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August 2025 OUR 59TH YEAR

CHANGE IS IN THE AIR. The big kids are packing up for college, the little ones are lacing up new school shoes, and in Arizona, students are already back in class. Yikes! While we still have a few more weeks of summer vacation in some parts of the country, the pace is picking up fast—and once you see the list of August releases, you'll want to pick up the pace too!

The newest Demon Slayer title is coming early in the month, Madden NFL 26 is coming mid-month, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: Splintered Fate Deluxe is coming at the end of the month ... plus plenty more in between. It may be the dog days of summer, but there's no time to relax; great games are on the way!

As we wrap up our fiscal year at the end of this month, we're proud to be stepping into the 60th year of Thomas Klise Company's work with schools and libraries. Over the decades, we've grown through acquisitions like Spectrum Books and Crimson Multimedia, and we've published and distributed a wide range of educational materials—from filmstrips and VHS tapes to software, teacher guides, and video games. What's remained constant through all these years? The rewarding relationships we've built with our customers. We can't thank you enough for your continued support.

Here's to a strong start to the new school year — and to another great year ahead!



Molly Klise, President
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AMONG ASHES

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It's a stormy night in the early 2000s and your friend has sent you a link to a horror game he found online. What

starts as a night of fun turns into a horrifying nightmare as the game starts taking over the real world. Unravel the tragic story behind this haunted game before it's too late. But whatever you do ... KEEP PLAYING. Rated M.

P5-SP250834 PlayStation 5 \$30



CLASS OF HEROES 3 REMASTER

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After a 15 year wait, the third instalment in the series comes to the West, with new features, more characters, classes and bigger dungeons. Take your party into colossal, labyrinthine dungeons - fight off enemies and plunder the loot to make yourself stronger on each run! Rating pending.

P5-UI250800 PlayStation 5 \$40
SW-UI250800 Switch \$40



CRYPT CUSTODIAN

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Sweep up the afterlife as Pluto the cat in this charming action adventure/Metroidvania about life, relationships, and moving on. Step into the shoes of Pluto, a mischievous cat who has just died, and landed in the afterlife's palace. After a brief and disastrous meeting with the Afterlife Guardian - Kendra - you're banished from the palace and sentenced to clean... FOREVER!!! Rating pending.

P5-PM250801 PlayStation 5 \$30
SW-PM250801 Switch \$35



DATE EVERYTHING!

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Date Everything brings an exciting new twist on the dating simulator genre. Your BFA in customer service unfortunately goes to waste as you lose your job to AI. But... a mysterious stranger sends a gift - magical glasses called 'dateviators' - which make your house come alive and dateable! Rated M.

P5-UI250802 PlayStation 5 \$30
SW-UI250802 Switch \$35



DEMON SLAYER - KIMETSU NO YAIBA- THE HINOKAMI CHRONICLES 2

© 2025 Sega

Experience unforgettable moments

from the Demon Slayer: Kimetsu no Yaiba anime through the eyes of its protagonist, Tanjiro Kamado! In this second installment of the game, immerse yourself in the captivating Entertainment District Arc, the intriguing Swordsmith Village Arc, and the intense Hashira Training Arc. Face off against demons from the anime series with stunning graphical effects and iconic battle techniques! Rated M.

P5-SG250803 PlayStation 5 \$60
SW-SG250803 Switch \$60
XX-SG250803 Xbox X \$60



DISCOUNTY

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Step into the quirky harbour town of Blomkest, where your aunt has entrusted you with managing its only supermarket. Design and

organise your shop, manage stock levels, work the checkout, and strike trade deals. Build relationships with the charming locals, and grow your business empire while navigating community dynamics. Use every tool at your disposal to expand your business, but be mindful: rapid growth might ruffle a few feathers in this tight-knit community. Will you pursue endless profits, or find a way to benefit everyone in Blomkest? Rated T.

P5-UI250804 PlayStation 5 \$30
SW-UI250804 Switch \$35



DUNGEON DRAFTERS

© 2025 Push Button Studios

As long as you have the cards, the power is in your hands! Play as a young adventurer eager to explore ancient ruins in this tile-based dungeon crawler with rogue-lite elements. Choose your character, create your unique spell deck and plunge into the ancient dungeons on a quest to rid the world of evil and forbidden cards. Battle it out in tile-based combat with your spell deck to execute incredible combos that devastate the battlefield. Rating pending.

P5-PB250805 PlayStation 5 \$40
SW-PB250805 Switch \$40

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FLYING ACES LEGEND OF THE RED BARON

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Accept hair raising missions to destroy enemy bases while avoiding getting shot down by the hail of bullets! Choose over 30 different aircraft and fly dozens of missions to knock down enemy zeppelins and observation balloons while dodging enemy aircraft! Go on reconnaissance missions to photograph enemy movements and bring back accurate pictures for your bombers. Strafe enemy positions while supporting your troops on the ground! Rated T.

P5-GS250309 PlayStation 5 \$30
SW-GS250806 Switch \$30



FRUITBUS

© 2025 Silver Lining

Fruitbus is a cute culinary adventure, set in an open world where taste is everything. Upgrade your trusty truck and visit a whole world of new destinations together. Discover fresh fruits and vegetables on each island of the Gustum archipelago, learn their customs and cook meals that will make someone's day. Rated E.

