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After four long years of having Donald J. Trump in office and undergoing a tense election, thousands of people tuned in to watch the inauguration of the 46th president of the United States, Joe Biden, and the first female, black, and South Asian vice president, Kamala Harris on Wednesday, January 20th, 2021. As stated in the 20th amendment of the Constitution, each elected president's term starts at noon on January 20th after the elected president takes an oath swearing an allegiance to uphold the constitution. The inauguration day is usually celebrated with an inaugural parade and other gala festivities.



However, due to recent circumstances such as Covid-19, a "virtual parade" was planned instead, showcasing communities across the country celebrating this day from the safety of their homes.

Many virtual events were also planned to celebrate the inauguration. This was all live streamed across multiple media outlets for everyone to watch. Usually, in inaugurations, the president-elect has to give an inaugural speech. As we all know, he is taking over a country deeply divided by recent events. Biden has the hard job of healing the country from the many serious issues such as social justice and an ongoing pandemic. Biden said during his speech that he would work to bring all Americans together and talked about the devastating impacts of the pandemic. A highlight of this inauguration is the performers that were invited to celebrate the event. The choice of celebrities, guest speakers, and the performances we have seen in this celebration reflected the sense of unity that Biden's presidency promises to bring back. With a new leader, we can hope for some improvement in the American government and a better future.

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Reddit vs. Wall Street

GME, WSB- Three letter words you probably understand instantly if you've been on the internet any time recently. GameStop and Wall Street Bets. A stock ticker and a subreddit that put each other's names in news headlines.

Wall Street Bets is a group on Reddit filled with teenagers and millennials finding stocks to pump together. Pumping a stock is having a massive amount of shares of the stock bought by a group or individual ultimately causing the price of the stock to soar. This pump had a bit more meaning to it though. Shorting a stock, in simple terms, is betting that the price of a stock goes down. If it does go down, your money invested multiplies, meanwhile if the price rises it results in you being forced to buy shares of the stock ultimately raising the price of the stock even further, and in a loss of money for those who shorted it. When Wall Street Bets found out that the most shorted stock in the market was ticker symbol \$GME (GameStop), and that it was mainly being shorted by hedge funds they made sure to make the hedge funds pay. They planned one of the most successful pumps in recent history causing the price per share of GameStop to rise over 1800% within weeks as it went from \$18 per share to over \$347. This caused short sellers of GameStop to be down 26 billion dollars collectively at one point making it a huge win against Wall Street and the rich as a whole.

Where's the catch? There isn't a catch- just kidding. There's always a catch. The rich always find a way to win. Shortly after shorts and hedge funds were losing billions most brokerages started banning the

purchase of \$GME and other pumped stocks, only allowing its users to sell their shares. Since purchasing wasn't even allowed, of course a massive selloff happened causing the price of the stock to sink again. Robinhood, being the main brokerage used by people today received massive backlash for taking its users' right to a free market away. The day that the restriction on purchases occurred the first lawsuit against them was already filed in a New York state court. Responding to the backlash, rather than allowing its users to purchase shares freely again, they allowed users to only purchase a certain amount of the pumped stocks. You were only allowed to purchase 1 share of GME, while you were obviously allowed to sell whatever amount you have, causing the selloff to continue. After they allowed users to purchase the stock freely again, the hype wasn't there anymore and eventually the stock price went as low as \$40 per share.

The lesson learned? A group of people not much older than you were able to *almost* take down a number of hedge funds, which are some of the richest structures in the world. Wall street did lose money from GameStop; billions of dollars. If it wasn't for the restriction on the purchase of these Reddit-pumped stocks though the amount of billions lost would've been much higher. When the money of the rich is at risk though, anything will be done to keep it secure; legal or illegal.

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Medical Student Creates First Disposable Hijab

Farah Roslan, a Muslim medical student in training, introduced the idea of a disposal Hijab. The idea came to her when she realized wearing the hijab all day would not be ideal or sanitary, when working in a health-care environment. Especially during the global pandemic as many infections, diseases, and viruses such as COVID-19, can be easily spread through the fabric if it is not changed every few hours. Roslan worked with

issue. Immediately after the disposal hijab was introduced University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS became the first hospital to offer disposable hijabs for healthcare workers.

