

# PEGI Ratings

The Pan European Game Information (PEGI) system has been used since 2003 to inform parents about how suitable games are for their children based on the content. All games, even those you download from online stores, have a PEGI rating and will also give an indication why they have been rated this way



Games rated PEGI 3 contain content that is suitable for all ages—no bad language, nothing frightening and violence will be very mild



May contain scenes and sounds that may frighten, while violence might be implied, non-detailed or non-realistic



Violence may be more graphic against fantasy characters, and non-realistic towards human characters. May contain sexual innuendo, and mild bad language



Violence will be more realistic, as will sexual activity. More extreme bad language may be present as well as illegal drugs, alcohol and smoking



Includes gross and realistic violent acts against defenceless characters, and apparent motiveless killing. It could also include explicit sexual activity and sexual violence. Bad language could be extreme and frequent throughout the game. Use of illegal drugs may be glamorised, as could criminal or highly immoral behaviour.



IN-GAME PURCHASES



SEX



BAD LANGUAGE



FEAR



VIOLENCE



DRUGS



GAMBLING



DISCRIMINATION



To learn more about how games are rated, and what more on what they mean, why not visit their website at [www.pegi.info](http://www.pegi.info)

To learn about using parental controls on games consoles visit Internet Matters

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