

100-Word Rant Examples

Distracted Driving is Deadly *By Eric*

Many drivers choose to multi-task and not focus solely on driving. This is dangerous and it needs to be stopped. Sure, current technology—like Bluetooth hands free technology for telephone calls—seems as if it would be safer. It's not. Studies have shown that drivers communicating with hands-free devices are just as distracted as those holding their phones. Yet people continue to blab away about useless topics and check their twitter feed every two seconds while behind the wheel. Was that text really worth it? According to Autoweek, 3,331 people died from distracted driving in 2011 alone. Don't. Drive. Distracted.

Tests on Mondays? *By Alex*

What is it that could possibly make Mondays any worse? How about a gigantic test. Students go to school during the week—not the weekend. Doesn't a test on that week's material seem more logical on Friday than Monday? To top it all off, Mondays are quite always nauseating. Odds are many students may be unprepared or unconfident. What good does a test do? Teachers may say you have the whole weekend to study. Not really. It's more like you have the whole weekend to attempt refreshing your memory on what you worked so hard to understand the previous week.

Enough With the Open-Mouthed Chewing *by Alexa*

There is nothing more ghastly than taking a seat behind a plate of delicious food and having your ritual mealtime disrupted by tablemates who cannot contain their chewing noises. Being that it is rude to leave the table and ruder to shield your ears from the excess noise, us polite eaters are forced to endure the cacophonous sounds of our neighbors gnawing on their food like scavengers of the wild. Although it might be hard to contain the animalistic instinct to scarf, keep in mind that we are civilized humans, not cows. Now take a breath, and chew your food.

Breaking Up With the Boyfriend I Babysit *by Mahsa*

Dear three-year-old boy who I babysit: I can't do it anymore — we need to end this. You scream, you bite, you cry, and when you're not doing one of the three options, you're taking a nap (which lasts for what seems like five minutes). One second you want to play Monopoly and the next you're begging me to take you to the park; you're so indecisive. The only thing you agree to eat is candy, which, evidently, makes you more wired than you were to begin with. I feel like a miserable mom of three just taking care of you alone, so I'm sorry, but we are over.

Make-Up: Do We Really Need It? *By Anne*

Hey, we all know that girls love make-up (or at least most of them). However, do we really need to spend such a big chunk of the morning just doing our make-up for school? Wearing make-up in everyday life seems impractical to me—furthermore, wearing it for an occasion as simple as high school just seems ridiculous. Is looking pretty really worth all the hassle? Beauty doesn't mask itself with a painted face. Wouldn't you want to know the person beneath the skin? Instead of enhancing our looks, let's focus on bettering ourselves. You're beautiful. So don't conceal yourself.