

Virtual Team Challenge Quick Reference Guide

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Beginning the Challenge

Welcome to the Virtual Team Challenge, or VTC. In this simulation, you and your team will be helping New City recover from a disastrous oil spill. This Guide will help you get started. For more help, visit the official VTC website (www.virtualteamchallenge.com) for a Tutorial, FAQ's and more. So get ready! Soon you'll be enjoying the simulation – and competing nationally for awards and prizes!



System Requirements

You will need a Windows-compatible PC that meets the following minimum requirements:

- Windows XP, Windows 2000
- 512MB System RAM
- 2.0 Ghz Intel Pentium 4 or equivalent processor
- Hard Disk Space: 500 MB free hard disk space
- 64MB DirectX compatible video card and DirectX 9.0 compatible driver;
- DirectX 9.0c (included)
- DirectX 8.1 compatible sound card
- DVD-ROM Drive: 6X speed or faster
- Keyboard, Mouse

Note: Apple Macs running PC emulators are not supported by the Virtual Team Challenge program.



Installing The Simulation

The simulation may be downloaded from the VTC website or installed from CDs you can get from your teacher. To install, insert the "Virtual Team Challenge" CD into your CD-Rom drive. After the CD automatically initiates its 'autorun' sequence; click on the "install" button on the screen. Once installed, double-click on the desktop VTC SPILL icon created by the installer to get started with the simulation.



Logging in to the Simulation

To log in:

Start up the VTC on your PC. When the log-in screen appears, enter the username and password your teacher gave you.

To suspend your session and log out:

Press the 'ESC' or 'Q' keys to bring up the 'Main Menu', and select the 'Quit' option.

IMPORTANT: Only Leave the Simulation via the Main Menu. Quitting the simulation by shutting off your computer or by 'Force-quitting' the simulation may result in losing some or all of your progress in the simulation.

Navigating New City

To move around New City:

- W, A, and D keys or Up/Right/Left Arrows to walk forward, right and left.
- Shift key to walk faster.
- S key or Down Arrow to turn around.

To look around:

- Right Click and move the mouse.
- Turn the mouse roll wheel to zoom in.

To interact with the world:

- Right click on items in your inventory to drop them.
- Left click on items to pick them up, they will go into your inventory.
- Left click on characters to talk to them.
- Left click on doormats to enter/exit buildings.



Simulation Tools

Use these tools to help complete your tasks in the simulation:



Map (Press M key or click MA icon): Helps you find your way around town.



Inventory (Press I key or click Inventory Icon): Holds clothing, newspapers, trash and other items you pick up. To read or examine an item, double click it.



Journal (Press J key or click the JO icon): Use it to take notes, look up words, or check your next objectives as you complete your tasks in the Challenge.



Character Sheet (Press C key or click CS icon): View it to track your progress in the simulation.



Chat Console (Press ENTER): This is where you can type messages back and forth with any of your teammates who are currently in New City at the same time as you.

Things to Remember

Leave time for the Challenge:

In the simulation, you will have many 'meetings' as you complete your tasks. Also, citizens in New City may ask you questions or even ask you for favors. Make sure you have at least 10 to 15 minutes to complete a 'meeting', answer all 'challenge' questions, or do a favor for people around town.

Your progress is automatically saved by the VTC servers:

To assure that your progress is correctly saved, always leave the simulation via the Main Menu (click ESC or Q to display it.) 'Force-quitting,' shutting off your computer, or exiting the simulation in any other way may jeopardize your chances in the national competition.

HELP

To Get Help



Be sure to download and run through the tutorial from www.virtualteamchallenge.com to get familiar with the simulation. Visit the VTC website for FAQs and program documentation or send an email to support@virtualteamchallenge.com.