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God, I can't stand that guy. Hah, two spaces after sentence. You know I discovered it was because of typewriters that people used to put two spaces after a sentence. Speaking about keyboards did you know the standard US qwerty layout, the one the vast majority of us use, was designed to slow down typing. Also, it's called qwerty because that's what makes up the top six keys at the top-left above the home row. I know that blew your mind! Well it was designed to slow people down because whoever invented the typewriter his keys kept getting jammed, that's not good he said. Okay let's swap around the keys so people don't type too fast. These boxes are starting to annoy me, how about we just number them and get rid of the boxes. Then I now have to reach 150 words, that's a lot, okay and now done.

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Again I don't really feel like writing about this because I don't like the direction this class is going. I mean out of all people Rand, why. I don't feel like writing here, need 150 words though. How am I going to fill this space up. No, people can't use critical thinking. No, I can't tell the difference between fact and fiction. No, I have no biases. Okay that't enough of that, I hate writing for this class takes all the fun out of it. Let's see things I do to check, news channels, youtube channels, podcasts, whatevhttps://chrome.google.com/webstore/detail/power%20/pakgdifknldaiglefmpkkgfj ndemfapoer I feel like. Dangers of deep fakes, who cares you shouldn't be watching netflix, youtube, or browsing reddit in the first place. Those places just make people dumb. Have you ever seen an intelligent conversation on reddit, me neither. No that I mention reddit lets talk about redditors, they are the worst type of people. I mean you just can't trust those guys, dang redditors. I think I doing pretty good with my journals aren't I?

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I'd rather be a cat with a dog's personality, glad as was born as the bull so to speak. No turkey at Thanksgiving, but doesn't matter for me I don't go trick-or-treating any more. Rather lose the ability to lie, just won't talk about the subject I'd lie about. No kids with three-million dollars, I could then go get kids from that moment. I'd let a friend win it, then make a deal with him so he'll receive like \$10,000 and then give the rest to me. Run at 100mph, 10 would be rather useless. I'd continue my life because I don't really like rolling the dice. Low life with loved ones, lonely would be, well lonely. I'd rule the

world, a world without problems would be a boring one. Plus if I ruled the world I'd be a pretty benevolent. I don't want wifi or coffe. I'd have a lamborgini so I can sell that and spend my money on a stupid amount of books I wouldn't even be able to read.

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Who cares, I have my own problems to deal with. That was a fast response. Okay my unpopular opinions, have a lot of them, marvel sucks. Hah, yeah got you there huh. Okay for real though I pretty much differ in just about every conceivable thing possible, everything from politics to technology. Let's start with technology because that's a more interesting one, if I was the dictator of this country I don't think close-source problems would survive. Then I would get the hardware manufacturer to stop screwing over the customers, more importantly remove the intel management engine. I have to also that technology only seems to complicate our lives, not make it better. Then with politics I don't think the average person should be involved in politics. I mean my dad watches way too much of CNN, and sees me as some Trump hippie, I'm not even joking. Then maybe getting on to education, kids shouldn't be forced to come to school. I consider it completely immoral, also if most people were gone education might actually thrive on the basis of a love, no maybe appreciation, for knowledge.

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Does it really make a difference, I mean looking back it just doesn't matter now. No, I don't actually hold that view, I think that we need these more than ever, science is NOT a replacement for religion. I wish I could say that, how many people do you think these days REALLY believes in god, like a true believe, I'd wager not many. Sure plenty will claim they believe in some sort of deity but doubt has prevailed. Well is it morally right to teach your child religion, if your even asking that question your a deist, or something of the sort. Now do I wish that I believed in God, my tradition would have been Christian, yes it would have provided me a moral and comforting framework in which to live my life. I mean this world sucks but wait, if only you will be saved there is another world, a better one at that. Another thing I've come to find is that death comforts me in a way, every man has to face it eventually.

