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## Worthwhile reading for teenagers

Posted by dontthinkfeel - 2008/06/23 09:11

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- 1: Life is not fair - get used to it.
- 2: The world won't care about your self-esteem. The world will expect you to accomplish BEFORE you feel good about yourself.
- 3: You will not make £100,000 a year right out of collage. You won't be a vice president with a company Mercedes until you earn both.
- 4: If you think your teacher is tough is, wait until you get a boss.
- 5: Flipping burgers is not beneath your dignity. Your grandparents had a different word for burgerflipping - they called it opportunity.
- 6: If you mess up it's not your parent's fault, so don't whine about your mistakes, learn from them.
- 7: Before you were born your parents weren't as boring as they are now. They got that way from paying your bills, cleaning your clothes and listening to you talk about how cool you are. So before you save the rainforest from parasites of your parents generation, try delousing the closet in your room.
- 8: Schools may have done away with winners and losers, but life has not. Some schools have abolished failing grades and they'll give you as many times as you want to get the right answer. This doesn't bear the slightest resemblance to anything in real life.
- 9: Life is not divided in terms. You don't get summers off and very few employers are interested in helping you find yourself. Do that in your own time.
- 10: Television is NOT real life. In real life people actually have to leave the coffee shop and go to jobs.
- 11: Be nice to nerds. Chances are you'll end up working for one.

This was a speech given by Bill Gates to to a high school in California I think it is quite apt.

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## Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers

Posted by dontthinkfeel - 2008/06/23 09:41

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Yes I know it's college not collage, I am so ashamed.

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## Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers

Posted by Stephen - 2008/06/23 13:58

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Spoken like a true parent of teenagers,

Its nice to see that not only did you spell college incorrect, you also mucked up on the word School.

Strange coincidence maybe:P

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## Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers

Posted by Jamsey - 2008/06/27 13:35

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## Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers

Posted by Stephen - 2008/06/27 15:58

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Jamsey wrote:

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BUSTED  
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**Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers**

Posted by dontthinkfeel - 2008/06/28 23:23

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She is SO GROUNDED! my own daughter turning on me, wait until I post her prom photographs on this site.  
HA!!!!!!

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**Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers**

Posted by Jamsey - 2008/06/29 12:50

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you DARE to do that

I will personally kill you

no-one would ever find you  
EVER

:angry:

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**Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers**

Posted by Stephen - 2008/06/29 18:05

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Key,

do you think shes actually saying

" I dare ya"

"I bet you wouldnt"

I know what my response would be, let me know and ill show you how to resize that picture:laugh:

Keep Smiling

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**Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers**

Posted by Jamsey - 2008/06/29 21:14

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ahou!

dont tempt me to actually commit murder

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watch it:angry:

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### Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers

Posted by Mongo - 2008/06/30 01:21

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And you guys think us Americans are violent. ;)

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### Re:Worthwhile reading for teenagers

Posted by Jamsey - 2008/06/30 21:38

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we're not violent :dry:

Dad.....

I ALLOW you to put up ONE! photo of me

and that is all

:angry:

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