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**Bobbigmac** 06/11/2023

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Not fun

Tries to do way too much but fails at everything. Flashy but staccato combat constantly interrupted by void repetitive dialogue. Really bad skating is just the icing on the cake. If it was 3 or 4 different games, it might be playable but this is like a concussive fever dream. Have no idea why the other reviews are all triggered but regardless of whatever got them raging, it's just not a fun game to play. Boyfriend Dungeon and Cassette Beasts both do similar things but in a much better way.

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A DeFantom 04/11/2023

Console

#### Baffled

Clearly a lot of time went into this, but why? Who is this for??

A Worst Tactics 08/11/2023

Console

# Awful in every way

The most unlikable main character I've ever seen. The world, dialogue and characters seem like they were written by horny children. Very 2D character designs with forced emotion and no thought. I'd give it 0 stars if I could. Play The Big Con instead of this.

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A JigDaBoom 21/11/2023

Console

## Inappropriate

This game would be fine if it was pegi16, but at 12, themes of s3x and w33d, are not appropriate for 12 year olds

A Cormack85 08/11/2023

Console

Not fun in the slightest

Hard Pass 💩

A HardcorePluto26 03/11/2023

Console Not for me. Tacky... Everything. Shadowdwarf3906 10/11/2023 Console Awful I wanted to give this a shot because it looked interesting,,,,,i was wrong It was dull and boring the controlls were bad and everything the characters say was really cringy and weirdly S3XUAL not fun at all **SHOW MORE** Cobalt8989 05/01/2024 Console Tf Tf have i just read? **InfamousDemigod** 02/11/2023 Console What the hell is even that!? I have no idea what this game is meant to be. Did the first fight and honestly can't think of a more boring game. I can't even begin to explain what type of game it is. Try it by all means. But I have a sneaky suspicion that the vast majority will feel the same as me on it. Very odd game. Not for me. Hopefully it finds its crowd. 1/5\* **SHOW MORE DEZY74713** 21/01/2024 Console

Pointless waste of time

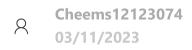
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# What Did I Just Play?

Gameplay is fine but extremely convoluted. If this was meant to spread a message about modern dating, perhaps not fill your cast with really horrible people, Boyfriend Dungeon is better than this, that's a really low bar to cross.

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Not great

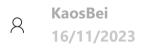
Scott Pilgrim but gender bent



Console

Not for me

Clearly aimed at a different demographic. Couldn't stomach past the battle tutorial.



Console

Third wave feminism, the video game

Turned it off as soon as it mentioned toxic masculinity in the first fight. I want entertainment, not a lecture.



Console

Cringe and ioc

This game has good gameplay at its core, however it is not indicating if you are looking for a good story. That story is cringe. It starts off with a "thirstsona" where you get terrible choices, its a dating quiz with only three outcomes. After this your subconcious (the narrator based of the characters perception of her ex and herself) tells you that going to apologise to an ex is a mistake, you can either agree but not go through with it anyway or you can disagree. If your agree you get to "choose" who picks you up, spoiler: You

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۸ KFlixx 02/11/2023

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This is a joke right? When did gaming become this.....

A BiggaPeas 13/04/2024

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S\*\*t game by a team of devs with potential

Devs on the team have worked on some great games in the past but what is this game? Who was the target audience? Games are getting worse, not just AAA games but the woke indie developers are just as guilty, and Xbox for putting this dogs\*\*t on Gamepass. Give us real games again!

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SnakeeyeS O 10/12/2023

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Tries to push "the message"

But fails miserably. Just more game pass filler, doesn't belong in gaming... Maybe Netflix or Disney +

A IHylian x 18/12/2023

Console

Yikes

Just play Boyfriend Dungeon.

A Nightmare15374 02/11/2023

Console

# Hard pass

What was this garbage supposed to be exactly game pass is starting to overflow with trash "game's"

A HariboGS1 01/01/2024

Console

Go woke go broke

Its a woke turd AND NOT EVEN A POLISHED ONE AT THAT 🤣 🤣 🤣 👌

A TRISTRIK 07/11/2023

Console

## Waste of time

Endless political messaging and a complete snoozefest. Devs need to quit making games immediately what an embarrassment

A razzgrizz3 04/11/2023

Console

# Cringe overload

Some good animation and style work, however by the second boss developers already started running out of money and cut corners. The whole 'fight' was just talk, and hey vn stuff is fine but u gotta have good writing. Who needs that tho when u can just fill it with cringy leftisisms. Yuck!

