

Title: My favorite podcast described GameStop as a "get rich quick scheme" - but it's not, it's a test of mettle!

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I love listening to *Hidden Brain* with Shankar Vedantam on my morning commute. There's always something interesting to learn, and it's relevant to my work in psych services for the most part.

I was listening this morning to the newest episode and he describes GME as a "get rich quick scheme" in which some reddit day traders intentionally pumped and dumped the stock, pulling the rug out from under those who bought in in the way up.

But everyone here knows it's all about the long game now, to ride out these rising interest rates and volatility until someone has to cover their shorts! It's not a quick scheme at all, but a resilience check.

I love Shankar's material and will of course continue to listen; I just was caught off guard to hear GME described as a failing business constantly closing locations.