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Nintendo: A Journey Through Gaming Wonderland

Short Answer Key

1. "Donkey Kong" introduced the character Jumpman, who later became the iconic Mario. This game marked the start of Nintendo's video game dominance.
2. Answers may vary, but an example of an iconic Game Boy game is "Pokémon," which became a cultural phenomenon with its collectible creatures and gameplay.
3. The defining feature of the Wii was its motion controls. This made gaming accessible and appealing to a broader audience.
4. The Nintendo Switch offers both a home console experience and portability, making it unique compared to traditional home consoles and portable gaming devices.
5. Nintendo has leveraged its beloved characters like Mario and Link through merchandise, theme parks, and collaborations, expanding their presence beyond video games.