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Oseywar321 02/11/2023

Console

dont like it that much

camra angle is weird and i rlly didn't like it



# Not great....

Its a shame because character models are fine but gameplay and story is terrible. Think this would have been better as a 18 plus with more adult themes. Instead it has weird innuendos that are boring and gameplay thats equally boring..... I played past the first boss. Honestly to the guy who left the 5 star you're no different to the pleb reviews you just did the opposite with 5 stars but hey atleast you're not homophobic lol. I genuinely tried to like this but it honestly bored me sorry.

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Cack sbi fail

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Console

# Wanted to like it

The dialogue is so long winded and in places weird. There is just too much self flagulation wiv the narrative n the gameplay gets too repetitive too quickly

A BeatRootz 12/11/2023

Console

## Erm..

Woke = Broke. This reeks of a post-grad creation. The game style itself is passable, but the narrative and characters both include AND offend every minority possible. Its by default, racist and incredibly sexist. I honestly think the creators meant well, but the execution is awful. There are definite hints of interesting mechanics and creativity but need to wake up and join the real world before their next title. 3/10

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Prezzie Prez 06/11/2023

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Turn based tripe

How anyone finds this genre of game is utterly baffling and is beyond me. I have yet to find any TB games that are remotely interesting



KogaPeePee 13/11/2023

Console

# Yikes

The ending was lacklustre, some characters were awful and some were good, the mechanics were janky and would fail a lot.

As for the story [SPOILERS]

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ExponentLamb726

06/11/2023

PC

# Excellent game!

I adored this and played the whole thing through in 3 days. Wonderful queer storytelling. character development, and multicultural narratives that are both beautifully fleshed out and very currently climate appropriate and educational. The ability to cook, dance, skate and battle kept me entertained and amused throughout Jala's whole journey. I just wish there was a little more on some characters! Tyler and Andile are delightful and I wish I got to spend more time with them.

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Narowe96 01/01/2024

Console

# Its a strange game

Honestly the reviews being so unhelpful and divisive drove me to try this despite not being the target demographic. Couldnt care less about political buzzwords etc, this review is strictly about the game itself. Its weird. It attempts to form a unique gameplay loop by taking some different genres and tacking the barebones frames of them together to form a disorganised whole. Visual Novel elements and turn-based RPG elements form the backbone of the game but instead of complementing one another they fight for

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**GrizBeGood** 06/11/2023

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OK... What the heck is this game?

This game was never going to get a fair review with all the anti- LGBT and racist bigots review bombing because they're so insecure about themselves. That said, just what is this game?!We're meant to see this as a take on modern dating, despite everyone having 90's brick phones, but we get a weird mash up of genres that leave it a mess of a game.For its 'too young' rating, you honestly get worse innuendos and sexual content in an average teatime soap opera, so alot of people are seriously sheltered calling this mildness

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Cute game. Easy and relaxing to play.

Accessibility good for anyone who struggles with button mashing. Pleasant, fluffy game to relax with. The voice acting is good, a deal breaker for me. Can't see myself playing it over and over, but it's fun, a bit different.

On a side note, nobody shoves games down peoples' throats, we choose to play them or not. As a pacifist I find war games distasteful. I don't play them, I don't expect nobody to make them. Make your choice, never think you have a right to impose it on others.

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## Ummmmm!

I can't be the only one who read that title wrong for the first couple of seconds.



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## Good game

Decent game, in my opinion mainly aimed at those who have just been through a rough relationship and wanna learn how to fix that. This game takes things to a whole new level of dating sims and stuff and.... yh

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# Underrated

Saw the awful reviews and went in sceptical. Not my typical type of game. Compelling plot and fun mini games, although the activities sometimes resemble games from Nintendo. If you're not a conservative (afraid of everything except your own shadow) it's really fun!

