: Webpack dev server running at http://localhost:8080

# Run tests
npm test

# Run tests with coverage
npm test -- --coverage

# Lint code
npm run lint

# Build production bundle
npm run build

# Profile performance
npm run profile

# Deploy to production
npm run deploy
```

### 3.2 Development Workflow Steps

**Step 1:** Create feature branch

```
git checkout -b feature/evolution-animation
```

**Step 2:** Implement feature

```
# Start dev server with hot reload
npm run dev
# Make code changes in src/
```

**Step 3:** Run linting & tests

```
npm run lint:fix
npm test -- --coverage
```

**Step 4:** Commit changes

```
git add .
git commit -m "feat: add evolution animation with VFX"
```

**Step 5:** Push & create PR

```
git push origin feature/evolution-animation
# Create Pull Request on GitHub
```

**Step 6:** Merge after review

```
git checkout main
git pull origin main
git merge feature/evolution-animation
git push origin main
```

## 4. Testing Workflow

### 4.1 Running Tests

```
# Run all tests once
npm test

# Run tests in watch mode
npm test -- --watch

# Run specific test file
```

```
npm test collision.test.js

# Generate coverage report
npm test -- --coverage
```

### 4.2 Writing Tests

#### Example: Unit Test

```
describe('CollisionDetector', () =&gt; {
  let detector;

  beforeEach(() =&gt; {
    detector = new CollisionDetector();
  });

  test('should detect wall collision at x=0', () =&gt; {
    const head = { x: -1, y: 10 };
    expect(detector.checkWallCollision(head)).toBe(true);
  });

  test('should detect self-collision', () =&gt; {
    const segments = [
      { x: 10, y: 10 }, // Head
      { x: 9, y: 10 },
      { x: 10, y: 10 } // Body at head position
    ];
    expect(detector.checkSelfCollision(segments)).toBe(true);
  });
});
```

### 4.3 Property-Based Testing

```
import fc from 'fast-check';

test('Evolution stages are deterministic', () =&gt; {
  fc.assert(
    fc.property(fc.integer({ min: 0, max: 200 }), (length) =&gt; {
      const stage1 = evolution.getStageByLength(length);
      const stage2 = evolution.getStageByLength(length);
      return stage1 === stage2;
    })
  );
});
```

## 5. Debugging

### 5.1 Browser DevTools

```
// Enable detailed logging
localStorage.setItem('LOG_LEVEL', 'DEBUG');
window.location.reload();

// Access game engine in console
window.gameEngine.getGameState()
window.gameEngine.getSnake()
```

### 5.2 Debug Breakpoints

```
// In code, set breakpoint
debugger;

// Run with dev server
npm run dev
// Open DevTools (F12), Reload page
```

### 5.3 Performance Profiling

```
// Enable performance profiler
const profiler = new PerformanceProfiler();

// Measure sections
profiler.measureSection('collision-check', () =&gt; {
  // code to measure
});

// Get report
console.log(profiler.getReport());
```

## 6. Building & Bundling

### 6.1 Development Build

```
npm run build:dev
# Output: dist/bundle.js (non-minified)
```

### 6.2 Production Build

```
npm run build
# Output: dist/bundle.abc123.js (minified, 512KB)
#         dist/style.def456.css (minified, 45KB)
```

### 6.3 Bundle Analysis

```
npm run analyze
# Opens interactive bundle analyzer
```

## 7. Configuration Management

### 7.1 Environment Variables

**File: .env.local** (for development)

```
APP_ENV=development
LOG_LEVEL=DEBUG
AUDIO_VOLUME=0.8
CANVAS_WIDTH=500
CANVAS_HEIGHT=500
```

**File: .env.production**

```
APP_ENV=production
LOG_LEVEL=INFO
AUDIO_VOLUME=0.8
```

### 7.2 Loading Configuration

```
// In src/config/index.js
const config = {
  app: {
    env: process.env.APP_ENV || 'development',
    logLevel: process.env.LOG_LEVEL || 'INFO'
  },
  game: {
    gridSize: 20,
    cellSize: 25,
    targetFPS: 60
  }
};

export default config;
```

## 8. Deployment

### 8.1 Deploy to Netlify

```
# Build production bundle
npm run build

# Install Netlify CLI
npm install -g netlify-cli

# Deploy
netlify deploy --prod --dir=dist
# Output: ✓ Site deployed to https://snake-evolution.netlify.app
```

### 8.2 Deploy to GitHub Pages

```
# Configure package.json
"homepage": "https://yourusername.github.io/snake-evolution"

# Build &amp;amp; deploy
npm run build
npm run deploy
# Output: ✓ Published to GitHub Pages
```

## 9. Troubleshooting

### Common Issues & Solutions

| Problem | Cause | Solution |
| --- | --- | --- |
| npm install fails | Node version mismatch | Use `nvm use 18` |
| Tests fail locally | Missing dependencies | Run `npm install` again |
| Dev server won't start | Port 8080 in use | Change port: `npm run dev -- --port 3000` |
| Build errors | Webpack config issue | Check webpack.config.js |
| Linting errors | ESLint rules violated | Run `npm run lint:fix` |

### Advanced Troubleshooting

```
# Clear npm cache
npm cache clean --force
npm install

# Force reinstall dependencies
rm -rf node_modules package-lock.json
npm install
```

```
# Update all dependencies
npm update

# Check for outdated packages
npm outdated

# Audit for security vulnerabilities
npm audit
npm audit fix
```

## 10. Quick Reference

**Testing:**

```
npm test                    # Run all tests
npm test -- --coverage     # With coverage
npm test -- --watch        # Watch mode
```

**Linting & Formatting:**

```
npm run lint               # Run ESLint
npm run lint:fix           # Fix linting issues
npm run format             # Format with Prettier
```

**Building:**

```
npm run build              # Production build
npm run build:dev          # Development build
npm run analyze            # Bundle analysis
```

**Git:**

```
git log --oneline          # View commit history
git tag -l                 # List all tags
git show v2.0.1           # Show tag details
```

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