Say "NO" to Bullying in Virtual Reality

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Objective

To develop a Virtual Reality (VR) game to show information about bullying in an interactive 3dimensional environment to bring awareness to it's affects on students.



Virtual Reality

What is virtual reality?

- Simulation
- o Immersive 3D Environment
- Uses special equipment

Where is virtual reality used?
Gaming
Immersive 3D Environment
Education



What is Bullying?

- Verbal Harassment
- Physical Harassment
- Leads to many negative outcomes
- Substance abuse
- School absence
- o Suicide

Ages 12-18 reported being bullied. National Center for Education Statistics. (2021)

Traditional Approach to Prevent Bullying

- o "Zero-tolerance" policies
- Teach students to intervene.
- Anti-Bullying programs.

User Study: Conditions

Virtual Reality

Read Information



User Study: Hypothesis

Participants who will experience our project in VR will have significantly improved information recall of bullying.

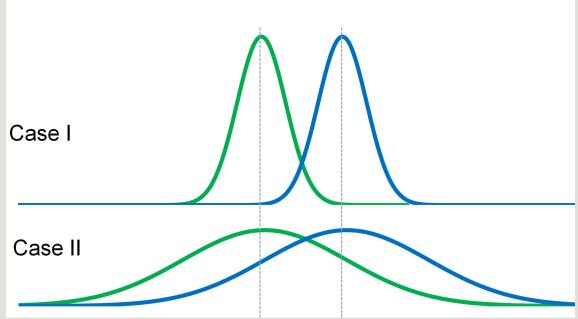
User Study: Procedure

- Consent
- Condition Assignment
- Simulation or Read Information
- Questionnaire

User Study: Data Analysis

Use t-test

- o 2 groups of data
- o Means
- Does it have a significant impact?



Technology I Used

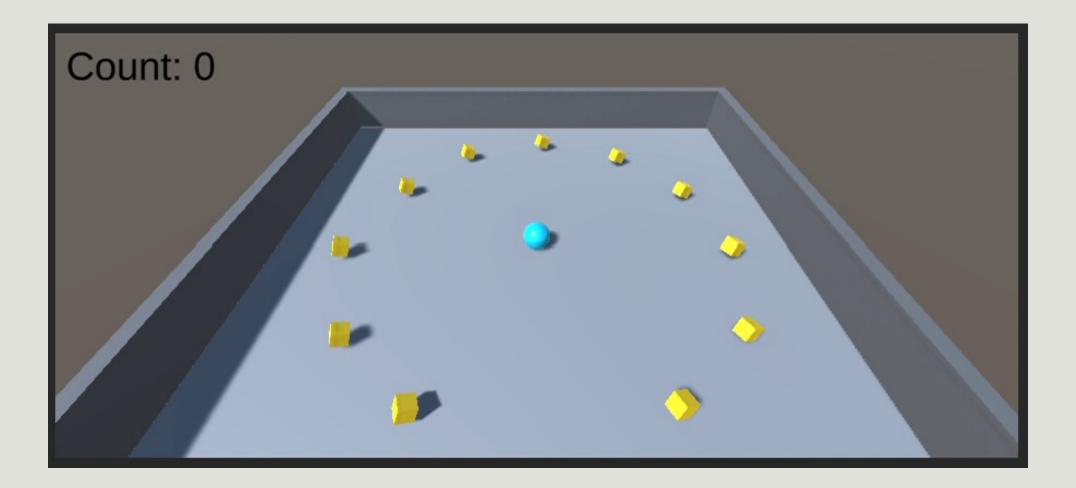
- Human Computer Interaction (HCI)
- Unity3D Interface
- o C# language
- o GitHub Version Control System

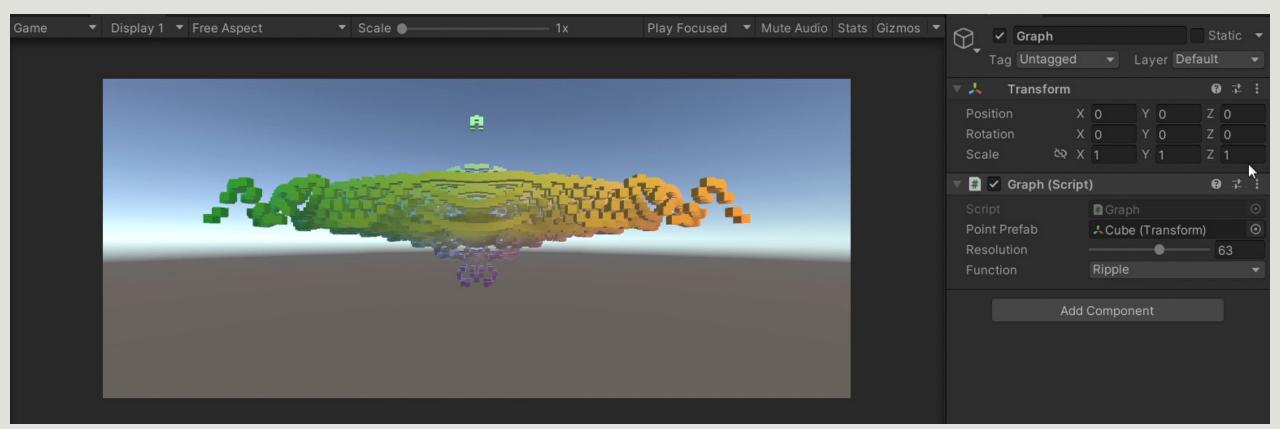


My Summer Camp Experience

Simulation

- Created a practice game
- Completed Labs
- Created a demo







Thank You. Any Questions?