

# PROJECT VADER

A **STAR WARS** STORY



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## Overview

This Star Wars video game is a fan-representation playable demo, where we show the world what we can do with open-source technology.

## Goals

1. Making a badass Star Wars experience focused entirely on Vader
2. Interesting gameplay and graphical representation
3. Develop an emotionally-charged story-line that fans will enjoy

## Ideas

Connect this demo with the Kenobi show. *“You didn’t kill Anakin Skywalker. I did.”* —Vader  
Get to see Vader literally fight and kill Anakin Skywalker.

## Locations

Planet Onneron (invented for the purposes of this game)

- Forest (Imperial base similar to the one on Endor)
- Cave (Sith Observatory)

Planet Coruscant

- Jedi Temple
- Palpatine’s Office
- Jedi Temple Training Room as seen in Kenobi show

Space

- Above Onneron
- Above Coruscant
- On the Dreadnaught

## Short summary of overall story

Scene I

- Palpatine sends Vader to Onneron because stormtroopers believe they found a Jedi Temple and are afraid to go in.

- Vader notices a Sith Holocron but does not mention it.
- Then, two big Forest Monsters attack the base. They kill some stormtroopers. Vader kills the creatures.

#### Scene II

- Vader enters the cave and explores it
- Vader walks through a small body of water. Creepy creatures pop out every once in a while, but they don't attack.
- Vader reaches the end of the water and continues deeper into the cave, towards a red glow.
- The further he goes in, the more reality gets distorted, and the glow becomes brighter.
- Starts hearing voices from his past
- Arrives at the Sith Holocron
- Cave tells Vader he has to kill Anakin Skywalker first
- Anakin appears

#### Scene III

- Vader and Anakin fight
- Lots of environment changes to familiar locations
- Vader defeats Anakin

#### Scene IV

- Vader is back in the cave
- The glass wall protecting the holocron breaks
- The walls of the cave are starting to collapse
- Vader grabs the holocron and runs out of the cave. Some creatures attack him and he has to dodge falling rocks

#### Scene V

- Back in Palpatine's office
- Vader lies and tells he did not find anything on Onneron
- Palpatine tells Vader that the Grand Inquisitor received reports of a Jedi-in-hiding on Mon Calamari
- The end

Estimated gameplay time : more or less between 6-10 minutes

## Script

### CHARACTERS

- DARTH VADER
- EMPEROR PALPATINE
- STORMTROOPER COMMANDER (FEMALE)
- VOICE OF SITH OBSERVATORY (FEMALE)
- ANAKIN SKYWALKER
- STORMTROOPER
- PADME AMIDALA
- OBI WAN KENOBI
- AHSOKA TANO
- SHMI
- YOUNG ANAKIN
- YODA
- NARRATOR (FOR TABLE READ ONLY)

Crawl Intro (ominous theme)

*A long time ago in a galaxy far, far away...*

*Shadow from the Past*

*The Evil Lord Darth Vader is filled with rage after losing his beloved wife, Senator Padme Amidala, and his unborn child.*

*To embrace his ever growing powers and become a true Sith, Emperor Palpatine has sent his apprentice to the desolate planet of Onneron to look into ancient dark secrets from the Old Republic.*

*Within the depths of the planet, Lord Vader will be challenged by a shadow from his past, which he will have to kill once and for all....*

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*(The stars from the opening crawl remain. Transition into scene 1.)*

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## Scene I

**EXT. SPACE — ONNERON PLANET - ATMOSPHERE**

### Cinematic Sequence

*(There are stars against a dark background. The camera pans down and follows a Lambda shuttle —Vader's ship— as it approaches planet Onneron. Shot of Onneron's atmosphere: blue oceans and green continents. Inside the shuttle, the hologram of Palpatine is talking to Vader.)*

**VADER**

Master, I am approaching planet Onneron.

**PALPATINE**

Good, Lord Vader! Stormtroopers have reported the discovery of an ancient Jedi Temple. You need to find out its secrets and report them to me immediately!

**VADER**

Yes, Master.