The disposable hijabs have been made available to nurses and doctors in January 2021, and Roslan added that she hopes to introduce the design nationally. But no matter what the future may hold for Roslan or the



her mentor, surgeon Gill Tierney, to design and introduce a disposable hijab that would help Muslim women in the medical field, enabling them to work in hospitals and prevent spreading infections. Roslan's mentor told BBC News that the issue of nurses and doctors being forced to choose between their beliefs and their work has been an ongoing, yet overlooked

future of inclusivity and diversity within healthcare, the young doctor in training is proud to have made a difference. On her Twitter page, Roslan explained why she felt it was important to bring her idea to life, by saying "If you feel like something isn't right, do something about it- you don't always have to conform."

By: Fehmieh Mansour, 12th grade

Ways to Remain Productive at Home

Nearly a year after the beginning of lockdown, we remain in a global pandemic that is still just as strong, if not stronger, than it was when we entered the quarantine. At times, it may be hard to continue being in quarantine all this time, while managing to still remain productive.

Lack of motivation may start to kick in, as the days seem to be repeating themselves over and over again. I for one am guilty of this mindset, but as the new year kicks in I have set aside all my excuses and have gathered a list of goals to help motivate myself to remain productive. The top of that list includes dedicating a certain workplace and amount of time in my day to focus on school-work. Online school can be difficult at times, but time management can be the most effective way to ensure you are doing



well in school, and still dedicating enough time to yourself. Going into my next goal, dedicating time to myself, this can be achieved by doing simple things such as reading a book, taking a walk outside, or even just ensuring you are hydrated throughout the day. Another goal I hope to

achieve is using the remaining free time I have in my day with my family, rather than lingering through social media. Simple tasks and goals may seem small and are easy to complete, yet the effect they can have on your day and mood are rather large.

By: Malak Mansour, 9th grade

Things to Look Forward to in 2021

After a long, challenging year with many ups and downs, it's finally 2021, and we have a whole new year ahead of us. 2020 was a difficult year for many of us; we faced plenty of new challenges and circumstances, especially since the coronavirus has

anceled a lot of events that we were excited about. In the past



year, many of us missed out on graduations, weddings, holidays, traveling, and more, which has made us feel a sense of grief and disappointment. Now though, we're already well into 2021, and it's essential to have an optimistic view of the future, even if all that surrounds it is uncertainty. It is important to have things to look forward to, as there are many benefits to it. Having something to look forward to motivates you, makes you feel optimistic about the future, and increase happiness. Alt-

though the things we could do are still quite limited due to the coronavirus, there are still many things to be excited about in the future. A few simple examples of things to look forward to are upcoming movies, new episodes of your favorite tv shows, and phone calls with loved ones.

You can also create a list of things to look forward to, and use this list to reward yourself with a self-care day or a movie marathon and at the end of a busy week. If you're into sports, then The 2020 Tokyo Olympics taking place this July or the UEFA Euro Championship that

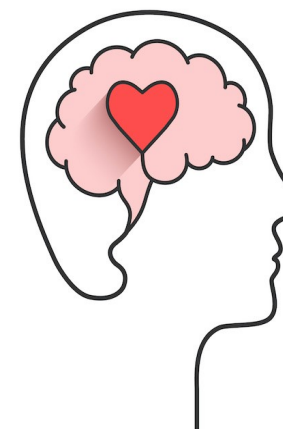
will take place this summer might be things to be excited about! A big thing to look forward to this year is herd Covid-19 immunity due to safe pandemic practices and the rollout of the vaccine. Try not to dwell on the things you missed out on the past year and have a more positive view of the future. We can, should, and hopefully will find excitement and happiness in things that are occurring in 2021, no matter how big or small.

