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[Pokémon Emerald Cheats and Unlockables \(GameBoy Advance\)](#)

Tips and Tricks for the Pokémon Master

"Gotta catch 'em all!" is the new anthem of the kids nowadays as Pokémon rules the world with its cartoon series and lately its games. Capture over 200 critters in the best [Pokémon](#) installment ever created for this portable console. The story is the same: initiate the epic journey that will turn you into a pokémon master. Train your pokemons, defeat other masters and learn new skills for your tiny beasts. Travel from one city to the other meeting fascinating characters and visiting beautiful locations, the original ones from the movie series. You'll have to level up, gain new abilities and collect all the little beasts, specially the rare ones. In case you get stuck, feel free to check out the [tips](#) below: **Unlockables**

Altering CaveYou can go to Altering Cave after you beat the Elite Four. It is located on Route 103. **Altering Cave Beat the Elite Four Battle Frontier** - Once you beat the game, you can go to the Battle Frontier. **Battle Frontier - Beat the Elite Four. Battle Frontier - Catching pokémon**When you first explore the battle frontier, go to the BATTLE PALACE, and go to the southwest corner. SURF to the other side, and you will first see a little old lady. Continue down the path south of the lady until you notice a strange tree that moves when you press A. This is a Sudowoodo, originally found in the GSC versions. To battle it, use the WAILMER PAIL on it. You have only one chance to catch it, so don't screw it up. After that, you can surf on the water that the Sudowoodo was blocking. SURF down the WATERFALL, and keep surfing left (there are no fish or anything in the water, so don't bother.)After a while, you will surf to a cave known as the ARTISTAN CAVE. Go inside, and as you explore the cave, you will find many stat items in the boulders (carbos, etc.) The only pokémon in this cave is SMEARGLE (hence, the ARTISTAN cave.) The SMEARGLE are generally level 41 to 50. They can only use sketch once before they start struggling.**Berry Master's Wife Passwords**Tell the Berry Master's Wife certain phrases to receive the following berries. You can only tell her one of these each day.**CHALLENGE CONTEST** - You will receive a Pamtre Berry. **COOL LATIOS** - You will receive a Durin Berry. **GREAT BATTLE** - You will receive a Spelon Berry. **OVERWHELMING LATIAS** - You will receive a Watmel Berry. **SUPER HUSTLE** - You will receive a Belue Berry. **Catching GSC Pokémon At The Safari Zone**After you defeated the Elite Four, go to the Upgraded Safari Zone. In the Safari, you can catch some GSC Pokémon such as Houndour, Aipom, Stantler, Mareep, Miltank, and more GSC Pokémon. This Unlockable works only in Pokémon Emerald.

Fishing rodsTo get the old rod, go to Dewford town and talk to the fisherman near the gym. He will give you an old rod. To get good rod, talk to the fisherman on route 118, east of Mauville city. You must need surf to reach him. Talk to him and you will get good rod. To get super rod, go to Mossdeep city and go north of the space center and go into the house. The man inside will give you super rod.**Good Rod** - Talk to fisherman on route 118 **Old Rod** - Talk to fisherman near Dewford gym **Super Rod** - In the house north of the space center **Glass Items**On Route 113, to the right of Fallobour Town, is a house in which a man will make you items if you bring him ash. To collect ash, walk through the ash covered grass. Then bring it to the glass item maker.**Black Flute** - Walk 1,000 steps in the ash. **Blue Flute** - Walk 250 steps in the ash. **Pretty Chair** - Walk 6,000 steps in the ash. **Pretty Desk** - Walk 8,000 steps in the ash. **Red Flute** - Walk 500 steps in the ash. **White Flute** - Walk 1,000 steps in the ash. **Yellow Flute** - Walk 500 steps in the ash. **National Pokedex**National Pokedex - Beat the Elite 4. Professor Birch will visit you and give it to you once you leave your house. **Prizes from Scott**Talk to Scott in his house in the Battle Frontier, he'll give you certain decorations/berries depending on your accomplishments in the Battle Frontier. **Gold Shield (Decoration)** - Win 100 Battles **Lansat Berry** - Obtain all Silver Frontier Symbols

