



VIDEO GAMES CULTURAL TEST

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- Pass mark 16 out of 31 points.
- Section A, Cultural Content – up to 16 points
- Section B, Cultural Contribution – up to 4 points
- Section C, Cultural Hubs – up to 3 points
- Section D, Cultural Practitioners – up to 8 points



A1 – Where is the Video Game set?

- Up to 4 points if at least 25%, 50%, 66% or over 75% is set in a representation of the UK or EEA;
- Up to 3 points if at least 25%, 50% or over 66% is set in an undetermined location



2 – Who are the lead characters?

- Up to 4 points if the lead three characters are British/EEA citizens or residents or citizens/residents of an undetermined location



A3 – Story?

- 4 points if the video game reflects a British or European story

OR

- 4 points if the underlying material is by a British or EEA citizen or resident.



A4 – Language

- Up to 4 points if at least 25%, 50%, 66% or over 75% is in the English language or one of the UK's six recognised regional languages.



B – Cultural contribution

- Up to 4 points will be awarded for the demonstration of British creativity, British heritage or cultural diversity.



C1 & C2 – Cultural hubs

- C1 - 2 points will be awarded if at least 50% of the conceptual development **or** storyboarding **or** programming **or** design takes place in the UK.
- C2 - 1 point will be awarded if at least 50% of the music recording **or** the voice recording **or** the audio post production takes place in the UK.



D1 to D8 – Cultural Practitioners

- D1 – Project Leader
- D2 – Scriptwriter
- D3 – Composer
- D4 – Artist
- D5 – Programmer
- D6 – Designer
- D7 – 1 of 7 Heads of department
- D8 – 50% Development Team



Supporting documentation

- Video game scripts or equivalent (if applicable) to demonstrate language and content.
- Complete treatment, game design documents or synopsis of the video game.
- Video game schedule/production schedule.
- Production budget/final cost report – the most up-to-date copy of the total long-form budget.
- A copy of the chain of title/writers agreement – the most up-to-date (only if applying for points under section A3(b) to demonstrate the video game is written by a British/EEA citizen or resident).