

How to Make Money Playing Video Games in 2024: 17 Smart Ways

Video games are a huge market in Canada that is continuously growing, especially in Toronto and the gaming capital of Montreal. But can you really [make good money playing video games](#)?

Yes! You can take many career paths, including becoming an eSports player, live streamer, or game designer, with records of earning good money.

In this article, I'll show you how to make money playing video games at home or even without streaming and how much you can earn!

Key Takeaways

- Some best ways to make money playing video games at home include becoming a Twitch live streamer, YouTuber, eSports player, and gaming podcast host.
- Playing play-to-earn video games, reviewing video games, testing and selling video games, and becoming a coach are lucrative ways to make money playing video games without streaming.
- You can earn money playing video games for as little as \$12,000 and as high as \$187,200 annually or even more.

How to Make Money Playing Video Games at Home

1. Livestream on Twitch

If you love playing mobile or computer games like Roblox, Fortnite, Dota 2, League of Legends, and Minecraft, level up your gaming experience by livestreaming on Twitch and earn money at the same time.

[Twitch](#) is a live-streaming online platform specialized for sports, music, and gaming, and it is one of the best ways to make money playing video games at home. There are plenty of opportunities on this live-streaming app, like having the ability to connect to a global audience and community building, and the most exciting part is it has monetization opportunities.

You can earn from subscriptions, donations, merchandise sales, brand deals, Twitch bits, and ad revenues. Successful Twitch streamers like XQC, a Canadian top earner, can earn as much as \$121,711.

Pros

- Interactive experience
- Potential monetization

Cons

- Moderation Problem
- Mentally draining

2. Start a YouTube Channel