Single sex schools may decrease distractions and improve academic performace and all that but that would make school so much less interesting. Grades shouldn't be pass fail, in fact they should be the opposite of that and be precise, the letter grading scale is great for this if the teacher uses pluses and minuses. Yes, standardized testing should be increased but it should count less towards our grade and more for a progress report, also tell parents to btfo off the school board. No, an evening option for school would be dumb. Schools should end earlier and teach us skills that we will use in the workplace, not skills for a leisured, aristocratic life, plus with those kinds of subjects the only way you will really get anything our of them is if you opt into them. Then I couldn't really care less is school is four or five days a week, that wouldn't change the amount of time we spend in school. No, the primary schooling schooling should teach general skills, but should also end earlier, in other words get rid of high school and actually teach during elementary and middle school. The difference between our school system and say France at the elementary level is that the French teachers see the youngsters as ignorance that should be corrected, our dumb outlook because of our soft teachers is that ignorance is innocence and should be treated as such.

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Both Vox and PragerU are harmful and you should not be watching them, especially the latter. Then with art I guarantee nobody will have an interest in these paintings as the years go on. This is probably why Plato put a restriction on art in his Republic so the plebian ideas didn't go into the mainstream, let's see the majority of the movies release either consist of sex or violence, sometimes both, video games aren't nearly as bad as the movies but still pretty bad, books that are popular today are those self-help books that those housewives buy at the airport and then all the horrible fantasy and fiction dealing with, you guessed it, sex and violence. I almost forgot to mention music, yeah that's awful, rap, most rock, country. Especially rap, I mean I claim that you actually lose physical brain cells from listening to that, though there have been a couple albums that are pretty good like In the Aeroplane Over the Sea, which I should say isn't rap, that should be the standard of which both lyrics and rhythm should take inspiration from. Also, if I was dictator youtube would not survive, or any video streaming site for that matter, I doubt message boards would last long either.

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Can we stop watching these videos, you're never going to be bullied into taking up a hobby. A hobby needs to be something that one enjoys doing and feels satisfaction on the achievement of completing those goals when pursuing the hobby. A true hobby is not doing what someone else tells you you should be doing, even less what society tells you you should be doing. In other words get off those damned twelve-step programs, stop reading those self-help books, and stop watching inspirational videos and speeches. I hope the reader understands why, these degenerative videos always idealize the pursuit and make it sound like it sound easy and overemphasize how much it will enrich you life. This is because at the end of the day society doesn't care what you do in your free time, all it cares for you todo is contribute, I don't like that word here but It'll have todo, and if you're not producing anything or rendering some service it could care even less. Inevitably if your motivation was generated by watching one of

these your enthusiasm won't last long and you'll end up right in front of the tv again watching Game of Thrones and reading 50 Shades of Gray. Also, the most intelligent people I've come across aren't the ones that produce these types of videos, they know better and adapt a cynical tone when addressing this topic.

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Are we really encouraging people to be alone, an artificial prison which you impose on yourself. That's awful, why would anybody do that to themselves. You'll just die forgotten and bitter, some people try to justify themselves with their hobbies but that's a lie, and deep down you know it. People don't do better alone, there's a reason why cities where formed so they could divide the labour. Also, are you about to tell me I should take the advice to be alone from a youtuber, posting on a social media site!, who's never actually been alone. Most people who find themselves alone end up like the people on 4chan, that's not where you want to be. Then they develop some hedonist mentality were they try to justify their pathetic existence, that's also a lie. There are two respectable positions to be at, both on the radical spectrum, and if you land somewhere in between I doubt you've ever really contemplated your existence. There's this slippery slope, on one end you got the ideal Christian, sees sex as a means to and end beautiful if practiced among the right conditions, the other is the neckbeard, who's attidude for sex is merely for pleasure. Now I say right now if you land somewhere in the middle your a fool, though I certainly don't endorse the former.

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The numbers are staggering, I don't think anybody would deny that. The rationalisation of our world and the complex systems which were put in place, no human would analyze that. What do we do then? Well, nobody really knows, the only actual solution I've heard is to send our technological progress hundreds of years, but that mostly just dodges the question. Also, I don't anything massive will be done. Anytime that somebody has tried to reason out a society they've failed, maybe, I'd say likely, if that were too happen the result would just be worse than we have now. What does not help though are these videos that tell you you can make an impact on the world, which is mostly a lie because you are a human being, a very fallible creature. Also though I don't think we should take these statistics very seriously, I'm sure a few are exaggerations, I mean they didn't even give a source. If they are accurate though we have to change our perspective on this, instead of saying 47% don't have access to the internet, we say that 53% do. Compare that to ten, or even five years ago. If you consider that progress then "progress" is advancing faster than ever.

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