Silver Shield (Decoration) - Win 50 Battles Starf Berry - Obtain all Gold Frontier Symbols

Special Unlockable Pokemon There are certain pokemon that can only be caught when you trigger certain events, like castform. Beldum - See Steven's house after you beat the Elite four. Castform - Take out the rival team at the weather institute. Chikorita, Cyndaquil or Tododile - When you complete the 200 Pokemon of Hoenn. Professor Birch will call you on your Pokenav. Deoxys - Get the Aurara Ticket, and go to Birth Island Groudon - Beat the Elite Four, and go to the land lair. Ho-oh/Lugia - Get the Mystic Ticket, and go to Navel Island Kyogre - Beat the Elite Four, and go to the sea lair. Latios or Latias - After beating the elite four, watch the T.V. downstairs in your house. Latios or Latias - Mix records with a Ruby or Sapphire with the Eon ticket, and go to Southern Island. Mew - Get the Old Sea Chart, and go to Faraway Island Rayquaza - Get Magma and Aqua to get Kyogre and Groudon out of the cave, and go to Sky Pillar. Treeko, Torchic, or Mudkip - Help Professor Birch escape the wild pokemon Here's a glitch in Pokemon Emerald that will allow you to clone your pokemon:

The Diploma National Pokedex Diploma Capture all 386 pokemon in your pokedex. Then go to the hotel in Lilycove City and talk to the Game Designer.

Trainer Card Color Upgrades As you accomplish more along your journey, your Trainer Card will change colors and rise in rank, depending on completing certain tasks. After completing one task, it will rise in one rank, but there are some tasks that cannot be completed until beating the Elite Four. You must do these tasks:

- Become Pokemon league Champion-Complete the Hoenn Pokedex-Collect all the gold symbols in the Battle Frontier-Win one ribbon in all five of the Master Rank Pokemon Contests.

Bronze Rank - Do one of the tasks mentioned above. Copper Rank - Do two of the tasks mentioned above. Gold Rank - Do all four of the tasks mentioned above. Silver Rank - Do three of the tasks mentioned above

Training on Hills To unlock Trainer Hill, you must beat the Elite Four.

Easter Eggs

Getting Latias Or Latios After you defeat the Elite Four, go to your house and watch the television downstairs. After you watch it, your mom will ask you what color the Pokemon is. If you say Red, you will find Latias. If you say Blue, it will be Latios.

Getting the other Lati To get the other Lati (Latios or Latias), Mix Records with a Pokemon Ruby/Sapphire game that used the Eon Ticket. You can then get to a hidden island via the SS Tidal where you can find the Lati you didn't choose.

Shiny pokemon Every time you encounter a pokemon, you have a 1/8192 chance of the pokemon being a different color, this is called a shiny pokemon.

Secrets Battle Steven, the former champion. After beating the Elite Four, a new part of Meteor Falls opens up. It is in the northwestern corner where you found Iron Tail. A new cave was made and you'll find Steven in it. His Pokemon are in the high 70's.

Compound Eyes Second effect If you have a Pokemon with Compound eyes 1st in your Party it will draw Wild Pokemon that has held Items more often.

Cut's Out of Battle effect Have a Pokemon use CUT to remove grass where wild Pokemon live. It will remove the chance of encountering wild Pokemon. The grass will regrow once you leave the area or enter a building.

Cute Charm's Second Effect If you have a Pokemon with Cute Charm 1st in your Party it will more likely draw Wild Pokemon with the opposite gender of the Pokemon with Cute Charm.

Faster hatching eggs Simply put a pokemon with the ability Flame Body or Magma Armor on your team to cut the amount of steps needed to hatch an egg in half.

Get the Mental Herb In one of the treehouses in Fortree City, there is a man with a Wingull. Talk to the Wingull, and it will fly off out of the treehouse. When you get to Mossdeep City, you will see a person with a Wingull. Talk to it and it will fly off as well. Then go back to Fortree City and into the treehouse where you talked to the first Wingull. Talk to the man next to the Wingull, and he will give you the Mental Herb, and item which is a hold item that prevents attraction on the Pokemon that is holding it.