By: Layan Natour, 12th grade

How to Improve Your Mental Health

Moving onto a new year, a new president, and a new beginning, we should focus on how to improve our mental health. Here are easy ways to improve your mental health which are needed during vulnerable times like now, where it's been heavily affected by a pandemic. One easy way is to stay active and fit; being active and exercising is a great way to improve your mental health as it gets your blood moving and allows you to lose fat. Fat loss is good for both your mental and body health. Eating well is another great way to improve your mental health as it has similar effects with fat loss and mental/physical health. The human brain needs certain food/nutrients to operate and stay healthy. Therefore, eating organic and healthy food will help to a certain extent. A third way is by keeping your sleep schedule as early and steady as possible. Sleep is not only for your body, but also for your mind. Sleep relaxes the mind from all that it had to do and the brain-

power it had to use throughout the day.. The last way to improve your mental health is to communicate. Especially now, in the midst of a pandemic, people are stuck at home and some can't interact with others. This may cause you to be lonely and in some cases may even cause de-



pression. This is bad for our mental health and can deteriorate it day by day. So I encourage you to apply the mentioned methods to improve and sustain your mental health.

By: Khaled Musbeh, 9th grade

Anti-Vaxxer

Prologue

An *Anti-Vaxxer* with profound views
 Doesn't even trust the manipulative news
 Lies lies lies never looking for truth
 Even if it costs the lives of her youth
 Known for disbelieving and ignoring
 Beasts without a leash she keeps on roaring
 Distrust all there is about vaccines
 People question her morals and hygiene
 She worries about the poisonous arrow
 Worrying if it'll affect her bone marrow
 She ends human life when they're in the womb
 A ticking time bombs that often go boom
 Unkempt, dirty, many people may see
 But to her, all should follow her decree

Tale

Sitting at home, Karen is reading
 Wondering if what she read was misleading
 Watching the news surprised by its message
 So much mayhem caused by all its wreckage
 A strange disease appeared in a foreign land
 Not thinking twice if it will ever expand
 Self-centered not caring about its harm
 In her own world waiting for the alarm
 It is all lucid, there is nothing to fear
 Propaganda is what she sees clear
 She heads to the shop to buy some latte
 Seeing some people in masks in the cafe
 Talks to her friend about the things she sees
 Wondering why people are not at ease
 Soon finding out that the friend is not at peace
 Just happy that she is still in one piece
 Angry at her friend for believing their lies
 Why wear a mask and stay in disguise?
 It's a choice that Karen will never choose
 Her friend says to keep dreaming and hit snooze
 They part ways after the heated dispute
 Journeying and finding their own routes
 Karen moves on thinking what's next for her
 Thinking about what her friend conferred
 Every day new cases were piling up
 Even infecting the innocent pups
 Karen never feared this so-called disease
 Whether it was a loud cough or a sneeze
 Never bothered to stay away six feet
 It could never stop her heartbeat
 "A virus that will never affect me
 I'll continue my life happy with glee"
 Each day brought new reports and cases
 Karen thought that they were in far places
 "I'll laugh the day this virus comes my way
 The Chinese virus my president likes to say"
 People in fear started to purchase guns
 The mayhem started to multiply by tons
 The virus accrued its way to U.S soil
 People started to reload and recoil (**double entendre**)
 Precautions started to become required
 Mankind as a whole slowly turning tired
 Reading a sign saying worn by force not fear
 Karen responds with "Why should I adhere?
 Why follow the social distancing rule?
 When this virus is something minuscule"
 Then Karen went out to several stores
 Not following rules and causing uproars
 "Don't talk to me I know my rights" she said
 The cops came to deal with her so she fled
 A week has passed and Karen became fatigued
 Her friend was notified and became intrigued
 Her friend cooked her dinner to show she cared
 Karen couldn't taste a thing, then became scared
 Could she have gotten the virus she thought?
 Absurd, she told herself feeling distraught
 Days went by and the pain kept growing
 And more of the symptoms started showing
 Karen's friend noticed the uneasiness
 She knew it was due to her greediness
 The virus that she thought never existed
 Now haunts her all because she insisted
 On defying the appointed safety measures
 All for what? To satisfy her pleasures
 Putting her once called best friend's life in peril
 Karen's disease was now in transferral
 Now like a tree withering in the fall
 The crows gathered after a sudden phone call
 With Karen now still laying on her deathbed
 Her hands now dirty without any bloodshed

By: Loay & Mehdi, 11th grade

What is Stress?

Stress is the feeling of emotional or physical tension. It can come from any event that would make you feel frustrated, angry, or nervous. Stress is more often found in adults and older children. People can be more prone to stress if they don't get proper sleep.



This is because your body feels tired and your brain doesn't properly function throughout the day. You are more likely to be stressed out by things that wouldn't even faze you on a normal rested day. That's why it's important to get your daily amount

of required sleep. Following a routine is also a good way to avoid stress because it takes away the element of uncertainty in your day. There would likely be less random events that would frustrate you and stress you out. Maintaining a healthy lifestyle and eating healthy can also reduce your stress and overall make you feel and perform better.

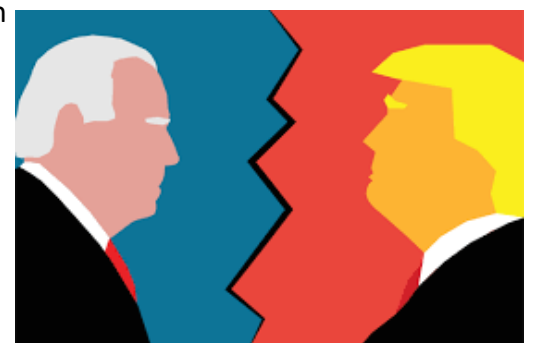
Foods and fruits that help relieve stress are avocados, bananas, tea, carrots, yogurt, citrus fruits, almonds, and chocolate.

By: Zineddine Bacha, 11th grade

Biden and Trump

Being the president of the free world has its challenges making it quite rare for a president to remain an honest one? The majority of us think and are told that Joe Biden, the 46th President of the U.S, is an upgrade from Mr. Trump, but is he? Donald Trump was not necessarily a role model type of leader however he was honest. He was openly racist, but I do admit I respect the fact that he was open about it, rather than showing it in indirect ways. Now, I could go on and on about Trump's scandals and all the horrible things he has said about women, people of color, and the disabled. It's the reason he has so many loyal supporters; for just being him and not being scared about it. He was open about not supporting the LGBTQ community, and he followed that, by banning any trans from being a part of the military. Almost everything Trump said he was going to do, he did it. Now, let's talk about Biden- he claimed he is not racist and stated "If you have a problem figuring out whether you're for me or Trump, then you ain't black,". This is inconsiderate because people might vote for Trump for certain gun laws or certain views on abortion or even financial worry. Not everything is about race. Thinking one must vote for any party or candidate because of the color of their skin is a thought that's entire foundation is racist. Also, according to USA Today and In-

sider.com, they stated that in 1977 Biden refused to send his kids to desegregated (primarily black) schools because it will be a "racial jungle" for his kids. When I think of a jungle I



think of animals, and that is beyond disrespectful to minorities. Now, don't get me wrong, primarily black schools weren't the best due to lack of resources because of segregation, but to use the words "racial jungle" is beyond offensive. According to TheWashingtonpost.com, he has also bragged multiple times about working with southern segregationists, and how he agrees with them. This is all ironic to me because he chose a black woman to run with him for office. What do you think of this topic? Disclaimer: I do not support Trump in any which way or respect the fact that he is racist, sexist, and everything in between I am just pointing out that Biden isn't exactly the upgrade we were looking for. With Trump, at least we knew what we were getting rather than our president not telling us practically anything he's doing.

By: Reeyan Soliman, 9th grade

Racism in Islam

Abu Hurairah (ra) reported: The Prophet (صلى الله عليه وسلم) said: "Allah, Most High, has removed from you the pride of the pre-Islamic period and its boasting in ancestors. One is only a pious believer or a miserable sinner. You are sons of Adam, and Adam came from dust. Let the people cease to boast about their ancestors. They are merely fuel in Jahannam; or they will certainly be of less account with Allah than the beetle which rolls dung with its nose." This hadith alone is more than enough proof of where Islam stands when it comes to racism. People often think that, because they come from a certain group of people, they are better than someone that is not from that group. That is an ignorant way of thinking, and is prohibited in Islam. Allah (SWT) has created all of us from the same mud and dirt. No matter who our ancestors are, or where we come from, we are all equally human and servants of Allah.

