



Video games are a huge part of **modern** life, **especially** for kids and teens, because they blend storytelling, challenge, **creativity**, and **competition** into one experience. **Whether** players are exploring open worlds, solving puzzles, or teaming up with **friends** online, games require problem-solving, quick **decision**-making, and **persistence**. Many games push players to learn from failure, try new strategies, and stay **focused** for long periods of time. Beyond **entertainment**, video games also create communities where players communicate, collaborate, and share ideas, making gaming a social **experience** as much as an **individual** one.