



Sony Unveils 'Game Changers': Celebrating Accessibility in Gaming

Description

Sony celebrated one year of the PS5 Access Controller by releasing a short documentary.

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On Tuesday, Sony [posted a video on YouTube](#) that offers a retrospective look at one year with the [Access Controller](#) for PlayStation 5. Titled *Game Changers*, this nearly 22-minute video serves as a mini-documentary, highlighting the experiences of disabled gamers and accessibility advocates Jared Grier and Alejandro Courtney.

Grier, a rehabilitation engineer affiliated with the nonprofit [AbleGamers](#), collaborates closely with those advocating for disability rights. Meanwhile, Courtney is a professional gamer with the [Quad Gods team](#), which aims to highlight gamers with disabilities as credible esports competitors.

The release of *Game Changers* coincides with the anniversary of Sony's [launch announcement](#) for the Access Controller. This device, described as a "highly customizable accessibility controller kit," aims to allow disabled individuals to "play more comfortably and for longer." The Access Controller, previously known as "Project Leonardo," was introduced last year at CES, with pre-orders starting in July.

In essence, the Access Controller provides a comparable solution to Microsoft's [Xbox Adaptive Controller](#). Priced at \$90, it is slightly more affordable than its Microsoft counterpart, which retails for \$99. Both controllers come in accessible packaging, further emphasizing the importance of inclusivity in gaming.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Accessibility** /əˌkɛsəˈbɪlɪti/ (noun): The quality of being accessible especially to disabled individuals.
2. **Collaborates** /kəˈlɒbəreɪts/ (verb): Works jointly with others or together especially in an intellectual endeavor.
3. **Competitors** /kəmˈpɛtɪtərz/ (noun): Individuals or groups that compete against each other.
4. **Customizable** /ˈkʌstəmaɪzəbl/ (adjective): Able to be modified or tailored to suit a particular individual or task.
5. **Inclusive** /ɪnˈkluːsɪv/ (adjective): Including all groups of people or things; not excluding any section of society or any party involved in something.
6. **Retrospective** /ˌrɛtrəˈspɛktɪv/ (adjective): Looking back on or dealing with past events or situations.

Vocabulary quizzes



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

1. Which word describes an appetite or desire that is impossible to satisfy?
Option: Insatiable
Option: Treasure
Option: Lavish
Option: Allocate
2. Which term means to work together on a project or task?
Option: Accessibility
Option: Collaborates
Option: Enhance
Option: Competitors
3. Which word describes something that is difficult to handle or use because of its size or weight?
Option: Autonomous
Option: Cumbersome
Option: Enhance
Option: Nefarious
4. Which term refers to words or symbols that are engraved or written on a surface?
Option: Inscriptions
Option: Align
Option: Bracket
Option: Scaffolding
5. Which word describes an imitation of a situation or process?
Option: Navigate
Option: Dynamics
Option: Optimal
Option: Simulation
6. Which term relates to one's family or cultural heritage?
Option: Postponement
Option: Aspirations
Option: Ancestral
Option: Underrated
7. Who are individuals or entities that are rivals in a particular field or competition?
Option: Accessibility
Option: Inclusive
Option: Retrospective



Option: Competitors

8. What term means the action of delaying an event or activity to a later time?

Option: Treasure

Option: Lavish

Option: Postponement

Option: Insatiable

9. Which word means to record or take possession of something using a camera or other device?

Option: Inclusive

Option: Capture

Option: Customizable

Option: Repel

10. Which term describes a support typically for a shelf or the bottom of something?

Option: Bracket

Option: Scaffolding

Option: Align

Option: Enhance

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

11. The artist is _____ for his unique style and innovative approach to painting.

12. An _____ is a set of rules to be followed in calculations or problem-solving operations often in computer science.

13. The captain used the stars to _____ his ship across the vast ocean.

14. The celebrity threw a _____ party to celebrate her birthday.

15. To achieve the _____ performance of your computer regular maintenance is essential.

16. Adding fresh herbs can _____ the flavor of this dish.

17. The new ramp provides _____ for wheelchair users to enter the building.



18. The software allows users to tailor the interface to their preferences; it is highly _____.
19. The old map led the treasure hunters to a hidden _____ buried on the island.
20. Her career _____ include becoming a successful entrepreneur and owning her own business.

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

21. The strong smell of the insect repellent helped mosquitoes during the camping trip.
22. The drone flew on an mission to collect data in the remote forest.
23. The shelf was securely held up by the metal attached to the wall.
24. The construction workers used sturdy to reach the top of the building.
25. The political of the region changed rapidly after the election results were announced.
26. The club aims to be and welcomes members from all backgrounds.
27. The detective was on the trail of a criminal mastermind behind the series of bank heists.
28. The organization's goals are to with its mission of promoting sustainable practices.
29. The new lighting system will the ambiance of the dining area.
30. Her career include advancing to a leadership position within the company.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Insatiable 2. Collaborates 3. Cumbersome 4. Inscriptions 5. Simulation 6. Ancestral 7. Competitors 8. Postponement 9. Capture 10. Bracket

Gap-Fill: 11. underrated 12. algorithm 13. navigate 14. lavish 15. optimal 16. enhance 17. accessibility 18. customizable 19. treasure 20. aspirations

Matching sentence: 1. Repel 2. Autonomous 3. Bracket 4. Scaffolding 5. Dynamics 6. Inclusive 7. Nefarious 8. Align 9. Enhance 10. Aspirations



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