

READ THE FOLLOWING WARNINGS BEFORE YOU OR YOUR CHILD PLAY VIDEO GAMES

SEIZURE WARNING**WARNING**

Some people (about 1 in 4000) may have seizures or blackouts triggered by light flashes or patterns, such as while watching TV or playing video games, even if they have never had a seizure before. Anyone who has had a seizure, loss of awareness, or other symptom linked to an epileptic condition should consult a doctor before playing a video game.

Parents should watch when their children play video games. Stop playing immediately and consult a doctor if you or your child have any of the following symptoms: **Convulsions, Eye or muscle twitching, Loss of awareness, Altered vision, Involuntary movements, Disorientation.**

TO REDUCE THE LIKELIHOOD OF A SEIZURE WHEN PLAYING VIDEO GAMES:

1. Sit or stand as far from the screen as possible.
2. Play video games on the smallest available television screen.
3. Do not play if you are tired or need sleep.
4. Play in a well-lit room.
5. Take a 10 to 15 minute break every hour.

REPETITIVE MOTION INJURIES**WARNING**

Playing video games can make your muscles, joints or skin hurt after a few hours. Follow these instructions to avoid problems such as Tendonitis, Carpal Tunnel Syndrome or skin irritation:

- Take a 10 to 15 minute break every hour, even if you don't think you need it.
- If your hands, wrists or arms become tired or sore while playing, stop and rest them for several hours before playing again.
- If you continue to have sore hands, wrists or arms during or after play, stop playing and see a doctor.

BATTERY LEAKAGE**WARNING****Game Boy / Game Boy Color / Game Boy Advance**

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS MAY CAUSE THE BATTERIES TO MAKE "POPPING" SOUNDS AND LEAK BATTERY ACID RESULTING IN PERSONAL INJURY AND DAMAGE TO YOUR GAME BOY OR ACCESSORY. IF BATTERY LEAKAGE OCCURS, THOROUGHLY WASH THE AFFECTED SKIN AND CLOTHES. KEEP BATTERY ACID AWAY FROM YOUR EYES AND MOUTH. CONTACT THE BATTERY MANUFACTURER FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

1. For Game Boy use only alkaline batteries. Do not use carbon zinc or any other non-alkaline batteries.
2. Do not mix used and new batteries (replace all batteries at the same time).
3. Do not put the batteries in backwards (positive [+] and negative [-] ends must face the proper direction). The supply terminals are not to be short-circuited.
4. Do not leave used batteries in the Game Boy.
5. Do not mix battery types (do not mix alkaline and carbon zinc batteries or mix different brands of batteries). Use only batteries of the same or equivalent type as recommended.
6. Do not leave batteries in the Game Boy or accessory for long periods of non-use.
7. Do not leave the power switch ON after the batteries have lost their charge. When you finish using the Game Boy, always slide the power switch OFF.
8. Do not dispose of batteries in a fire.
9. Do not use rechargeable batteries such as nickel cadmium. Non rechargeable batteries are not to be recharged.
10. Do not use a battery if the plastic cover has been torn or compromised in any way.
11. Do not insert or remove batteries while the power is ON.
12. GENERAL NOTE: Rechargeable batteries are to be removed before charging. Rechargeable batteries are only to be recharged under adult supervision.

Game Boy Advance SP

THE GAME BOY ADVANCE SP CONTAINS A LITHIUM ION RECHARGEABLE BATTERY PAK. LEAKAGE OF INGREDIENTS CONTAINED WITHIN OR COMBUSTION OF THE LITHIUM ION BATTERY CAN CAUSE PERSONAL INJURY AS WELL AS DAMAGE TO YOUR GAME BOY ADVANCE SP. IF BATTERY LEAKAGE OCCURS, AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN. IF LIQUID LEAKING FROM A BATTERY COMES INTO CONTACT WITH YOUR EYES, IMMEDIATELY FLUSH THOROUGHLY WITH WATER AND SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION. IF CONTACT OCCURS WITH SKIN, IMMEDIATELY WASH THOROUGHLY WITH SOAP AND WATER.

