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Twitterbot Assignment: Inspirational Misspellings of Quotes

For our group's twitterbot assignment, we decided to create a bot that tweeted quotes that contained words with common spelling errors. We wanted our bot to be more on the whimsical and playful side. When people attempt to say something meaningful and thoughtful online, but fail to realize that they had used the wrong "your" or "their," it lightens the atmosphere. This silly little mistake often goes unnoticed and can sometimes change the meaning of the quote itself.

This misspelling twitter bot follows #quote that contains a specific set of keywords that we've chosen. After finding the most recent post with the hashtag, we replace a word we've picked out before it, purposefully spelled it an incorrect way, and tweet it out into Twitter. We also provide a direct link to the original tweet we are modifying if the tweet has too many characters, in addition to adding a hashtag of the bot name at the end so you can see all the tweets under the account. This twitterbot is a perfect way to hear motivating statements while adding in some light humor. The bot's job is ultimately to lift the mood of the viewer/user. People are always quick to correct another person's accidental spelling mistakes, so we wanted to address the irony in doing it on purpose.

Below is a screenshot of some of the tweets we produced: