

The Worst Video Games of 2013

- a. What was the worst game you bought or played in 2013? Make some notes about it below:

Game	Platform	What didn't you like about it?

- b. Work in pairs. Ask each other about the worst game you bought or played last year and note down your partner's answers below:

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- c. You are going to read another article from forbes.com, this time about the worst games of 2013. Which games do you think might be on the list? Do you think the games you discussed will be mentioned? Share your ideas in small groups.

- d. Read through the article quickly – have you heard of or played any of these games before? If you have, tell the class about it.

- e. Read the introduction to the article in more detail and answer the following questions:

- *How did the author choose the Worst 5 Games of 2013?*
- *Do you think this was a better method of choosing the games than the one used in the Best Games list? Why/whynot?*

- f. Read the rest of the article – what reasons are given for why these games were so bad?

Game	Why was this game rated as one of the worst of 2013?

- g. Discuss the following questions:

- *Was 2013 a good year for gaming?*
- *Do you think these Best and Worst lists are useful or not?*
- *"The best single player games are **experiences**." What do you think the reviewer means with this comment? Do you agree or disagree?*