Hustle's Second Effect If you have a Pokemon with Hustle 1st in your Party it will draw Wild Pokemon that has a Higher Level than the Pokemon that has Hustle.

Inherit Pokemon Natures through breeding To do this you need an Everstone. To get one, search in Granite Cave for a lone rock on top of a plateau. Once you get an Everstone, let a Ditto or a female Pokemon that you are breeding hold on to it. Once you receive and hatch the eggs, the offspring will have a 50% chance of inheriting the Nature

from the Pokemon holding the Everstone. **Intimidate and Keen Eye's second ability**If you put a Pokemon that has intimidate or Keen Eye 1st in your party the chances of wild Pokemon encounter is reduced by 10%.**Lightningrod's second ability**If you have a pokemon with lightningrod as an ability, you will get calls from registered trainers more often.**Magnet Pull's secondary effect**If you have a pokemon with the Magnet Pull ability in front of your party, it increases the chances of finding wild steel-type Pokemon. This is very useful for finding rare steel types, such as Mawile.**Mirage Island**Mirage Island is an invisible Island located on Route 130. Most of the time it will be invisible but on rare cases, the island will be visible. To find out if the island is there or not, go to Pacifidlog Town and talk to the old man in the bottom right house looking out the window. He will tell you whether the island is there or not. The cause is unknown so a bit of luck is needed to find it. On the island you will find the rare Leichi Berry that powers up your Pokemon's attack in battle when it gets weak. In the grass, you will only find Wild Wynauts.**Mystery Gift**To unlock mystery gift, go to a pokemon mart and press A on the piece of paper on the counter. Then insert the words LINK TOGETHER WITH ALL. Press select to easily find the words. After this the store lady will talk to you and tell you that mystery gift is now unlocked.**Pokerus**This is a helpful virus in the game. This virus can improve all of your stat points when you grow levels. If your pokemon has pokerus and it's in your party it will spread to your other pokemon. But these effects are temporary unless you put the infected pokemon in your PC. In order to get it, you need A LOT of luck. You need to find a wild pokemon with pokerus. You will know it has pokerus because it will be its status condition. After you catch it, to make sure it really has pokerus, go to any pokemon center and the nurse will say that it is infected with pokerus.**Raising weak pokemon easier**Just put the weak pokemon in the first slot. When a battle starts, just switch out that pokemon right away. After the battle the pokemon will receive half of the exp points.**Shedinja**To get Shedinja, you must first catch a Nincada, and have an empty space in your party. People say you need a Pokeball for it, but you do NOT. Shedinja copies the ball the Nincada was caught in. Anyways, with one empty space in your party, level up Nincada to level 20. It will evolve into Ninjask. When you check your party, you will see Shedinja sitting in the final slot, along with the Ninjask and 4 other Pokemon. **Static's secondary effect**If you have a pokemon with the Static ability in the front of your party, it increases the chance of finding a wild electric type pokemon. This is EXTREMELY useful for finding rare electric types, like Pikachu in the Safari Zone.**Suction cups/Sticky Hold's second ability**If a pokemon in your party has suction cups/sticky hold as an ability, then you will have an easier time fishing for wild pokemon.**Swarm's second ability**The Pokemon ability Swarm has 2 effects. It raises Bug-type attacks by 150% when the user is weak, and, new to Emerald, it makes pokemon cry in the background more often. For example, in caves outside of battle, you will hear a Pokemon screech more often. **Synchronize's second ability**If you have a pokemon with synchronize as an ability, you will encounter more pokemon with the same nature as the pokemon with synchronize. Note that the pokemon with this ability must be in the front of your party.**Unlimited Safari Zone Steps**Pay 500 to go to the Safari Zone. Go to a grass patch. Stay in the patch and don't walk. Just press the arrow buttons softly like a 90 degree angle and you might catch a rare pokemon without wasting your 500 steps!