



ASUS and Lenovo Headsets to Feature Meta Horizon OS Integration

Description

Meta is making big changes to its software platform, rebranding it from Quest to Meta Horizon OS and allowing third-party headset makers to use it. These headsets will have access to Meta's tracking and mixed reality technology, along with the Meta Horizon Store. Two companies, ASUS and Lenovo, have already announced plans to release headsets running Meta Horizon OS.

Meta CEO Mark Zuckerberg envisions different types of headsets optimized for specific uses, such as gaming or entertainment. Additionally, Meta is collaborating with Microsoft's Xbox division to create a special edition Meta Quest headset with Xbox branding.

This move by Meta comes after Google tried to convince them to switch to its upcoming Android XR platform, but Meta declined. Samsung is the first hardware maker to adopt Android XR, with Google attempting to attract other companies. With Meta securing partnerships with major companies, Google's plans in the XR space may face challenges.

The competition between Meta and Google for third-party hardware makers may shape the future of XR platforms. Only time will tell if Meta or Google will emerge as the dominant force in the XR world.

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Vocabulary List:

1. **Rebranding** // (noun): The process of giving a product or organization a new image or identity.
2. **Optimized** // (adjective): Made as perfecteffectiveor functional as possible.
3. **Collaborating** // (verb): Working together on a project or activity.
4. **Securing** // (verb): Protecting or making something safe and certain.
5. **Dominant** // (adjective): More powerfulimportantor influential than others.
6. **Challenges** // (noun): Difficulties or obstacles that need to be overcome.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What is the term used to verify or make something definite?
Option: Certainty
Option: Doubt
Option: Uncertainty
Option: Possibility
2. What is the opposite of perished?
Option: Thrived
Option: Died
Option: Endured
Option: Persisted
3. Which term best describes something revolutionary or innovative?
Option: Traditional
Option: Commonplace
Option: Conventional
Option: Cutting-edge
4. What do you call the power or ability to do something?
Option: Inabilities
Option: Weaknesses
Option: Incapacities
Option: Skills
5. What is the term for commemorating a special day or event?



- Option: Mourn
- Option: Ignore
- Option: Forget
- Option: Observe

6. What is the act of finding or learning something for the first time?

- Option: Loss
- Option: Constraint
- Option: Occurrence
- Option: Find

7. What term is used to describe someone or something famous and well-known?

- Option: Obscure
- Option: Unfamiliar
- Option: Unknown
- Option: Eminent

8. What is the term for making the best or most effective use of a situation or resource?

- Option: Mismanaged
- Option: Neglected
- Option: Minimized
- Option: Maximized

9. What do you call difficult situations or obstacles that test one's abilities?

- Option: Obstructions
- Option: Facilities
- Option: Assistance
- Option: Advantages

10. Which term means to develop gradually over time?

- Option: Stagnate
- Option: Degenerate
- Option: Regress
- Option: Develop

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. After the explosion scattered _____ was found all over the area.

12. The police are investigating the _____ that occurred last night at the construction



- site.
13. Paleontologists discovered a well-preserved dinosaur _____ in the desert.
14. Genealogists traced their family _____ back several centuries.
15. The lions marked their _____ with scent to warn other animals.
16. The silverback gorilla is the _____ male in the group.
17. The student's essay was full of _____ arguments and lacked coherence.
18. Despite the challenges they held onto the belief that there was always _____ for a better future.
19. The book required a professional _____ to be accurately understood in different languages.
20. The oil spill was a disastrous _____ that affected the marine ecosystem.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The spaceship crew unnecessary weight to increase their chances of reaching orbit safely.
22. The transition between scenes in the movie was so smooth and enhancing the viewer's experience.
23. The new environmental policies are expected to have a positive on the planet's sustainability.
24. It is essential to positive relationships in order to foster a healthy work environment.
25. The company's successful efforts helped attract a new generation of customers.
26. The two departments are on a project to streamline their operations.
27. The cybersecurity team is focused on the company's network from potential threats.
28. The economic data showed a different picture compared to last year's figures.
29. Organisms must over time to adapt to changing environmental conditions.



30. The vampire bat used its sharp to puncture the skin of its prey.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Certainty 2. Died 3. Cutting-edge 4. Skills 5. Observe 6. Find 7. Eminent 8. Maximized 9. Obstructions 10. Develop

Gap-Fill: 11. Debris 12. Incident 13. Fossil 14. Ancestor 15. Territory 16. Dominant 17. Nonsensical 18. Hope 19. Translation 20. Incident

Matching sentence: 1. Jettisoned 2. Seamless 3. Impact 4. Nurture 5. Rebranding 6. Collaborating 7. Securing 8. Starkly 9. Evolve 10. Fang

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