Slavery was never, and will never be allowed in Islam. Even the word "slave" was despised by the prophet. Prophet Muhammad (SAW) said: "Let not any of you say my slave boy or my slave girl. All of you are slaves of Allah. Instead say this is my young girl or my young man." He said this because the word slave was not a true representation of the person's nature. Even when it came to the captives of war, no mistreatment was allowed in Islam. The prophet said: "Your captives, are your brothers Allah put under your care, so whoever has someone under his care, they should feed them the same food they feed themselves, and attire them with the same cloth they would attire themselves."

When the Prophet (SAW) saw a sahaba beating his slave, he said: "surely Allah can do that to you too." The sahaba stopped and let the slave free. The prophet said to him: "If you had not freed him then you would have been

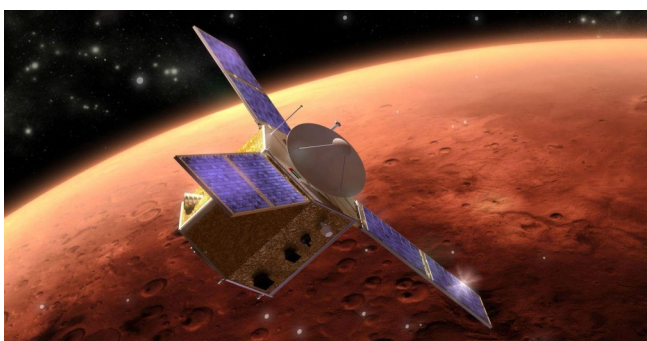
to hell fire." This shows that Islam did not agree about anything with slavery. There is a great punishment for enslaving people. We are all enslaved to Allah. He is our creator and he is the one we will return to when we die.

When I was younger, I used to joke about a lot of things with my friends. Looking back at what we used to say, I realized that a lot of things we said were racist, even though we didn't know better. While reflecting on my past, I realized that I was the way I was because the environment I was around was like that. No one is born racist, they only become racist based on what they see and witness. We can lower the amount of racism in our world by teaching our kids that Islam is a religion of unity and brotherhood, and that we should include everyone and not use specific terms for a certain person.

The first act of racism in human history was when the Almighty created Adam (AS). He commanded all the angels to prostrate to Adam. They all did expect for Iblis. When Allah (SWT) questioned him for his defiance, he responded with: "I am better than he is: You created me from fire and him from clay" (Quran- 7:12). Because Iblis thought he was better than Adam, he refused the command of Allah, ultimately leading him to becoming the Shaytan. This story shows us where racism truly comes from: ignorance and pride. Iblis thought because Adam was not created from fire as he was that made him a lesser being. He let his pride and ignorance take control, so he was exiled from the Heavens. Islam teaches us not to be proud. Allah (SWT) says: "And do not walk on the earth arrogantly. Surely you can neither crack the earth nor stretch to the height of the mountains" (Quran- 17:37).

By: Abdelhamid Inoussa, 8th Grade

The United Arab Emirates First Success-



For the first time ever, the United Arab Emirates sent its first satellite into space during November of last year. It is expected to land on Mars at the end of this month. The reason this is so important is because

this is the first time Arab have entered the conservation of satellites and are trying to find new discoveries outside the solar system. It is usually only NASA that is leading this conversation, so this is why it is important for our people to be represented by what is hopefully a new discovery.

By: Mehdi Muhana, 11th grade

The Perspective Of Racism In Islam

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beetle which rolls dung with its nose" [Sunan Abi Dawud]. We are all the sons of Adam so we all come from the same thing, and Adam comes from dust so it's not like we come from anything great. Anyone who thinks he's better because of his skin color or race is no better to Allah than a beetle that rolls its nose in poop. This hadith is a great representation that Islam is against racism.

The first racist was Shaytan because when Allah said to bow down he said, "I am better than he is: You created me from fire and him from clay" (Surah Al-A'raf Ayah 12). So even from the beginning, Allah didn't tolerate racism. This racism is still going on today, but instead of what we're made out of it's the color of our skin or race. Even in the time of the prophet racism existed in the form of which tribe they came from. The Prophet said there is 4 traits of the days of ignorance that would always stay in Ummah: boasting out your ancestor, denigrating others on the basis of their lineage, and the other two are not related but they are seeking to be given rain by the means of the star and neiah over the dead. These ignorant traits are all rooted in racism, and as you can see racism still exists and hasn't gotten any better from the prophet's time.

