

Less-new Year Resolutions



Ah yes, February 1st—the *actual* time people start their resolutions, right?

I essentially treated January as a post-holiday recovery period. But now that the winter freeze and the "jolly cheer" have finally subsided, it's time to actually get cracking. Here are my goals for the rest of Q1.

Work & Professional Growth

- Start using **Apache Spark** as a proper data wrangling framework rather than just an orchestration platform.
- Play around with computationally intensive JavaScript code bits to see where the limits are.
- Finish reading my **Data Governance** and **Web Services** books. grr...

Life & Wellness

- Finish a project around a hobby (e.g., posting some art on the internet).
- Commit to a **4-day/week gym routine**. I'm thinking of doing Push, Pull, Legs, and Accessories on that last day.
- Try to grow some bell peppers.

Games

OldSchool RuneScape (OSRS)

- **Questing:** Complete *While Guthix Sleeps*.
- **Rare Item Hunting:** Secure at least one rare drop from **Doom of Mokihotl** (*Eye of Ayak, Cloth of Mokhitol, or Avernic Treads*).
- **Raiding:** Complete all three raids at entry-level:
 - Theatre of Blood
 - Tombs of Amascut
 - Chambers of Xeric
- **Bossing:** Be able to comfortably farm **Zulrah**.

MapleStory

The primary mission is to **Liberate the Genesis Weapon on my Blaze Wizard (Snorb)**, which requires soloing:

- Hard Will
- Hard Lucid
- Hard Verus Hilla

To get there, I'm targeting these character milestones:

- Level 275
- Level 10 Sol Janus
- Level 20-ish on all important Hexa skills
- Completed Hexa Stats
- **Bonus Gear:** Obtain a Vac Pet and one Legendary Familiar.

Now to be clear, the Maplestory goals are NOT happening in Q1 I think. This is mostly just to get the ball rolling since weapon liberation takes months.