

# PHOTOGRAPHY

## LEVEL DESIGN DOCUMENT

### OVERVIEW

The player has a map of the entire city of Rajasthan and can go to any of the places or 'chunks' of the map to complete different photography assignments as shown below.



**GAME MAP OF RAJASTHAN WITH SHORTLISTED LOCATIONS**

In the actual map, there are a lot of locations but for the sake of simplicity and time, we have shortlisted 6 main locations from Rajasthan which are explained in the following paragraphs:

## LOCATIONS

### JAIPUR (“PINK CITY”)

#### DESCRIPTION

The city’s fancy name ‘Pink City’ comes from the color of the stone used to make every building. It is a beautiful city previously ruled by a clan of rulers which resulted in the creation of a lot of forts, palaces and temples. These have become one of the most beautiful and profitable tourist spots in India and people from all over the world come to visit these spots around the year.

#### MAJOR ATTRACTIONS

- Birla Mandir
- Jantar Mantar Observatory
- Amber Fort
- City Palace
- Hawa Mahal
- Nahargarh Fort
- Jaigarh Fort
- Jal Mahal
- Rambagh Palace
- Raj Mandir Cinema
- Albert Hall Museum

#### FAIRS AND FESTIVALS

- Elephant festival – Elephants are decorated with bright colored clothes, saddles and heavy jewelry. A prize is given to the most well decorated elephant. This festival takes place in Jaipur every year just before Holi. Playing Holi while on the backs of Elephants is a major attraction of Jaipur and is visited by people from all over the world.

### JODHPUR (“SUN CITY” AND “BLUE CITY”)

#### DESCRIPTION

Jodhpur was the capital of the kingdom known as Marwar and features a lot of palaces, forts and temples, set in the stark landscape of the Thar Desert. The city is known as the ‘Sun City’ for its bright, sunny weather all year round. It is also known as ‘Blue City’ because of its vivid blue-painted houses around the Mehrangarh Fort.

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## MAJOR ATTRACTIONS

- Flying Fox
- Mehrangarh Fort
- Umaid Bhawan Palace
- Jaswant Thada
- Balsamand Lake
- Kaylana Lake
- Ghanta Ghar
- Blue city around Mehrangarh Fort
- Mandore Gardens
- Keoladeo national Park (Peacocks)
- Taragarh Fort

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## FAIRS AND FESTIVALS

- Marwar Festival – The festival is held every year in the memory of the heroes of Rajasthan. The festival goes on for 2 days and is held during the full moon of the Sharad Purnima. The main attraction of the festival is the Folk Centered music centered on the romantic lifestyle of Rajasthan's Rulers. The other attractions include the camel tattoo and polo.
- Jodhpur international Desert kite Festival – The best kite flyers with their creative kites come from all around the world to take part in this festival. During the festival, the sky is filled with various types of colorful and unique kites. Prizes are distributed for the people with the best kites.

## UDAIPUR (“LAKE CITY”)

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### DESCRIPTION

The city has a tag of being 'the most romantic spot on the continent of India' which was first applied by Colonel James Tod, the English East India Company's first political agent in the region. The fancy name of 'Lake City' comes from the abundance of the lakes (natural and artificial) in the city.

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### MAJOR ATTRACTIONS

- City Palace
- Lake Pichola
- Monsoon Palace
- Jag Mandir
- Jagdish Temple
- Gulab Bagh
- Moti Magri
- Shiv Niwas Palace
- Shilpgram

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## FAIRS AND FESTIVALS

- Mewar Festival – Since Udaipur has always been the governing place for all the Mewar rulers, the full potential of the Mewar festival can only be seen in Udaipur. The festival is observed to welcome the arrival of the spring season. During the season, local markets and shops beautify their frontage with bright lights and decorations. People engage into various dances, songs and other cultural events revealing the culture of Rajasthan.
- Shilpgram Fair – The Shilpgram Fair or Shilpgram Mela is held annually in Udaipur to promote art and craft of Rajasthan. Rajasthan has always been famous for its handicraft and artwork. This fair is the perfect destination for trying out the hand-woven clothes, embroideries, mirror works and handicrafts.

