

You can code a scrolling block game in Python using the Pygame library by combining three core ideas: a moving background, a player character, and obstacles that scroll across the screen.

Here's a breakdown of how to do it:

Key Components of a Scrolling Block Game

- **Game Loop:** Continuously updates positions and redraws the screen.
- **Player Block:** A rectangle that can jump or move.
- **Scrolling Background:** Simulated by moving obstacles and ground to the left.
- **Obstacles:** Rectangles or spikes that spawn off-screen and move leftward.
- **Collision Detection:** Ends the game when the player hits an obstacle.
- **Score System:** Increases as the player survives longer.

Setup Pygame

```
import pygame, sys, random
pygame.init()
WIDTH, HEIGHT = 800, 400
screen = pygame.display.set_mode((WIDTH, HEIGHT))
clock = pygame.time.Clock()
```

Create Player Block

```
player = pygame.Rect(100, HEIGHT-60, 50, 50)

gravity = 0.5

velocity = 0
```

Scrolling Obstacles

```
obstacles = []

def spawn_obstacle():

    rect = pygame.Rect(WIDTH, HEIGHT-60, 50, 50)

    obstacles.append(rect)
```

Game Loop

```
score = 0

while True:

    for event in pygame.event.get():

        if event.type == pygame.QUIT:

            pygame.quit(); sys.exit()

        if event.type == pygame.KEYDOWN and event.key == pygame.K_SPACE:

            if player.bottom >= HEIGHT-60:

                velocity = -10


# Gravity

velocity += gravity

player.y += velocity

if player.bottom >= HEIGHT-60:

    player.bottom = HEIGHT-60

    velocity = 0


# Move obstacles

for obs in obstacles:

    obs.x -= 5

    obstacles = [obs for obs in obstacles if obs.right > 0]


# Spawn new obstacles

if random.randint(0, 60) == 1:

    spawn_obstacle()
```

```
# Collision

for obs in obstacles:

    if player.colliderect(obs):

        print("Game Over! Final Score:", score)

        pygame.quit(); sys.exit()
```

```
# Draw

screen.fill((30,30,30))

pygame.draw.rect(screen, (0,200,0), player)

for obs in obstacles:

    pygame.draw.rect(screen, (200,0,0), obs)

score += 1

pygame.display.flip()

clock.tick(60)
```