*(The shuttle descends into the atmosphere.)*

**EXT. FOREST — ONNERON PLANET — RAINY DAY**

### Cut-scene

*(The Lambda shuttle touches down on a landing platform. It is a small Imperial base in the forest. It is pouring rain. Vader stands menacingly at the top of the shuttle ramp, his cape billowing in the wind. There is a Stormtrooper Commander waiting on the platform.)*

### Gameplay

*(Vader walks forward down the platform.)*

**OBJECTIVE: COLLECT INFORMATION ABOUT THE MISSION**

**STORMTROOPER COMMANDER**

Lord Vader. *(She salutes him.)* Follow me.

*(The Commander leads Vader down the stairs of the platform and towards the entrance of the facility. There are two other stormtroopers chatting by the door. When they see Vader they straighten themselves and salute him.)*

**INT. IMPERIAL BASE**

**STORMTROOPER COMMANDER**

At ease.

*(The facility door opens, she goes down the stairs, and Vader follows behind. They arrive in a large open-space with cafeteria tables pushed to the sides. There are stormtroopers in the middle. Some are cheering for two troopers who are fighting. Vader gets close.)*

**Cinematic Sequence**

*(One of the fighters is pushed by their opponent and falls in front of Vader. The camera focuses on Vader's legs and slowly pans up towards his helmet. The cafeteria is quiet.)*

**VADER**

It seems that you lack discipline, Commander.

**STORMTROOPER COMMANDER**

I'm sorry, Sir.

**VADER**

I hope you have not wasted my time. *(He turns slightly towards her.)*

**STORMTROOPER COMMANDER**

No Sir. Follow me.

*(She leads Vader into a briefing room where an incomplete holographic map of a cave lies in the middle of the room with a few stormtroopers surrounding it. They all salute.)*

At ease Troopers. I must brief Lord Vader on our findings. Leave us.

### **STORMTROOPERS**

Yes, Ma'am! *(The Stormtroopers leave the command center.)*

### **STORMTROOPER COMMANDER**

We've discovered what looks like an ancient Jedi Temple inside this cave. *(The STC points to the cave on the map. One particular place inside the cave contains a bright red object. The camera then focuses on Vader's face.)* We've mapped some of the terrain, but we don't know what this red dot is.

*(Vader does not say anything, but the camera slowly zooms in on the red dot.)*

### **STORMTROOPER COMMANDER**

There is something else about the cave, sir. Troopers are scared to venture inside beyond this point. *(She points to the end of the cave entrance.)* There's something ominous inside the cave. We lost some good men... We sent a probe, but it went offline here. *(She points to a spot where there's a body of water.)*

*(Before Vader could reply, an alarm started blaring across the room. A stormtrooper's voice comes through the Commander's comlink.)*

### **STORMTROOPER**

Help! We're under attack!

### **Cut-scene**

### **EXT. FOREST — ONNERON PLANET — RAINY DAY**

*(We see Vader and the rest of the troopers step outside. There are two Forest monsters in attack position.)*

## Gameplay

### OBJECTIVE: KILL THE FOREST MONSTERS

*(One of the stormtroopers shoots, and he gets eaten by Monster 1. The troopers keep shooting, and Monster 2 attacks and injures/kills some more stormtroopers. Vader ignites his lightsaber and walks towards the creatures as stormtroopers form a perimeter around him and shoot them from afar.*

*The two monsters attempt to attack Vader from two sides. Monster 1 uses its claws to injure Vader. Swing the lightsaber to cut its claw. The creature falls to the ground for a moment.*

*Monster 2 leaps at Vader. Run to escape and use the Force to grab a crate and throw it at the monster. Force grab the monster and throw it against a tree. The creature gets knocked out.*

*Monster 1 gets up and sprints towards Vader. It uses its other claw to try to stab Vader. Use the Force to grab the monster and lift it in the air. Vader brings the monster towards him and stabs it in the head with the lightsaber. The monster dies.*

*Monster 2 gets up and leaps towards Vader. Vader cuts off its legs. The monster falls to the ground, and Vader fatally stabs it in the head.)*

## Cinematic Sequence

**VADER**

*(The Commander approaches Vader. We see her behind Vader's shoulder). Bring me to the cave.*

**STORMTROOPER COMMANDER**

Yes, Lord Vader.