## JAISALMER (“GOLDEN CITY”)

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### DESCRIPTION

The city stands on the ridge of yellowish sandstone, crowned by a fort which contains a palace and several ornate Jain Temples. The name of 'Golden City' comes from the situation of the city in the middle of the desert and all the architecture is created from Golden colored sandstone. It is a remote city and is one of the biggest tourist destinations in Rajasthan.

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### MAJOR ATTRACTIONS

- Jaisalmer Fort
- Bada Bagh
- Sam Sand Dunes
- Gadsisar Lake
- Desert National Park
- Kishore Sagar
- Chambal Garden
- Salim Singh ki Haveli

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### FAIRS AND FESTIVALS

- Desert Festival – This is a colorful festival held in February every year. The main attraction in this festival is the camel racing. Besides that, there are a lot of other events such as turban tying, cultural events and a lot more. The rich culture of Jaisalmer is on display during this 3-day long festival.

## BIKANER

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### DESCRIPTION

Bikaner is a vibrant, dust-swirling desert town covered by a fort. It is less dominated by tourism compared to other places in Rajasthan though it has plenty of hotels and a busy camel-safari scene, which attracts travelers looking to avoid the Jaisalmer hustle.

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### MAJOR ATTRACTIONS

- Jain Temple
  - Junagarh Fort
  - Lalgarh Palace
  - Gajner Palace
  - Bikaner Camel Safari
  - Gajner Wildlife Sanctuary
  - Ganga Singh Museum
  - Sadul Singh Museum
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### FAIRS AND FESTIVALS

- Bikaner Camel Festival – This festival is celebrated in honor of the camel, the ship of the desert. The main attractions of the festival include various camel-based events and spectacular camel performances such as races, neck shaking camel rides etc.
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## SIROHI

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### DESCRIPTION

While the city is not a very popular spot as a tourist spot compared to the other places of Rajasthan, the Sirohi District has its own share of attractions which has resulted in its rising popularity over the years. The most notable of them is Mount Abu which is a distinct rocky plateau stretching over 22km. It is referred to as an Oasis in the Desert as it is a home to rivers, lakes, waterfalls and evergreen forests in the middle of a desert.

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### MAIN ATTRACTIONS

- Mount Abu
- Toad Rock
- Shree Pavapuri Tirth Jiv Matri Dham Temple
- Pavapuri Jain Temple

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## FAIRS AND FESTIVALS

- Winter festival – The winter festival is held every year during the last week of December. The festival begins with a ceremonial procession which gather at the Nakki Lake Chowk, followed by folk performances of Rajasthan, Gujarat, Punjab and Haryana. There are a lot of other events such as tug of war, Matka Race, musical chairs etc.

## LEVEL 0 (TUTORIAL)

### MISSION 1 – THE BEGINNING

#### UNLOCKED AREAS

- Jodhpur
- Jaipur

#### MISSION/CAMPAIGN SEQUENCE

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#### TUTORIAL PHASE

This phase comes before the beginning of the two levels. There is no time limit for this mission and the player also cannot visit the map and change locations. The player is loaded by default into one Jaipur and must perform some instructions given on the screen.

- (On phone): Hey, send me some pictures of Jaipur on facebook. We could have visited India with you if we didn't have these stupid tests at school.
- [Mission]: Take three photos of Hawa Mahal. Move the mouse on the screen to position the camera in the world. Click the 'Camera' button to take a snapshot.
- (On phone): Thanks sister, the photos look beautiful.

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#### MISSION PHASE

The player is in Jaipur and the locations unlocked in the map are Jaipur and Jodhpur.

**[MORE INFORMATION ABOUT EACH LEVEL IS IN THE LEVEL DESIGN DOCUMENT]**