



Creating a DevFacToe Game

Use the following steps to create DevFacToe games online.
Visit [http:// digw.org](http://digw.org) to begin.

First Plan and Research Game Theme, Categories, and Facts:

1. Students will begin creating a DevFacToe game by first selecting a theme that will become the **Game Name**.
2. Effective game themes are broad in scope, easily allowing students to create related game **Categories**. For example, a game named "Health in Africa" clearly relates to the Category "Preventing Malaria." Create a list of **16 Categories**.
3. The **United Nations Millennium Development Goals** are particularly useful starting points for game themes, such as "Promoting Gender Equality" based upon the third Millennium Development Goal.
4. Visit <http://devinfo.info> to research **at least one Fact** per Category. Information on how to access DevInfo Data to use as Facts can be found in the corresponding "**Accessing DevInfo Data**" guide.

Login or Register at <http://digw.org>:

5. Select one of the following from the **Log in / register** link in the right-hand **Play** menu.
6. **Login** to di Gameworks if you have previously registered by entering your **Screen name** and **Password**.
7. **Register** with di Gameworks if you will be creating or playing a game for the first time.

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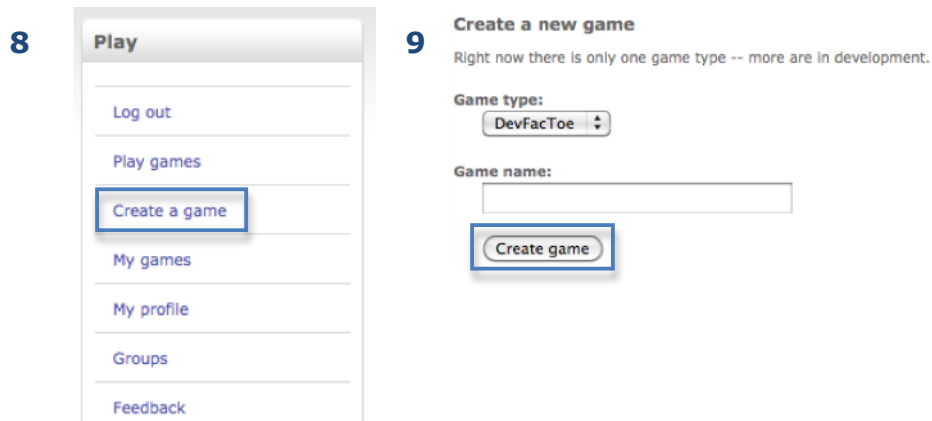
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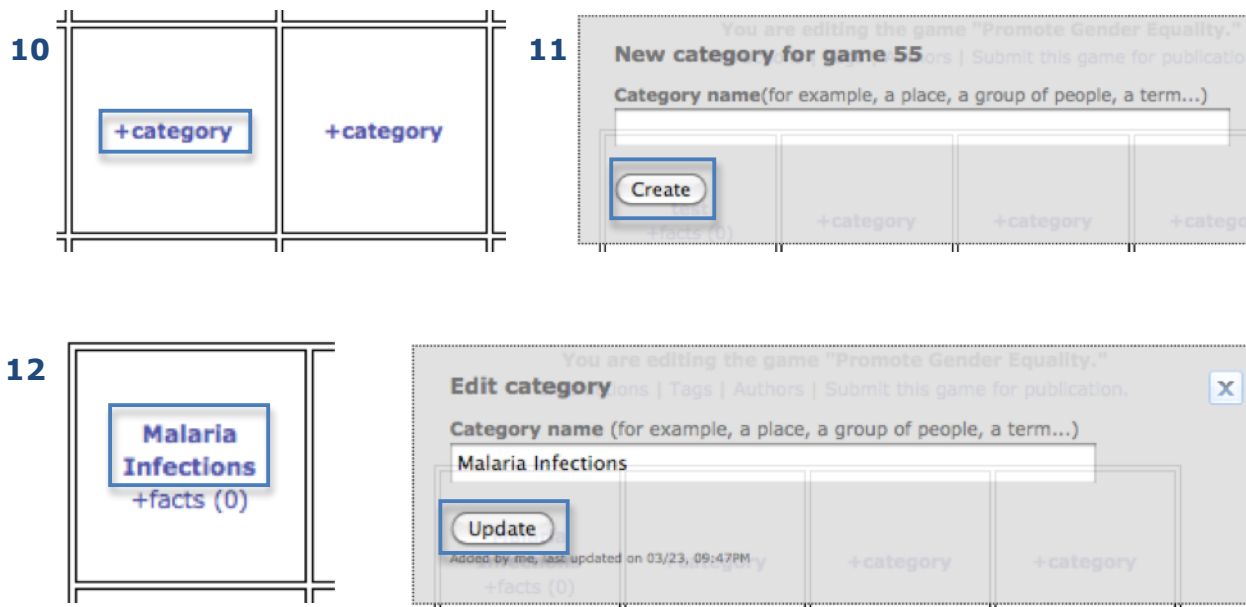
Begin Creating a Game at <http://digw.org>:

