

# Stencyl cheat sheet

## Welcome Center

Ctrl + Shift + N	Create a New Game/Kit (depending on which you select)
Enter	Open the Selected Item (same as double click)

## Common Shortcuts

Alt + F	Open File Menu
Alt + E	Open Edit Menu
Alt + H	Open Help Menu
Ctrl + P	Go to Stencyl API Page on the Wiki
Ctrl + M	Show / Hide StencylTalk
Ctrl + L	Show / Hide Help Center
Alt + Left arrow / Right arrow	Toggle Tabs (except when in the Scene Editor)
Ctrl + R	Reload Document
Ctrl + N	Create New... (Actor/Background/Font/Scene/Behavior/Sound/Tileset/Project)
Ctrl + G	Open Miniature Game Center Window
Ctrl + Enter	Preview / Test Game
Ctrl + Shift + Enter	Test Game in Browser
Ctrl + S	Save Game
Enter	Open the Selected Item (same as double click)
Ctrl + Shift + F	Open StencylForge

Note: Right-click a tab, and you'll be able to split the screen in the

app. This can help you easily compare two documents side by side. Also, this can be useful for tasks such as comparing two Behaviors.

## Actor / Background / Tileset Editors

Arrow keys	Select a Single Frame
Ctrl + A or Ctrl + /	Select All Frames
Ctrl + \	Select No Frames
Shift + Arrow keys	Select All Frames From First Selected to Last Selected
Del	Delete Selected Frame(s)

## Scene Designer

Space	Toggle Select and Pencil Tools
Backspace or Ctrl + Backspace or Shift + Backspace	Delete the Selected Tile / Actor
Ctrl + Y	Redo
Ctrl + Z	Undo
Ctrl + Shift + K	Send Selected Tile / Actor to Back Layer
Ctrl + K	Send Selected Tile / Actor Back One Layer
Ctrl + Shift + L	Bring Selected Tile / Actor to Front Layer
Ctrl + L	Bring Selected Tile / Actor Up One Layer
Ctrl + E	Customize the Behavior of the Selected Actor
+	Scroll Up Through List of Layers
-	Scroll Down Through List of Layers

Note: Holding SHIFT while moving or placing a Actor will snap it to the Scene's Grid. You can toggle to show / hide the grid with a button in the top right corner of the Scene Editor.

## Design Mode

Ctrl + D	Show / Hide Sidebar
Ctrl + E	Arrange All Blocks
Ctrl + K	Delete Loose Blocks
Ctrl + T	Take Screenshot
Ctrl + Y	Redo

Ctrl + Z	Undo
Alt + Left click + Move the mouse	Duplicate Blocks

Shift + Left click +  
Move the mouse     Drag a Single Block Out of a  
Stack of Blocks

Note: Right-click a block in the workspace for options  
to Undo/Redo, View Help, Find In Palette,  
Copy/Paste, Duplicate/Remove, Activate/Deactivate,  
and Add to Favorites.

## Sound Editor

Ctrl + C	Choose File
Ctrl + M	Edit Sound

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*More information:*    [defkey.com/es/stencyl-shortcuts](https://defkey.com/es/stencyl-shortcuts)

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