

Yu-Gi-Oh! Cards

What is it?

The newest game that's sweeping the nation: ***Duel Monsters!***

Duel Monsters is a card-battling game in which players pit different mystical creatures against one another in wild, magical duels! Which includes monsters and mighty spell-cards.

Characters:

Yugi: when filled with magical powers becomes Yami Yugi, (alter ego) a master dueler.

Maximillion Pegasus: Sophisticated and cultured, Pegasus is not only the creator of the Duel Monster's game, his left eye has been replaced with an ancient Egyptian artifact called the "Millenium Eye", a totem that gives Pegasus strange and magical powers.

Mai Valentine: fights for the riches that await only the best. Posh and frequently self-absorbed, Mai is not above using her charm to advance her situation. (Seductive)

Grandpa: teaches Yugi about believing in the "heart of the cards".

Bakura: possesses the rare and powerful Millenium ring. When the magical ring activates, Bakura cannot control its dark powers.

MONSTERS:

Blue Eyes Ultimate Dragon

Baby Dragon

Thousand Dragon

Time Wizard

Red Eyes Black Dragon

Exodia the Forbidden One

Red Eyes Black Metal Dragon

Gaia the Fierce Knight

Celtic Guardian

Kuriboh

Gaia the Dragon Champion

Dark Magician

Summoned Skull

Black Luster Soldier

Magician of Black Chaos

Mystical Elf

Dark Sage

Rude Kaiser

Swordstalker

Harpie Lady Sisters

Harpie's Dragon

Launcher Spider

Pendulum Machine

Gate Guardian

... any many, many more.

Why you shouldn't allow your children to play with them?

Children become totally obsessed with the game. There's more to this card game than meets the eye!

official story behind the game from Konami.

"Legend has it five thousand years ago, ancient Egyptian Pharaohs used to play a magical game very similar to Duel Monsters. This ancient game involved magical ceremonies, which were used to foresee the future and ultimately, decide one's destiny. They called it the Shadow Game, and the main difference back then was that the monsters were all real! With so many magical spells and ferocious creatures on the earth, it wasn't long before the game got out of hand and threatened to destroy the entire world! Fortunately, a brave Pharaoh stepped in and averted this cataclysm with the help of seven powerful magical totems."

Leviticus 19:26 says, "do not practice divination or sorcery."

Sorcery:

The use of magic and supernatural powers that are evil; witchcraft.

Divination:

Seeing into the future by magic.

Although children for the most part, aren't getting deep into the meanings of what this game involves, we as parents, and teachers must be aware of what it is all about. Some will tell you that this is just a game for kids. That some of characters build each other up and even "edify" each other. That's what Christians are supposed to be doing right? We could probably try to justify this and our kids will try even harder.

1 Corinthians 10:23 tell us that, "everything is permissible, but not everything is beneficial. Everything is permissible but not constructive." Vs 31 says, "So whatever you eat or drink or whatever you do, **do it all for the glory of God.**

Ephesians 6: 12 says, "For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms."

We need to help our children to understand that what we put into our minds even when playing, gives the enemy something to work with. We need to stay sharp in our minds so that when the time of testing comes, we can stand firm in the faith and knowledge of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

How do kids get it?

The TV program is on 11 times weekly on local/cable/satellite channels:

Cartoon Network Mon.- Thurs. at 9:30pm

WB Mon.- Fri. 4:30pm & Sat. 8am & 11am

Music, Videos, DVDs, Cards and Action Figures are sold at most toy and discount stores, as well as online.

Website: www.yugiookingofgames.com

Sample Card:



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