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# Weird and Delightfully Different

I like how different this is. I hate having Woke Trash stuffed down my throat... and honestly this does not feel like that. Jala is Indian because her family are from India. She's definitely not "traditional" and it makes her an interesting character as a result. This game has a bright and decent looking cartoon art style. The premise and presentation are obtuse, a bit of a risk and consequently will not be to everyone's taste but good for Outer Loop for creating the Game they wanted to make instead of the Game their Metrics Team told

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# Ignore the review bombing

Fun and unique game, interesting gameplay and great art style. Ignore the bs 1 stars, huge downside to games being on game pass is children and bigots will tank any game that doesnt suit their mindset.

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Wtf

Why?

A NAZOOUJI 05/09/2024

PC

# Funny and quite different.

Gorgeous styles and a unique gameplay. didn't know what to expect when playing this but after completing it I thoroughly enjoyed it. I'd give this game a solid 8.



# Really Fun & Addictive

So Happy This Joined Game Pass. Really Fun Colourful Characters With Fun Easy To Understand Mechanics



Console

## A breath of fresh air

Finally something different from from the usual shooters and platformers, and with a story i think everyone can relate to. The intro controls feel a little clunky but if you get past that its looking to be gem.

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A Imadjinn2019 11/11/2023

Console

# A Gay Old Time

Played it because I'm not an insecure fairy child like all the 1 stars crying because the relationship game has relationships. Great voice acting, charming characters and fun combat/cooking/dance system. Marred by the clunky skating traversal and lack of difficulty.

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ا VonFlueChoke 20/11/2023

Console

## Good fun

Ignore the sociopaths, gaming is for EVERYONE, and anybody using the word woke isnt clever enough to understand the concept

A MarkTheMaestro 03/11/2023

Console

Fun little game

Indeed.



## Haters are bots

This is what gamepass was made for. I used to be suitor before also thirsty. Can very relate as well as gay.



PC

# Good potential

Cheesy and repetitive which is a shame because it has a good story and some nice aspects but I can't get past the weird battle system that frankly the game would be better without.



Console

# Weird, flashy but fun

I really enjoyed the game. The story and mini games were fun,the skate controls on xbox aren't the best but i still binge played it. It wont be a game for everyone but if you enjoy Persona or quirky cooking games you may enjoy it

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# Ignore low ratings

This game is fun and well written. It has unique Gameplay and brings a refreshing element to turn based combat, plus the characters are interesting. Good cultural representation ontop.

PineCone033 09/03/2024

Console

\*Thumbs up\*

Great game, funny name too. Very insteresting to play but damn (spoiler waring) how many exes does she have though sheesh...

A T3ZZ13MUNCH48 05/02/2024

Console

Show love where love is due

Not every game is made for the same demographic. Woke is such a lazy criticism.

A GiraffeCat 20/12/2023

Console

### A Beautiful Mess

Like its protagonist, Jala, Thirsty Suitors is a somewhat messy game. It aims for so much, and while it doesn't always stick the landing, when it does it is SPECIAL. The moments when the game pulls all its disparate mechanics together are worth the price of admission alone. On top of that, it tells a story unlike almost anything else in games, with genuine catharsis coming from its dialogue-heavy battles and cooking segments. Ignore the guys who got mad because it's got queer people in it; Thirsty Suitors is the most fun I've

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A J4CKH4MM3R JoD 11/11/2023

PC

literally the worst game I've ever played

The devs owe me hours of my life for attempting to sit through this \*\*\*\*. Got 1 star because xbox wont let me give less

A lkrit 27/11/2023

Console

Wonderfully Written and performed

Fits under the super niche genre of 'Games that will make you rethink your relationship with your dad and also give you a few good recipes'. Along with Cooking Mama and, for some reason, Doom.

