### **NEWS OF THE DAY**

Welcome to the News of the Day, your one-stop destination for high-level details on Xbox Series S, Xbox Game Pass and EA Play, and our expansion of Xbox All Access around the world.

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# **XBOX SERIES S**



We unveiled Xbox Series S – our all-digital next-generation console delivering next-gen speed and performance in our smallest Xbox ever. Key details on Xbox Series S include:

- Xbox Series S will deliver many of the same next-generation capabilities that define Xbox Series X, including faster load times, higher frame rates, and richer, more dynamic worlds at a more affordable price point
- It features a compact new design with a Robot White color scheme and is the smallest Xbox ever created (27.5cm x 15.1cm x 6.4cm)
- Xbox Series S includes our new Xbox Wireless Controller, also in Robot White to match its
  console counterpart. This controller will also be available as a standalone purchase this holiday
  for \$69.99 (USD)/€64.99 (EUR)/£59.99 (GBP) and includes of all the same <u>features we've</u>
   detailed to date
- It delivers approximately 3x the GPU performance of Xbox One S and was designed to play games at 1440P at 60 frames per second, with support for up to 120fps
- It features 512GB of custom SSD storage
- Xbox Series S supports the Seagate Storage Expansion Card where you can add 1TB of additional storage with the full speed and performance of the Xbox Velocity Architecture
- It's perfect for digital-first gamers and our fans who want to bring their games with them wherever they play
- As an all-digital Xbox, it's also a perfect partner with Xbox Game Pass
- Start your gaming career with thousands of digital games across four generations of gaming on Xbox Series S, including Xbox One and backward-compatible Xbox 360 and original Xbox games
- Your Xbox One gaming accessories move forward with you on Xbox Series S, just as they do with Xbox Series X
- Alongside Xbox Series X, Xbox Series S will have Dolby Vision support for streaming media applications, including Netflix, Disney+ and Vudu
- Dolby Vision support for games will come first to Xbox Series S and Xbox Series X Spring 2021

Xbox Series S will be available at \$299.99 (USD)/€299.99 (EUR)/£249.99 (GBP) alongside Xbox Series X at \$499.99 (USD)/€499.99 (EUR)/£449.99 (GBP) on November 10th, 2020. Pre-orders for both Xbox Series S and Xbox Series X begin September 22, 2020. Please contact your local PR representative for additional details on pricing in your region.

## **XBOX GAME PASS**



Get EA Play with Xbox Game Pass Ultimate and Xbox Game Pass for PC for no additional cost starting this holiday – available in all 41 countries where Xbox Game Pass is available. Formerly known as EA Access and Origin Access, EA Play will bring the best of EA to Xbox Game Pass across Xbox Series X, Xbox Series S, Xbox One consoles, and Windows 10 PCs:

- More than 60 of EA's biggest and best console and PC games like "FIFA 20," "Star Wars Battlefront II," "Titanfall 2" and "Need for Speed Heat," as well as titles from some of EA's most popular franchises like Battlefield, Mass Effect, Skate and Sims
- Exclusive in-game challenges and rewards, special member-only content, discounts on EA digital purchases for DLC, games and more
- Access to trials of games for up to 10 hours from best-loved franchises and top titles like "Madden NFL 21," "FIFA 21" and "Star Wars Squadrons"
- Not only will EA titles be available via EA Play on Xbox consoles and PC, this holiday, some of the best EA games will also be available for Xbox Game Pass Ultimate members to play on Android devices via the cloud at no additional charge

#### **Xbox Game Pass for PC and the Xbox App Exit Beta**

Xbox Game Pass for PC and the Xbox App become generally available in all 41 countries where Xbox Game Pass for PC is available on September 17.

- New Xbox Game Pass for PC members can try their first month for \$1, and existing members will keep their current pricing for the next billing cycle. After that, Xbox Game Pass for PC will be available for \$9.99 a month
- Starting this holiday, Xbox Game Pass for PC members will have access to EA Play (formerly EA Access and Origin Access) at no additional cost including PC hits like "FIFA 20," "Star Wars Battlefront II," "Sims 4," and "Dragon Age: Inquisition"

**Xbox Game Pass Ultimate Delivers 100+ Games Directly to Your Android Phone or Tablet**Beginning September 15, Xbox Game Pass Ultimate members in 22 markets will have access to more than 100 high-quality games playable from the cloud on their mobile device, including "Minecraft Dungeons," "Tell Me Why," "Gears 5," "Yakuza Kiwami 2," and more.

- To enhance the mobile gaming experience, we're partnering with Razer, PowerA, 8BitDo, and Nacon to create all-new accessories specifically designed for cloud gaming. Gamers can also continue to play with Xbox One Bluetooth Wireless and PlayStation DualShock 4 controllers on their mobile devices
- All of the experiences expected on Xbox and your gaming profile travel with you on mobile, including your friends list, achievements, controller settings, and saved game progress

## **XBOX ALL ACCESS**

## YOUR ALL-INCLUSIVE **PASS TO XBOX**



FROM \$24.99/MONTH FOR 24 MONTHS^







Xbox Console Xbox Game Pass Ultimate No Upfront Cost





- Xbox All Access is designed to give players everything they need to jump into the next generation of gaming with no upfront costs
- Get the console of your choice plus 24 months of Xbox Game Pass Ultimate with Xbox All Access
- Xbox Series S will be available this holiday for \$24.99 per month for 24 months and Xbox Series X will be available for \$34.99 per month for 24 months with Xbox All Access. ^ Please check with your local retailer for more details
- Xbox All Access is expanding and will be available in 12 countries this holiday, including:
  - Australia at Telstra
  - Canada at EB Games
  - Denmark at Elgiganten
  - o Finland at Gigantti
  - France at FNAC
  - New Zealand at Spark
  - Norway at Elkjøp
  - Poland at Media Expert
  - South Korea at SK Telecom
  - Sweden at Elgiganten
  - United Kingdom at GAME and Smyths Toys
  - o United States at Microsoft Store, Best Buy, GameStop, Target, and Walmart
- You can pre-order Xbox Series X or Xbox Series S with Xbox All Access at participating retailers
- Existing members can purchase Xbox Series X or Xbox Series S at any time, including during the pre-order window, from any participating Xbox All Access retailer while still completing their minimum payment requirements for upgrade. Terms apply; learn more about how to upgrade at <a href="mailto:xbox.com/xboxallaccess-upgrade">xbox.com/xboxallaccess-upgrade</a>
- Players who purchase an Xbox Series X or Xbox Series S console and complete the 24 full payments own the console outright and the 24-month subscription to Xbox Game Pass Ultimate included with Xbox All Access expires
- Once the 24-month subscription to Xbox Game Pass Ultimate included with Xbox All Access expires, you will need to purchase a new Xbox Game Pass Ultimate membership or purchase standalone Xbox Live Gold and Xbox Game Pass memberships in order to continue taking advantage of Xbox Live Gold and Xbox Game Pass benefits