Nowadays children mostly spend time playing computer games rather than sports. What are the reasons for this? Is it a positive or a negative development?

These days due to the recent technological advances many children use up most of their free time with video games instead of physical activities such as sports. Easy access, attractiveness, and a kind of competition are some of the motives behind the tendency to such an attractively sedentary activity. While there is are certainly valid arguments to the contrary, I, personally, hold the idea the idea that this is not a completely negative improvement.

Perhaps the first and most significant reason behind this wide range of applicant of video games is these are truly accessible everywhere. All a gamer needs is a smart phone, and this is available almost with for most children. A majority of these games are free, and so attractive that children fail to resist the attractiveness of playing them. In addition to this, some parents prefer their children to be silent with something at home rather than taking them out, and paying tuition fees for a gym or any other group activity. That an overwhelming majority of children in this day and age are addicted to computer games is an undeniable fact.

Although a large number of people believe that this has had a negative impact on both society and individuals, I maintain that these games brought us some indisputable benefits. I argue that not only did computer games create jobs in many fields, but it also made computer scientists achieve cutting-edge technological advancements in graphic design and programming. Flight simulators which revolutionized the aviation training, and nowadays is a popular simulator at aviation schools is another by-product of computer games.

By way of conclusion, I must confess that although I do not agree with this widespread use of video games, I cannot deny the positive aspects of this attractive entertainment. I also argue that if parents can help children to maintain a balance between their physical activities and computer games there is not that much disadvantage of spending time playing computer games.