

VIDEOGAMES

The popularity of videogames is increasing as well as their quality, due to the incredible advances in technology during the past few years. These games are played by people of all ages, from young children to adults. But does virtual action affect us positively or negatively? On the one hand videogames entertain us and allow us to play with our friends or, if we prefer, alone. Action games help us develop some skills that can be very useful! But on the other hand with the quality and technology these videogames are becoming very realistic, probably too much. The level of violence in them is probably not appropriate for children, and some of them suffer such an addiction to these games they stop socialising! Personally, I think action computer games are harmful if they are played too frequently.

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Many people today use computers to play computer action games, especially teenagers. Some of them play computer action games in their free time to have fun and enjoy themselves which, of course, is something positive but it might also present some

problems. On the one hand, they make you use your brain to develop defensive and offensive strategies, and they also allow you to play online with your friends. On the other hand, they can make teenagers waste their time by playing instead of doing their homework and studying. They also incite teenagers to be violent at home, in the street, at school... To sum up, playing computer action games can be fun, but it's important to organize your time so you don't stop doing your chores. Moreover, you have to differentiate between reality and fiction.

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