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Language & Accessibility

What is the Language & Accessibility Widget?

GameDay Passport has integrated UserWay's Language & Accessibility widget to make the platform more accessible and user-friendly for everyone. This powerful tool allows you to customize your experience by adjusting the display, content, and navigation to meet your individual needs. It includes a wide range of features, from simple text and contrast changes to advanced tools like screen readers and dyslexia-friendly fonts.

How do I open the Accessibility Widget?

To find and open the widget, follow these steps:

- 1. Navigate to the top-right corner of the platform.
- 2. Click on the Settings Cog.
- 3. Select Language & Accessibility from the dropdown menu.

What are Accessibility Profiles?

Accessibility Profiles are quick, pre-configured bundles of settings designed for specific accessibility needs. When you activate a profile, it automatically enables a group of tools to enhance your experience for that particular requirement.

The widget includes the following pre-configured profiles:

- Motor Impaired: Enhances navigation using hover tooltips on key functions and pauses flashing animations.
- Blind: Enables screen-reader compatibility for visually impaired users.
- Color Blind: Adjusts colour contrast to ensure content is distinguishable.
- Dyslexia: Changes fonts to be more easily readable.
- Low Vision: Increases content size and contrast for better visibility.
- **Cognitive & Learning:** Provides tools like a reading guide, tooltips, and larger text to help with focus and comprehension.
- Seizure & Epileptic: Stops all flashing animations and reduces colour saturation.

• ADHD: Provides a reading mask to help users focus on specific sections of the page.

Can I adjust individual settings instead of using a profile?

Yes. If you prefer more granular control over your experience, you can enable and adjust individual tools from the main widget panel. These tools are grouped into three main categories: Content & Readability, Colour & Display, and Navigation & Orientation.

What options do I have to improve content readability?

These tools adjust how you read and interact with text on the platform:

- Screen Reader: Reads the on-screen text aloud (pace can be set to Normal, Fast, or Slow).
- **Bigger Text:** Increases the font size across the platform.
- Text Spacing: Adjusts the space between letters and words (Light, Moderate, Heavy).
- Dyslexia Friendly: Switches the platform's fonts to a more legible typeface.
- Line Height: Increases the spacing between lines of text.
- Text Align: Adjusts the alignment of all text (Left, Right, Center, or Justify).
- Dictionary: Allows you to look up the definition of words on the page.

What options do I have for improving colour and display of the platform?

These tools help adjust the visual appearance of the platform:

- Contrast: Adjusts the site's colour scheme (Invert Colours, Dark Contrast, Light Contrast).
- Smart Contrast: Intelligently inverts the colours of specific on-screen elements.
- Saturation: Adjusts the colour intensity of the page (Low, High, Desaturate/greyscale).

Which options will assist with navigation and orientation?

These tools help you navigate and focus on the page more easily:

- Highlight Links: Makes all clickable links and buttons more prominent.
- Pause Animations: Stops all moving or flashing elements, such as GIFs.
- Hide Images: Hides all images on the page to reduce visual distraction.

- Cursor: Changes the standard cursor to a larger, more visible one.
- Tooltips: Displays text labels for certain on-screen icons and elements when hovered over.
- Page Structure: Displays a pop-up showing all headings, landmarks, and links for quick navigation.
- **Reading Guide:** Adds a high-contrast horizontal bar that follows the cursor to help focus on one line of text at a time.

Can I change the language of the GameDay Passport platform?

The widget also functions as a language switcher. To change the display language:

- 1. Open the Accessibility Widget.
- 2. At the very top of the widget panel, click on the current language (e.g. 'English (Australian)').
- 3. Select your preferred language from the extensive list that appears.

The on-screen text, both on the platform and within the widget itself, will automatically translate.

How do I reset all language and accessibility settings to the default?

To revert all changes and return to the default view, open the widget, scroll to the bottom, and click the **Reset All Accessibility Settings** button.