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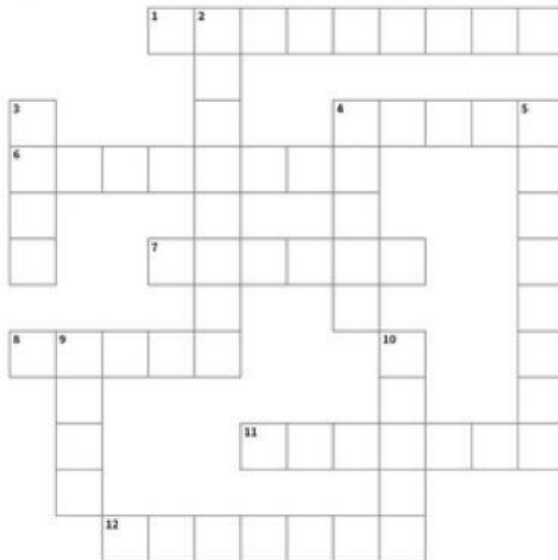
VIRTUAL ACTION

VOCABULARY

Video gaming: verbs



1 Use the definitions to complete the crossword with video gaming verbs.



Across

- 1 build something from several parts
- 4 move smoothly over a surface
- 6 talk and do things with other people
- 7 collect several things, often from different places or people
- 8 make a vehicle move more slowly or stop
- 11 be in a position where you will not fall to either side
- 12 drive a vehicle backwards

Down

- 2 go past a vehicle or person that is going in the same direction
- 3 move quickly, often to avoid something
- 4 control the direction of a vehicle
- 5 give something to someone and receive something similar from them
- 9 move somewhere by turning in a circular direction
- 10 run after someone or something in order to catch them



2 Choose the correct verbs to complete the sentences.

- 1 Let's go out and *chase* / *gather* some flowers from the garden.
- 2 This bike is so heavy that it is hard to *steer* / *brake* in the right direction.
- 3 I *balanced* / *dived* behind a wall when I heard the car approaching.
- 4 You have to *construct* / *interact* a city in this game.
- 5 How long can you *balance* / *roll* on one foot for?
- 6 An angry dog *chased* / *braked* me on the way home last night.
- 7 I prefer games which allow you to *interact* / *chase* with other players.
- 8 Do you want to *balance* / *exchange* this computer for a bike?
- 9 The Ferrari's going too slowly – why doesn't he *overtake* / *reverse* it?
- 10 When I fell off my skateboard, it *rolled* / *chased* to the bottom of the hill without me.
- 11 He won't be able to drive forwards into that parking space – he'll have to *overtake* / *reverse*.
- 12 If she doesn't *brake* / *gather* soon, she'll crash on the next corner.
- 13 He *balanced* / *slid* the plate across the table and I picked it up.

READING

1 Look at the covers of the three video games. Which do you think would be the most fun to play?