How about slavery in Islam? In a hadith, Prophet Muhammad (صلى الله عليه وسلم) said: "Do not say, my slave or my slave girl. You are all the slaves of Allah." Therefore, in the sense of status there exists no slavery except to Allah. How about ap-

parent slavery, which dealt with captivity post-war? Allah said "They are brothers who Allah has placed under your care. So you feed him and dress him as you do. Do not burden him and if you place a duty he cannot handle then assist him" (Hadith of Jami'Tirmidh). Basically, you don't make him any less than you, you're to treat him exactly

as yourself and not to over-work

him. When people say, "well what about Muslim countries like Saudi Arabia which was one of the last countries to abolish slavery?" The truth is many countries do things that does not correctly represent Islam. Islam has never condoned slavery. The Quran and the Sunnah are revelations of morality.

In a hadith, the Prophet said, "You all come from dirt." This shows we all come from a low place and we are equal. Allah also said: "O people, we created you from a single pair of a male and a female, and made you into tribes and nations so that you may know each other. Verily, the most honored of you in the sight of Allah is the one who is most righteous of you." (Surah-Al Hujarat, Ayah 13). He made us into nations and tribes females and males to get to know one another and cooperate but the noblest of you is the one who has piety. The only thing that beautifies us is our character. We can't see each other's character which means we shouldn't treat anyone as less. We should treat everyone equally regardless of the color of their skin.. Only Allah can see everyone's true character; he is the only one who can judge us.

Islam is a religion of peace and it certainly doesn't allow slavery or racism of any kind, whether it's about skin color or where you're from. The only thing in Islam that distinguishes us is our character and as humans we should never judge anyone based on their skin color, status, or race.

By: Fatimah Moussa, 8th Grade

Best Upcoming 2021 Movies

2020 did not provide us with much movies due to the pandemic. Theaters are still closed and all new movies are coming out to streaming services such as Hulu, Netflix and Disney +. However, 2021 is looking to be a year full of cinema with many new interesting movies coming out. Let's take a look at some of the ones I am the most excited about!

4. Raya and the Last Dragon:

Raya and the Last Dragon is Disney's latest project and is looking to be an action-filled movie. The movie takes place 500 years after a great war between dragons and a monster race called "the Druun". Our main character is tasked with defeating the returning Druun with the help of a single dragon.



3. Coming 2 America:



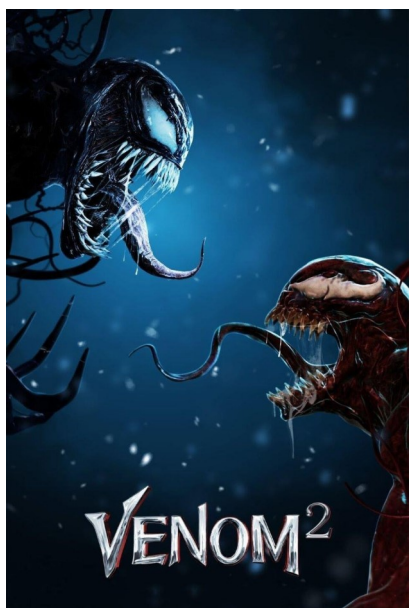
Coming 2 America is a sequel to the classic movie Coming to America that was released in 1988. If you are not aware of the original, it is about a soon to be king wanting to find a wife in America who loves him for being him, rather than for him being a king. This sequel is said to take place after the events of the first.

2. Ghostbusters Afterlife

Ghostbusters Afterlife is a movie made to redeem the latest Ghostbusters movie, which was a reboot and holds the record for the most disliked movie trailer on YouTube ever. This movie is about a single mother and her kids finding out they are connected to the original Ghostbusters and must continue their legacy.