8. Select the **Create a game** link from the right-hand Play menu.
9. Select **DevFacToe** as the **Game type**. Enter **Game Name** (from step 1) and click the **Create game** button.



Add Game Categories:

10. Click the **+ category** link in each game board box to add a new Category.
11. Enter a Category (step 2) in the pop-up window and click the **Create** button.
12. Categories may be edited by clicking the Category name in the game board box, editing the name in the pop-up window, and then selecting the **Update** button.

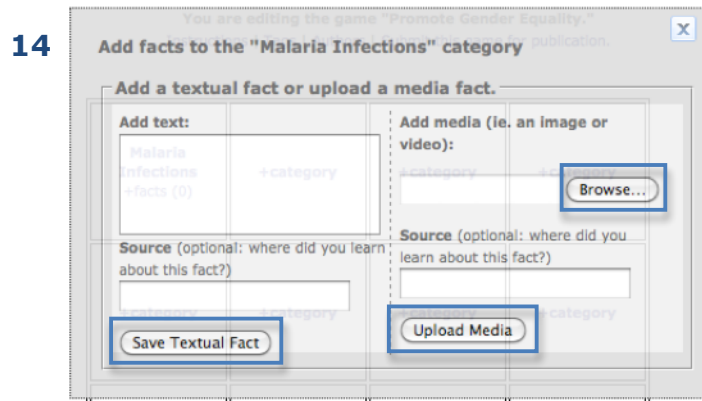
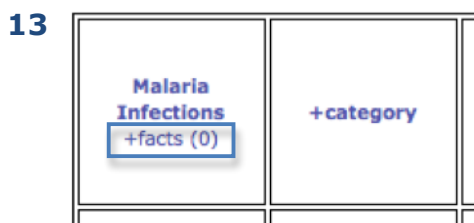




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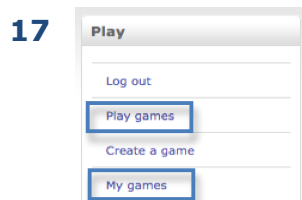
Add Game Facts:

13. Click the **+ facts (0)** link in each game board box to add a new Fact. + facts (0) will only appear after a Category has been created.
14. Enter a Fact (step 4) in the pop-up window. Two types of facts may be added: **Text** and **Media** (image or video) Facts. Encourage students to cite a **Fact Source** (step 4). To add a Text Fact click the **Save Textual Fact** button. To add a Media Fact first click the **Browse...** button to select an image or video file from your computer, and then click the **Upload Media** button. There is no limit to how many Facts may be added to each Category. Facts may also be edited and updated like Categories.



Submitting and Accessing Games:

15. When finished, select the **Submit this game for publication** link found above the game board. Games are sent to the site administrator to determine whether the game may be approved or is in need of revision.
16. A solitary version of submitted games may be played during the approval process (accessible only to the game creator after login).
17. Approved games will be featured on the di Gameworks website and may be accessed after login by clicking either the **Play games** link or the **My games** link in the Play menu.



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