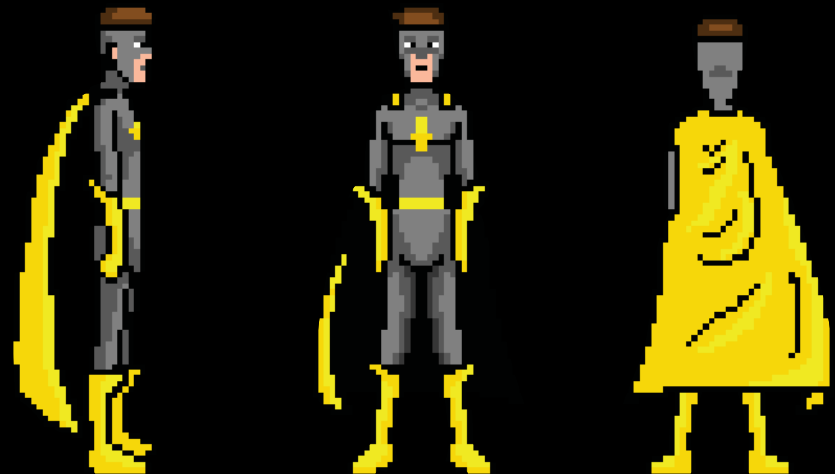


BANANA MAN

THE VIDEO GAME



Thank you for playing Banana Man - The Video Game.

INSTALLATION:

To install Banana Man, copy the Banana Man folder off the CDROM to your hard drive. To run Banana Man, double click the bananaman.exe file located in the Banana Man folder.

This CD contains the following files:

- Banana Man folder containing the game files.

- This manual in PDF format.

- A comics folder that contains Banana Man comics in PDF format. These may provide clues to the game.

Banana Man is only compatible on a PC Windows based machine. The game should work on all PCs, but if you have problems running it, try running the winsetup.exe file located in the Banana Man folder. With this setup program you can change the game's resolution or you can run it in windowed mode which will fix most problems. If all else fails, format your hard drive.

CHARACTERS:

Banana Man: Andre Andre, a high school nutrition teacher who preaches the importance of potassium while dressed accordingly.

Gorilla Guy: An as of yet unidentified enigma who believes that the world will be overtaken by talking apes. He intends to inform everyone of this impending doom and his plan to prevent it.

Mr. John: the high school principal

Mr. Frank: the science teacher

Miss Kelly: the math teacher

Mr. Bauman: the janitor

Alvin: a student

INSTRUCTIONS:

You control what happens in the game by using the mouse icons. You can bring up the Interface Bar by moving your mouse to the top of the screen.

Here is what each button does:



Walk - You can walk by either clicking the walk icon somewhere on the screen, or you can use the directional arrows on the keyboard.



Look - You can look at different items on the screen and get a description by using this eye-con.



Use - You can grab certain items in the game by using this hand icon.



Speak - You can talk to people by using this mouth icon.



Inventory - You can look at what items you are carrying by clicking this icon in the menu bar. Also, certain items can be used in the game. You can use them by clicking on them in your inventory screen, clicking OK, and then clicking on the screen. The item you are currently using will be displayed by the mouse icon as well as on the Interface Bar at the top of the screen. You can also access your inventory by pressing Control - I.



Save - You can save your current game by pressing this button or you can press F5.



Load - You can load a previous game by pressing this button or you can press F7.



Exit - You can press this button to quit the game or press Control - Q. If you do something really crazy in the game and it locks up you can alternatively press Alt - X to exit.

You can also cycle through most of these icons by right-clicking your mouse.

Cutscenes can be skipped by pressing the Escape key.

BEGINNING THE GAME:

Banana Man is an adventure game. You should explore everywhere, talk to everyone and pick up anything that is not nailed down.

You start the game as Andre. Your first objective is to change into Banana Man and find the gymnasium to give an important speech on potassium. The object of the game is to defeat Gorilla Guy and to figure out who he is.

If you get stuck and do not know what to do next, try talking to everyone. They do give you some clues. The comics included on the CDROM also will give some clues since this game follows the plot of the first four issues. If you are still stuck visit the website. There is a message board where someone might answer a question you have. There may even be a walkthrough to download for the game. Or you can use the contact page to e-mail a question that may get answered.

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SUPPORT:

If you have any problems with this game, you can contact us through our website at:

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