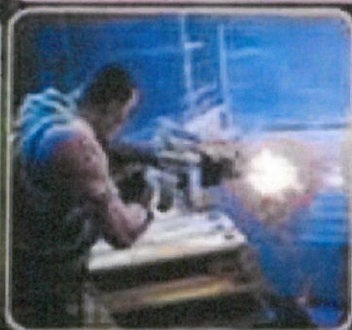




What parents need to know about **FORTNITE: BATTLE ROYALE**

MICROTRANSACTIONS

New-themed items are obtained daily and are only available to purchase within 24 hours of their release. These are cosmetics (skins, colour dyes, 'gliders' and emotes), which change the look of the Avatars but do not improve the game play. These purchases, this player has, full use of them in the future. The designs are made exclusively for players in pacifist and non-violent games are unfashionable. This available to purchase in the game is a Battle Pass, which costs \$10.00. Battle Pass is consumed, users can play a variety of challenges to receive more rewards, eventually progressing through different tiers. Whenever rewards are achieved can then be used in the game.

IT CAN BE ADDICTIVE

Games can last around 20 minutes but this varies with each game. Children may feel angry if they lose the game and continue to discuss what happened the next day or week. The competitive nature of the game may make it difficult for children to move playing 1 player through to 2 or 3 until after their position in the game.

IT CAN BE PLAYED ON THE GO

The game was released as mobile in April 2018 meaning it can be played without a game console at home. Some adults have reported that the game is distracting their children whilst in the classroom. As the game is available outside of the home, parents may not be aware of how long their child is on the

HACKER ATTACKS

Does this bother you? I had one "woman" of sports online by name who said that women had been compromised by Newton. He has proved women to come before the game and sportsmanship of sports is something that you

TALKING TO STRANGERS DURING SQUAD MODE

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FREE TO PLAY

The game is free to play. However, if playing on Xbox, you will need an Xbox gold subscription to play the game which is otherwise free.

NO PROOF OF AGE REQUIRED

Turning us to the parents is instructively simple. There have been studies looking in with their families as though parents or their social networks. When looking in with us social networks, there is not a great deal of support. If your child is under the age of 12, it is important to have a parent who has the parent's education.

SOCIAL MEDIA SCAMS

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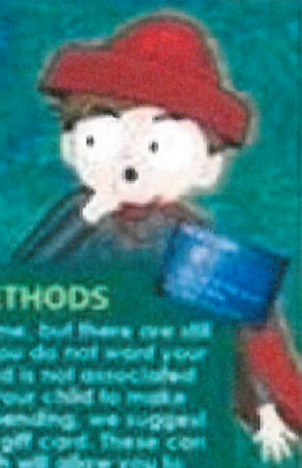
WEAPONS AND VIOLENCE

As a result, the model is able to capture the nonlinear relationship between the input and output variables. The model is trained using a set of input-output pairs, and the output is predicted for new input data. The model is evaluated using a set of test data, and the performance is measured using the mean squared error (MSE) and the coefficient of determination (R^2).



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#1 LIMIT GAME TIME

Parents can use parental controls on Xbox and PC to limit the time your child is playing games on the device. Be aware that the game is available on iOS and will soon be available on all mobiles. With this in mind, it is worth having a conversation with your child to discuss and agree how long you would like them to spend on games. Even though the games last around 20 minutes, it may be hard to take them away from a game mid-play. It may be worth using a limit of the amount of matches they play rather than a time limit.

#2 RESTRICT PAYMENT METHODS

For the Battle Royale is a free-to-play game, but there are still options to make additional purchases. If you do not want your child to make payments, ensure your card is not associated with their account. If you are happy for your child to make payments in the game, but want to limit spending, we suggest using a prepaid card, or a game console gift card. These can be purchased in specific amounts, which will allow you to limit how much your child spends and removes the need for a credit/debit card to be used with their account.

#3 PREVENT THEM TALKING TO STRANGERS

There is an option to turn off the voice chat feature, which means they wouldn't be able to talk to anybody, including their friends. Your child will still be able to use the in-app chat and hear other people's conversations. To turn off voice chat, open the Settings menu in the top right of the main Fortnite page, then click on the cog icon. Open the Audio tab at the top of the screen. From there, you can turn off voice chat.

SHOW THEM HOW TO MAKE A REPORT

If your child believes a player is playing or taking inappropriately, you should advise them to report them. To report a player, you can use the in-game feedback tool located in the Main Menu of the game. Additionally, you can report a player in-game when watching them.