**End Scene I.**

## Scene II

**INT. CAVE - DARK**

### Gameplay

**OBJECTIVE: VENTURE INTO THE CAVE TO FIND THE SITH  
HOLOCRON**

*(Vader walks into the cave. There are bioluminescent algae here and there on the cave walls. At some point, the algae disappears, and the cave becomes darker and darker.)*

*Hold the lightsaber above the head to see. There are some creepy sounds from unknown creatures. Vader arrives at a body of water. It's not deeper than thigh-height.*

*The further he goes into the cave, the more distorted the creature's sounds become. There are some creepy squid creatures lurking in the shadows that pop their heads out of the water every once in a while.*

*There's a faint red glow in the distance. Vader reaches the end of the water and continues deeper into the cave, towards the red glow. The redness becomes brighter and brighter. The walls of the cave start blurring.)*

### Cinematic Sequence

**PADME**

*(Slightly distorted) Anakin (pause. Vader turns to the left, towards the source of the sound.) Anakin. (pause. Vader turns to the right.) You're a good person, don't do this. (Vader stops and turns around. It's pitch black. He's looking into a void.)*

**VADER**

Padme?

*(There's a deafening silence. Vader turns around and continues to walk deeper into the cave. Camera follows Vader as he walks slowly, with voices echoing through the cave. The red glow is growing brighter and brighter.)*

**AHSOKA**

Because of you, I did survive.

**OBI-WAN**

You can't take responsibility for Ahsoka's decision, Anakin.

**ANAKIN**

She's a Jedi! She belongs with us!

**OBI-WAN**

She made the decision, Anakin.

**ANAKIN**

They're asking you back, Ahsoka. I'm asking you back.

**AHSOKA**

I'm sorry, Master, but I'm not coming back.

**SHMI**

You can't stop the change, any more than you can stop the suns from setting.

*(soft)* Oh I love you.

**YOUNG ANAKIN**

Will I ever see you again?

**SHMI**

I'm so proud of you, Ani. I love- I love-...

*(Tusken raiders getting slaughtered sounds.)*

**YODA**

The fear of loss is a path to the dark side. Train yourself to let go of everything  
you fear to lose.

**ANAKIN**

How would you feel if I turned into a major disappointment? How well would  
you sleep knowing I failed you?

**PADME**

I love you, Ani.

**VADER**

Where is Padme? Is she safe? Is she alright?

**PALPATINE**

It seems in your anger, you killed her.

**VADER**

I- I couldn't have. She was alive! I felt it!

*(Vader has finally made it to the Sith holocron wall. It's a glass wall. Vader tries  
to slash the wall with the lightsaber but it doesn't work.)*

**DISTORTED FEMALE VOICE**

Why have you come here, Anakin Skywalker?

**VADER**

The Sith Holocron. I want it.

**DISTORTED FEMALE VOICE**

You need to prove you are a true Sith. I sense great conflict in you. You need to  
kill Anakin Skywalker, Jedi Knight.

**VADER**

Anakin Skywalker is dead.

**ANAKIN**

*(The voice from the cave distorts into Anakin's.)* Then why am I still here?

*(We see Vader from the front. There is darkness behind him. From the darkness, a blue lightsaber gets ignited, barely illuminating the figure holding the lightsaber.)*

**ANAKIN**

What kind of coward hides behind a mask?

*(Anakin comes out of the darkness to strike Vader. Vader ignites his lightsaber and blocks it. The cave morphs into a training room on Coruscant.)*

**End scene II**

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## **Scene III**

**INT. TEMPLE ON CORUSCANT (similar to Kenobi Series “Flashback Sequence” - Training Center)**

**OBJECTIVE: KILL ANAKIN SKYWALKER**

**Gameplay**

*(Fight Anakin Skywalker. Vader does some damage. Anakin slashes Vader’s arm.)*

**ANAKIN**

C’mon, you’re making it easy on me.

*(Anakin strikes again, and Vader blocks. Vader does some damage. They clash lightsabers and the environment changes into the Providence-Class Dreadnought.)*

**ANAKIN’S HEALTH BAR PROGRESSION: 55% Health Damage**

**INT. PROVIDENCE-CLASS DREADNOUGHT**

*(Vader and Anakin continue to fight.)*

**ANAKIN**

Ready to quit yet?

