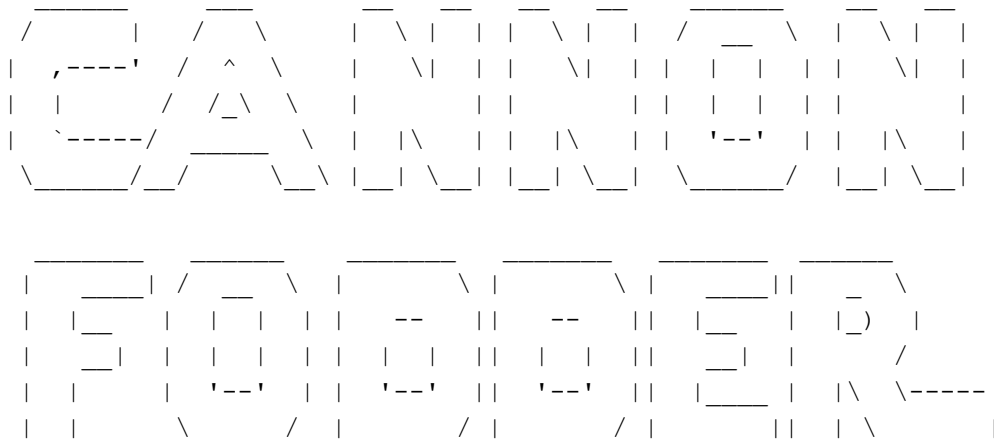


Cannon Fodder FAQ/Walkthrough

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This walkthrough was originally written for Cannon Fodder on the GENESIS, but the walkthrough is still applicable to the GBC version of the game.



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/1.0 Version History\

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/2.0 Copyright Information\

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/3.0 Introduction\ ---

Hello and welcome to the FAQ for Cannon Fodder. This great little underrated game is a joy to play, and it is very addicting as it is challenging. There are 24 levels of great fun and the difficulty level is great. The general idea of the game is that you control a group of soldiers and you must eliminate any enemies in the area. This FAQ's purpose is to help you in completing this game to its fullest extent. Enjoy!

/4.0 Game Basics\ ---

Controls

A - Move Soldiers
B - Shoot Bullets
C - Nothing
A+B - Shoot Grenades
Start - Pause the game

*** Note - To shoot grenades, you must have picked them up, and then secondly you must hold down the shoot button and then press A to fire the grenade.

Main Menu

The main menu is a little confusing, but I intend to clear that up. There are three things you can basically do here. You can load up a password that you either got or didn't get (cheated...) into the load section. The save section is where you get your password for whatever mission you are on.

Now, on the main menu screen itself are several things. The "score" at the top is how many soldiers have been killed. The home is your kills, away is the casualties of your army. On the screen itself, on the hill is where a tombstone will appear if any of your men die. Also, in the column on the left, the people under Heroes are killed, and the Squad is people still alive. The number next to them is their ranking, and I'm not sure what it signifies.

Combat

The combat system in this game is very interesting. You basically are controlling an arrow, and that arrow can move on the whole map. Of course, it is limited to the sight of the actual soldiers, so that's a very realistic part of the game. Basically, you at the spot the arrow is at when you press B, and you move there when you press A. When you pause the game, you can select a certain soldier to move by himself, and you can also look at the full map.

/5.0 Walkthrough\ ---

This is the heart of the FAQ, and definitely what you came for. I will give information about each phase in each mission, and I will give you the starting information as well. On the side of each mission header will be the password to get to that mission. Here goes!

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MISSION 1 - THE SENSIBLE INITIATION

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Password: None

Phase 1: It's A Jungle Out There

Phase: 1 out of 1
Briefing: With 2 Soldiers You Must Kill All Enemy
Recruits Remaining: 13
Soldiers to Kill: 3

Well this is probably the toughest level in the game...yeah just kidding. This is very, very easy, and does not show the toughness of the rest of the game very well at all. Go up and attack the soldier, then lure the other two over and shoot them to complete the phase and the mission.

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MISSION 2 - ONWARD VIRGIN SOLDIERS

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Password: UZHNC

Phase 1: Bridge Over the River Pie

Phase: 1 out of 2
Briefing: With 3 Soldiers You Must Kill All Enemy
Recruits Remaining: 27
Soldiers to Kill: 17

The level of difficulty increases very fast here. Right when the phase starts, look up to see a soldier crossing the river, so shoot him as soon as possible. Next, head around the trees and to the soldiers; lure them out to kill all three. Next head along the bottom and pick off the two, and when you get all the way to the bottom left, wait there and a soldier will come, so you can sit there and get him. Next, move up and kill the soldier by the river and head to the bridge. Kill the lone soldier coming at you across the bridge, and then go across.

On the other side of the bridge, head left to the opening in the trees to find a clump of three soldiers, so kill them off quickly. Keep moving right and you'll come upon two more soldiers to kill off easily. Killing them off should attract the attention of three more soldiers, so just stand there and pour it on. That'll complete the first phase!

Phase 2: Trash Enemy HQ

Phase: 1 out of 1
Briefing: With 3 Soldiers You Must Kill All Enemy
Destroy Enemy Buildings

down and to the left to pick up some missiles, killing a soldier along the way. From there head down again until you get to an intersection, and at this point you should go south to kill the soldier that is shooting missiles at you. From that point a soldier will come from the top of the screen, so take care of him and then keep moving down. Watch the river as many guys will cross it, along with a missile launcher enemy on the other side of the river. Keep heading down to get to a hut, and blow that up.

Once you blow up that hut and no soldiers are coming after you, get into the vehicle, which I guess they call a Skidoo...go figure...anyway, get in it and drive off to the right around the trees, over the water, and run over as many soldiers as possible. Once you run over most of them get out and blow up the final hut to complete this phase and the mission.

/6.0 Credits\

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