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PC

bad

bad game



kjam1981 06/11/2023

Console

# Stop crying

The content is actually great in regards to adding inclusivity for less represented groups. People complaining as the protagonist isnt a white hetro male need to think about their own mindset. The game is not bad but not great with some turn based game mechanics and a unique premise. 3 stars for the game. Shame others are rating based on their narrow minded insecurities

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FoxyBoy471 23/06/2024

Console

## Masterpiece

I love this game and all these "go woke go broke" people reveiw bombing are just insufferable incels. It's one of if not on some days my favorite story game ever, the characters are nice and fleshed out and the gameplay is very enjoyable too, people said the skating was awful but it reminded me of the skating in tony hawks underground so I liked it. If you have gamepass it's definitely worth at least playing for a bit.

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BOB21785 09/11/2023

Console

## This Game Isnt Bad At All

This game has many 1 star rating but this game is awesome its unique, different, fun, relaxing and overall a really good game its really unfortunate that its got so many 1 stars



Gypsy5677 22/11/2023

Console







# Considering

I cant recall age rating but the themes based in it suggests adult behaviour. A game that highlights teen mistakes and cringe with the hint of family dynamic shifts. Its not the worst game ive played. Just wish romance options were there

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# Refreshing loved every minute

Laughed a lot, learned quite a few things, found a few things in the plot massively relatable. Thank you! 💝



Console

# One of the best games I've played this year

I don't understand why the rating are so low, I really loved playing this game and it's got easy achievements (most achievements). This was a really put together story but the only thing I didn't like was when fighting Paatis fingers, I didn't know I was meant to die so I used all my items for WP & HP.Other than that, I loved the game and it deserves 5 stars, even if it is a short game.

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WelshStead 09/02/2024

Console

## Helpful explination

I loved this game, at first I wasn't to sure how to feel about it. Then I got the hang of it. It's a fun and colourful story with a bunch of different activities to do throughout the game. The best part to me was the dialogue, it was sometimes so out of pocket that I couldn't help but laugh. At the same time I was also taken aback by how deep and honest it all was. A genuine reflection on how relationship are left unfinished a lot of the time. It is a fun, thoughtful and unhinged in the best of ways. This game will not be for everyone as I'm

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# Real review from real person

Original and diverse characters with turn based rpg style fighting Think Scott Pilgrim but youre Ramona sort of. I enjoy visual novels and rpg and mini games nd got genuine insight into a story of a south asian daughters family, food and life being b1. Amazin story but game development alittle rough.Wd like to see new and better from this studioKeep it up

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# creative, vibrant and heartfelt

Thirsty Suitors floored with me its bold, heartfelt storytelling and visual flair. I loved getting to know all the characters and watching Jala reckon with her past, and coming to terms with how we've treated people we used to love or are still in love with. The game world is full of things to do, almost like a baby Yakuza game - and the battle system is a fun spin on the JRPG formula. It's respectful of your time, and I wish more games would explore narratives like the one found in Thirsty Suitors. Looking forward to whatever Outerloop

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# You can skate as a CAT

^^ I can't express how fun it is to skate around and do skating challenges while listening to banger soundtrack! It was bit hard at first to get hang of it but very soon I started doing crazy stunts. They even made it so you can swap out characters you can skate as and you can skate as CAT!! Legendary! :DOnly downside of the game is the story that is kind of meh. All in all this game is a positive surprise for me

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# nice game

就是价值观很硬核哈哈哈哈哈 外婆那关是真的难搞

Rin Okumura3590 01/03/2024

A somewhat enjoyable experience

Alot of the reviews complain about the game being woke or cringe. (which are stupid complaints). The game was a fun little story with about 6 hours of game. A few clunky mechanics such skating at times but overall a enjoyable experience for a games pass game, and with only a few bugs

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Dont play it if you dont like it Simple

OtherBrookzy 08/11/2024

Console

Good game

16+

A desolace56 07/11/2023

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Fuego

Title

MojaveDeagle

Console

Fun and unique

Ignore the 1 star bots. Try it

A Night Scribbler 16/01/2025

Console

# AMAZING !! IGNORE THE HATERS !!

It handles heavy topics with grace and maturity... And plenty of thirst.  $\bigcirc$  I love the cooking portion of the game as well as the battle system. It's always fun to take down skater punks and thirsty suitors. The cell-shaded visuals are great, too. Highly recommended. It's on Gamepass, so just give it a go.

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