GRAVE KEEPER

Game Concept:

"Grave Keeper" is a **top-down action-adventure game** where players control either a melee or shooter character. The objective is to survive waves of enemies, such as skeletons, appearing randomly across the map. Players aim to **earn the highest possible XP** within a one-minute gameplay session. At the end of the session, a boss fight determines the ultimate winner. If the player achieves a new high score, it is saved as the new **Highest Score**.

Core Gameplay Mechanics:

- **Enemy Waves:** Skeleton enemies spawn randomly, increasing in difficulty as the game progresses.
- **Progression System:** Both the player and enemies become stronger over time, with increased attack power and movement speed.
- **Health Recovery:** If the player survives for 30 seconds, their health is fully restored.
- **Boss Battle:** A challenging boss fight concludes the session, requiring strategy and skill to defeat.

Audio and Visual Effects:

- Background Music: Unique tracks for gameplay and boss fights.
- **Sound Effects:** Hit sounds for player attacks and enemy damage.
- Particle Effects: Visual trails appear behind the player while running.
- Optional Animations:
 - o Walking animations for the player, enemies, and the boss.
 - o Hit animations: Two unique effects for the boss and one for regular enemies.

User Interface (UI):

- Displays for:
 - o **XP Bar**: Increases as enemies are defeated.
 - o **Time Tracker**: Tracks the gameplay session.
- Menus:
 - o Title screen with the game name, "Grave Keeper."
 - o Pause menu, settings menu, and main menu for navigation.
 - o End-game screens showing scores and restart options.

Additional Features:

- A pause button to freeze gameplay and adjust sound levels.
- Scene transitions to navigate between game states.
- Planned improvements:
 - o Minimap for navigation.
 - o Unique boss abilities (e.g., special axe attack).
 - o Item drops from defeated enemies.

Project Sketch:

