# Video Game Rubric

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| **Criteria** | **Ratings** | | | |
| **Originality and Innovation**  Does the game have a unique and interesting concept? Does it bring something new or innovative to the gaming industry? Is the game idea well-executed and coherent? | Excellent (10 points) | Meets Standard (8 points) | Needs Improvement (6 points) | No Submission (0 points) |
| **Graphics and Levels**  Are the visuals appealing and well-crafted? Does the art style align with the game's theme and atmosphere? Are the animations smooth and visually pleasing? Are the levels well-designed, offering challenges and rewards? Is there a good balance between difficulty and player progression? | Excellent (10 points) | Meets Standard (8 points) | Needs Improvement (6 points) | No Submission (0 points) |
| **Gameplay mechanics**  Are the gameplay mechanics well-designed and intuitive? Do they provide a balanced and enjoyable experience? Are the controls responsive and easy to understand? | Excellent (10 points) | Meets Standard (8 points) | Needs Improvement (6 points) | No Submission (0 points) |
| **Story and Narrative**  Is the story compelling and engaging? Are the characters well-developed and interesting? Does the narrative enhance the gameplay experience? | Excellent (10 points) | Meets Standard (8 points) | Needs Improvement (6 points) | No Submission (0 points) |
| **Sound and Music**  Does the game have appropriate sound effects that enhance the gameplay? Is the music engaging and immersive? Does the audio design contribute to the overall experience? | Excellent (10 points) | Meets Standard (8 points) | Needs Improvement (6 points) | No Submission (0 points) |
| **Replayability and Longevity**  Does the game offer enough content to keep players engaged over time? Are there different modes, challenges, or achievements to incentivize replayability? Does the game provide opportunities for community engagement and updates? | Excellent (10 points) | Meets Standard (8 points) | Needs Improvement (6 points) | No Submission (0 points) |
| **Fun and Entertainment Value**  Is the game enjoyable to play? Does it provide a satisfying and rewarding experience? Would players be likely to recommend the game to others? | Excellent (10 points) | Meets Standard (8 points) | Needs Improvement (6 points) | No Submission (0 points) |
| **Technical Execution**  Are there any technical issues or bugs that affect the gameplay? Does the game run smoothly on different platforms or devices? Are the loading times reasonable and optimized? | Excellent (5 points) | Meets Standard (3 points) | Needs Improvement (6 points) | No Submission (0 points) |