Video Games and violence

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# Summary

This video shows an interview in the Australian TV show “sunrise” where they talk about violent video games and if they have any influence on crime and kids. To discuss this dilemma they’ve brought in two experts, Online Campaigner Geordie Guy and psychiatrist Dr Az. Geordie Guy states that there has been 30 years of government research in this case and that there hasn’t been any real connections in any of the studies that was done properly. Next they start talking about how it’s very dependent on the individual if they have a bigger chance of becoming a perpetrator by playing or watching violent video games.

# Discussion

**A: Summary**   
  
Write a summary of the video, ‘Do violent video games cause crime?’   
  
(About 200 words)   
  
  
**B: Discussion**   
  
*“Do you think that this normalises the notion that we live in a violent society and there’s nothing you can do about that, so get used to it?”   
(3:57-4:04)*   
  
Discuss positive and negative aspects of playing video games.   
Include a comment on the quotation and base your discussion on both the text and the video.   
  
(Minimum 600 words)