1. Venom



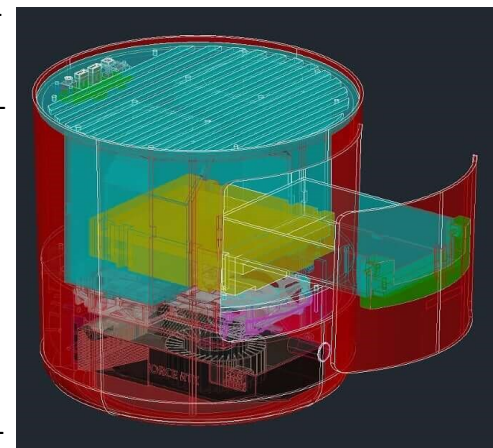
Venom dukes it out with his arch nemesis, Carnage, in the upcoming Venom 2. Carnage is one of the most brutal comic book villains of all time, and this movie will be his first ever on screen appearance, Venom 1 had much potential in it, but was held back by its commonly believed to be boring villain, however this movie will be fixing that problem by giving Venom the biggest challenge he could face.

By: Qasem Alkhatib, 11th grade

KFC Console

The KFC console is a video game system created by the well-known fast food joint KFC and its partner in crime Cooler Master. Cooler Master is a computer hardware manufacturer in Taiwan and they are the main source of this mind blowing console. With the KFC console you can enjoy the newest game titles running on any console while having your own homemade chicken heating up right beside you. This all-in-one system provides the highest quality graphics and one of the fastest processors available today. Though this console was taken as a joke at the start, it's very well an actual machine coming to us for an estimated 2000 dollars, but still the

release date is unknown. So if you're looking for the best console on the



market and some of the tastiest chicken, you're looking for the KFC console!

By: Ghaleb Awawda, 11th grade

Homework Should Be Banned

Many students hate homework and that's why it should be banned. Homework is a problem, and it messes with the mind sometimes. It gives stress, misery, and anxiety, classwork already shows you understand the lesson, and instead of doing homework you should spend more time with your family.

Homework is a problem and sometimes it gives stress and anxiety that messes with your mind especially during Covid. Many people have stress and anxiety and when you get stressed you start hating the teacher and also school. Some students rage when they're stuck on a question, and they throw stuff around and sometimes put their hands in their face and lay on the ground getting very stressed.

Another reason homework should be banned is because classwork already shows you understand the lesson.

Teachers say homework is to know your lesson but it does nothing except give stress so there's no point of homework. Sometimes I get 100% on classwork and homework just lowers my grade.

Family is always the first. Family is before homework or anything else;



family releases stress and makes you feel good. You can play a board games, talk about stuff, go out to the park or anywhere outside, or watch a movie together. Sometimes I'll do homework and my sister doesn't because she has none and she does stuff with my family and I'm alone and stressed, and it's

even more stressful because one of us is free and the other isn't.

In conclusion, homework is a problem and should be banned!

By: Mahir Saadeh, 4th grade

YouTube is a Real Job

YouTube is a real job. Like other jobs, YouTube is something you have to commit and dedicate your life to. YouTube gives people who don't make that much a chance to be successful in life. Many YouTuber's have fun making their videos. The best part is that everyone is different; soooo many YouTuber's have created videos about their personal skills. YouTube isn't something easy, it's a way someone lives their life.

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All YouTubers spend many hours and money to make their videos. YouTube gives people who don't get much money a chance to succeed in life. If YouTuber's get just over 50,000 subscribers they get 90k/month and if you are very successful you can get 10M A YEAR.

Many content creators have fun making their videos, mainly because they can play video games and vlog with their friends while making a lot of money. The best part is that everyone is different and so many YouTuber's have created videos about their personal skills. If you go on YouTube you



will see that there are many different YouTuber's that all do different things. Many YouTuber's do charity streams (that is when they make a video all about giving money to charity) one example is MrBeast, he has donated over 1M dollars to homeless people he finds on the street and to other charity. When content creators make their videos it inspires many young children around the world.

YouTube isn't something easy, it's a way somebody chooses to live their life. Every content creator has a way of doing their videos and living their life. When you watch YouTube everyone has different ways of living. Some choose to live in an apartment with all their friends. Some choose to live with their spouse or live alone in a big house.

Some people doubt me and think YouTube will never make you successful in life, but many YouTuber's make HUNDRED OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS AND SOME EVEN MAKE 10X THAT MUCH!!! And that is why YouTube is a real job/career.

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