

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? Playing computer games is a waste of time. Children should not be allowed to play them. Use specific reasons and examples to support your answer.

Playing computer games is not as fascinating as it seems. I am ~~of~~ the opinion ~~of that~~ spending so much time on computers ~~s~~ is a useless job. It can ruin youth's health and ~~endanger his-their~~ social life.

Some evidence suggests that gaming is a dangerous act toward your health. It can weaken your eyesight. By Spending so much time sitting in front of a monitor, the risk of obesity will ~~rais~~rise. A good illustration of that is the number of children that have eye~~'s~~ problems~~s~~, due to playing virtual games instead of reading books or going outside. Admittedly focusing long periods~~s~~ of time on ~~the~~ monitor or other screens is harmful for eyes. Young people who play most of their time by computer, ~~do-are~~ not physically active. Owing to that, obesity ~~happened~~happens. I know ~~a~~ plenty of parents who deal with health problems~~s~~ of their children.

~~The~~ Other downside of this life style that cannot be ignored, is that ~~the~~ virtual world can be very dangerous to ~~unexperienced-inexperienced~~ ones. Nowadays, the young are attracted to the online games. This kind of game is so ~~much~~ addictive. The fleeting excitement forces them to continue playing and wasting more time on ~~the~~ internet. They have lack of marketable skills. They are shy and cannot ~~have~~ properly encounter ~~with~~ their own age people. I personally know ~~guys~~ who prefer just to talk to other gamers on the headphone and microphone instead of face to face. They can be called anti-social.

To sum up, considering the points discussed above, the most rational conclusion to be drawn is that, ~~however-although~~ playing computer games can have positive outcomes, the downside cannot be ignored. There is no doubt that spending plenty of time in front of ~~the~~ screen is waste of time and energy. It can affect youth's health directly. I, personally, prefer to find ~~a~~ better pastimes which are not highly addictive.