*(Vader Force pushes Anakin. Anakin is on his knees. Vader Force grabs Anakin’s lightsaber. Camera pans and we see Palpatine sitting on the chair from the DREADNOUGHT in ROTS where he was a prisoner.)*

**PALPATINE**

Good. Use your anger, Lord Vader. Kill him and fulfill your destiny. *(Vader crosses his lightsabers at Anakin's throat, similar to where Dooku would have been.)*

*(Zoom in on Vader's helmet as he hesitates to kill Anakin. Everything surrounding Vader disappears.)*

**PALPATINE**

Pitty. Such a pity. It seems I have no use for you.

**PROGRESSION: 75% Health Damage**

**INT. JEDI TEMPLE ON CORUSCANT**

*(We hear Palpatine's laughter echoing while Anakin Force pushes Vader. The environment switches to the burning Temple on Coruscant. Vader doesn't completely fall to the ground but rather slides on his knees. There are dead clone troopers on the ground. Anakin walks towards Vader menacingly and Force grabs the blue lightsaber that Vader stole.)*

**ANAKIN**

So much conflict for a Sith.

*(Anakin comes to strike Vader, and Vader blocks it. He gets up and fights Anakin in the burning Jedi Temple.)*

**ANAKIN**

You don't impress me, Tinny.

*(They clash lightsabers. Vader does some damage. Anakin slashes Vader's thigh and he is brought to his knees.)*

What's the matter, tin can? Someone forgot to change your life support?

*(Vader growls in pain.)*

**ANAKIN**

Sith or not, I will beat you. Haven't you heard? Sith Lords are my speciality.

*(Anakin strikes Vader's lightsaber multiple times. Vader Force pushes Anakin back, then chokes him while raising him into the air.)*

**VADER**

You underestimate the power of the dark side. *(Vader Force pushes Anakin again and the environment changes into Mustafar.)*

**PROGRESSION: 85% Health Damage**

**EXT. MUSTAFAR**

*(Anakin lands on a metal raft in lava. Vader Force throws flaming rocks at Anakin while he deflects them using the Force.)*

**ANAKIN**

You're not the only one strong with the Force.

Lay down your weapon, Sith, or suffer the consequences.

**VADER**

This ends now.

*(Anakin jumps, and Vader chops his legs. Anakin growls in pain. The camera zooms on Vader's helmet. We hear Obi-Wan's voice echo.)*

**OBI-WAN**

You were the chosen one!

**ANAKIN**

**I HATE YOU!**

**OBI-WAN**

You were my brother, Anakin. I loved you.

*(Anakin growls in pain.)*

**PROGRESSION: 100% Health Damage**

**Anakin was successfully defeated**

*(The memory dissolves and Vader is back in the cave.)*

**End scene III.**

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## **Scene VI**

**INT. THE CAVE/SITH OBSERVATORY**

**Cinematic Sequence**

*(The walls of the cave rumble and shake.)*

**VADER**

*(Heavy breathing)* Anakin Skywalker is dead. I am what remains...

**DISTORTED FEMALE CAVE**

So it seems.

*(The glass wall guarding the holocron shatters. The walls of the cave start to collapse. Vader grabs the holocron with the Force.)*

**Gameplay**

**OBJECTIVE: GET OUT OF THE CAVE**

*(Run back towards the cave exit. Deflect falling rocks.)*

*Squid creatures in water are trying to attack Vader by grabbing his legs with their appendages. Use the lightsaber to cut free.*

*One of the squids squirts ink on Vader's oculars. No time to wipe off the ink. Use the Force to see. Deflect more falling rocks.*

*Finally, Vader makes it out of the cave. It is raining. Vader wipes off the gunk off his oculars. He takes out the Sith holocron and looks at it. Fade-to-black.)*

**End scene VI.**

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**Scene V**

**INT. CORUSCANT - PALPATINE'S OFFICE - RAINY NIGHT**

**Cinematic Sequence**

*(We see Vader entering Palpatine's office in the Senate building.)*

**VADER**

Master, the mission on Onneron was unsuccessful. It was an ancient Sith Observatory, but there was nothing useful inside. The cave collapsed and it was destroyed.

**PALPATINE**

*(he frowns.)* I see. How unfortunate.

**VADER**

What is thy bidding, now, my Master?

**PALPATINE**

The Grand Inquisitor received reports of a Jedi in hiding on Mon Calamari.

**VADER**

Kenobi?

**PALPATINE**

Impossible to say at this time. You will go with him.

**VADER**

Yes, Master.

(fade to black.)

**End scene V.**

**End of the game.**

**Roll Credits.**