all aboard!





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problem domain

Problem:

- Big commitment to play long games
- Single player story modes are often not replayable to the same level of enjoyment
- Narrative games are difficult to drop in and out of

Solution:

- Short, replayable loops
- Player can exit gameplay loop easily

Competitors:

- Overboard!
- A Short Hike



so far

- Game art
- Major game systems
- Narrative design
- Basic gameplay loop
- Online presence



game art









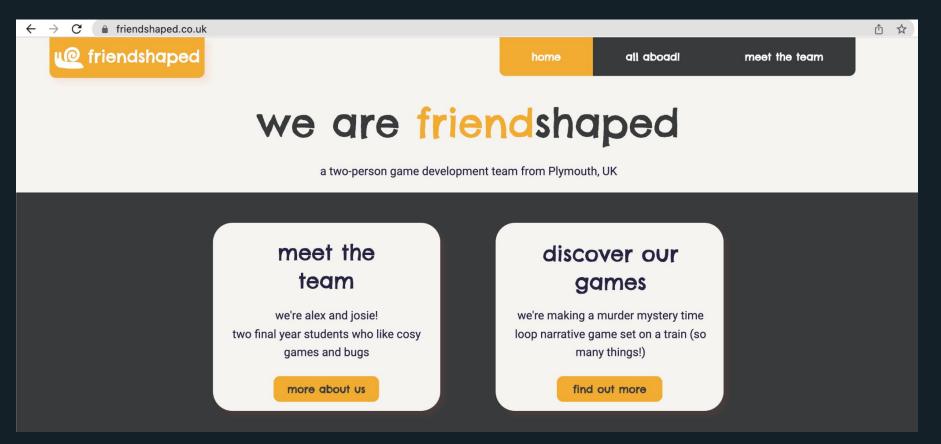








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features

MVP:

- Vertical slice of final product
- Story has 2 endings
- 3 characters to blame
- There are 3 important items you can pick up and carry over to the new loop

MAP:

- Juicy final product
- Story has multiple endings
- 5 character to blame
- Extra items you can carry over that might be 'red herrings' or 'easter eggs'.

next steps

- Implement dialogue branching
- Link game systems
- Game writing
- More user testing



thanks!



any questions? (@