To avoid battery leakage:

1. Do not expose battery to excessive physical shock or vibration.
2. Do not disassemble, attempt to repair or deform the battery.
3. Do not dispose of batteries in a fire.
4. Do not touch the terminals of the battery, or cause a short between the terminals with a metal object.
5. The Lithium Ion Battery must not be short circuited or subjected to heat.
6. Do not leave the power switch ON after the battery has lost its charge. When you finish using the Game Boy Advance SP, always slide the power switch OFF.
7. Do not use a battery if the plastic cover has been torn or compromised in anyway.
8. Do not insert or remove battery while the power is ON.
9. Game Boy Advance SP Rechargeable Battery Pak is only to be recharged under adult supervision.
10. Exhausted battery is to be removed from the toy when disposing of the unit.
11. Do not remove the Rechargeable Battery Pak from the Game Boy Advance SP unless it needs to be replaced.
12. Do not use any battery other than the Game Boy Advance SP Rechargeable Battery Pak. A replacement battery may be ordered at the Nintendo Service Centre.
13. When recharging the Battery Pak, only use the Game Boy Advance SP Power Supply included with this system.
14. When disposing of the battery, follow appropriate local guidelines and regulations. For information on battery disposal contact your local solid waste authority.

HARDWARE PRECAUTIONS / MAINTENANCE

1. Do not disassemble or try to repair the Game Boy or components. Doing so voids your warranty.
2. Always slide the power switch of the Game Boy OFF before loading or removing a Game Pak. Insert the Game Pak completely without forcing either the Game Pak or the Game Boy.
3. Do not store the Game Boy in a humid place, on the floor or in any location where it may collect dirt, dust, lint, etc. Game Boy may be used only in less humid rooms (e.g. living rooms). Don't use the Game Boy in bathrooms, lavatories, kitchens or any other humid places where there is the risk of splashing the unit with water. Doing so may cause electric shock or damage to the unit.
4. Do not drop, hit or otherwise abuse the Game Boy or components. Doing so may cause damage to the unit.
5. Make sure all connections to the Game Boy are made carefully and inserted into the correct locations only. Hold plugs straight when inserting them into a socket.
6. When disconnecting any plugs from the Game Boy or wall socket, first turn the Game Boy OFF. Then carefully pull by the plug itself rather than by the cord. Do not step on, sharply pull or bend any wires or cables.
7. Do not expose the Game Boy, Game Paks or any of the Game Boy components to extreme heat or cold. The liquid crystal display (LCD) may become slower or may not work when the temperature is low. The LCD will deteriorate at a high temperature. Take care not to expose the Game Boy to direct sunlight for extended periods of time.
8. When taking the unit to a warm place from a cold place, drops of water may form inside and cause the unit to malfunction. Continued use may cause damage to the unit. Turn the power OFF and leave it for a while (approximately 60 minutes).
9. The LCD is made of glass and may be damaged by sharp objects or pressure. Take great care to protect the display from scratches or stains. Do not put the unit in your back pocket. Doing so may cause break-down of the LCD of the Game Boy. To protect the LCD from damage, always fold up the Game Boy Advance SP when not in use.
10. Connect ONLY special accessories designed for use with the Game Boy Advance SP, Game Boy Advance or Game Boy Series to the external power supply terminal or the extension connectors, otherwise you may cause damage to the unit.
11. Do not spill liquids on the Game Boy, Game Paks or any other of the Game Boy components. Do not insert any foreign materials. If accidental spillage happens, turn the power OFF immediately and remove the battery.
12. To clean the Game Boy, use a soft slightly damp cloth. Allow the unit to dry completely before using again. (Use water only.)
13. Do not rapidly turn the power switch ON and OFF, as this may shorten the life of the battery and cause battery backed-up Game Paks to lose your stored game information.
14. For the best game image, look directly at the Game Boy display from the front and operate only in a good light.
15. To avoid dirt or dust from getting into the Game Boy, always leave a Game Pak loaded (with the power OFF), when not in use.
16. When using a Game Boy Advance AC-DC Adapter Set, always unplug it from the wall outlet when not in use.
17. When using a Game Boy Advance SP Power Supply, always unplug it from the wall socket when not in use.
18. Using cords might cause hazards by forming nooses.
19. The toy is not intended for children under 3 years old.

GAME PAK PRECAUTIONS / MAINTENANCE

1. Avoid touching the connectors with your fingers. Do not blow on them or allow them to get wet or dirty. Doing so may damage the Game Pak and/or the Game Boy.
2. The Game Pak is a high precision piece of electronics. Do not store it in places that are very hot or cold. Do not hit, drop or otherwise abuse it. Do not take it apart.
3. Do not clean with benzene, paint thinner, alcohol or any other solvent.
4. Always check the Game Pak edge connector for foreign material before inserting the Game Pak into the Game Boy.