P5-SL250807 PlayStation 5 \$35
SW-SL250807 Switch \$35



FUNKO FUSION: DELUXE EDITION

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Play as Dracula, Elphaba, Michael Scott, and more! With 60+ characters from legendary movies, TV shows, and comics, every level is packed with action, humor, and surprises — all in the signature Funko Pop! style! Rated T.

SW-UI250808 Switch \$40



GEARS OF WAR: RELOADED

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Gears of War: Reloaded is a celebration of one of gaming's most iconic franchises, now optimized for PlayStation. Rated M.

P5-MS250835 PlayStation 5 \$40



GOOSEBUMPS: TERROR IN LITTLE CREEK

© 2025 Game Mill

Play as Sloane Spencer and explore a creepy town filled with puzzles, monsters, and haunted mysteries inspired by R.L. Stine's iconic series. Uncover secrets, survive scares, and enjoy spooky fun for Goosebumps fans of all ages. Rated E10.

P5-GM250836 PlayStation 5 \$40
SW-GM250836 Switch \$40
XX-GM250836 Xbox X \$40



HOGWARTS LEGACY (GAME-KEY CARD)

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Hogwarts Legacy is an immersive, open-world action RPG set in the world first introduced in the Harry Potter books. Experience the wizarding world in a forgotten era to uncover a hidden truth from its past. Battle against trolls, dark wizards, and more as you face a dangerous villain threatening the fate of the wizarding world. Rated T.

S2-WB250821 Switch 2 \$60



IWAKURA ARIA

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The Iwakura mansion holds a dark secret. Ichiko the new young maid joins looking for nothing but safety and security, but she would soon find herself entangled with the beautiful daughter of the Iwakura household. Unravel the secrets of the Iwakura mansion in this gripping suspense visual novel. Rated M.

SW-UI250809 Switch \$50

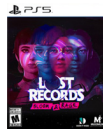


KIRBY AND THE FORGOTTEN LAND + STAR-CROSSED WORLD

© 2025 Nintendo

Float off as the powerful puffball, Kirby, on an adventure that's been enhanced for the Nintendo Switch 2 system! Explore in 3D platforming stages as you discover a mysterious world with abandoned structures from a past civilization — like a shopping mall?! Rated E10.

S2-ND250810 Switch 2 \$80



LOST RECORDS: BLOOM & RAGE

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Navigate between dual timelines and shape both narratives — in 1995 and 2022 — with each offering a piece of the larger puzzle: the life-changing secrets they uncovered back then and why they're reuniting now, after all these years. Together, in this place, they're forced to try and remember clearly the fateful memories that have eluded them for the past 27 years. Rated M.

P5-MX250833 PlayStation 5 \$40



MACROSS: SHOOTING INSIGHT

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Introducing an all-new Macross game, the latest entry in the landmark science fiction franchise. Embark upon a galaxy-spanning mission to rescue the missing songstresses! When multiple dimensional folds suddenly occur across space-time, pilots and songstresses alike find themselves inexplicably transported to the Battle 7! From there, six stories unfold with the fate of the galaxy at stake. Rated T.

P5-PB250310 PlayStation 5 \$50
SW-PB250310 Switch \$50



MADDEN NFL 26

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Madden NFL 26 leverages a new AI-powered machine learning system trained by real play calls and game situations over nearly a decade to deliver more explosive gameplay with new coach and player-specific traits, authentic playstyles, and adaptive counters that match on-field tendencies and strategies of NFL quarterbacks and coaches. Rated E.

P5-EA250811 PlayStation 5 \$70
XX-EA250811 Xbox X \$70



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S2-EA250811 Switch 2 \$70



ALSO AVAILABLE

MAFIA: THE OLD COUNTRY

P5-TK250812 PlayStation 5 \$50
XX-TK250812 Xbox X \$50

METAL GEAR SOLID DELTA: SNAKE EATER

P5-KO250823 PlayStation 5 \$70
XX-KO250823 Switch \$70

NIKODERIKO THE MAGICAL WORLD - DIRECTOR'S CUT

P5-UI250813 PlayStation 5 \$35
SW-UI250813 Switch \$35
XX-UI250813 Xbox X \$35

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P5-RA240914 PlayStation 5 \$35
SW-RA240914 Switch \$35

READY OR NOT

P5-UI250822 PlayStation 5 \$50
XX-UI250822 Xbox X \$50

SLAY THE PRINCESS: THE PRISTINE CUT

P5-PM250208 PlayStation 5 \$45
SW-PM250208 Switch \$45

SPACE ADVENTURE COBRA: THE AWAKENING

P5-MI250814 PlayStation 5 \$40
SW-MI250814 Switch \$40

STORY OF SEASONS: GRAND BAZAAR

SW-XS250815 Switch \$50
S2-XS250815 Switch 2 \$60

TALES OF CANDLEFORTH

P5-GS250824 PlayStation 5 \$30

TEENAGE MUTANT NINJA TURTLES: SPLINTERED FATE DELUXE

P4-UI250816 PlayStation 5 \$40
P5-UI250816 PlayStation 5 \$40
SW-UI250816 Switch \$40
XX-UI250816 Xbox X \$40

THOSE GAMES 1 + 2

P5-AK250820 PlayStation 5 \$30
SW-AK250820 Switch \$30

ULTROS

SW-MX250817 Switch \$30

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