

# Bard: A Place to Gleek

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Has this ever happened to you? It's a cold, windy Saturday night at Bard College. You are at a party and it's a rager. The music is bumping hard and you feel alive. Then the song stops as it makes that sweet, sensual transition unto the next song. You hear the first few chords and recognize it immediately. It is "Womanizer" by Britney Spears. You try to go back to dancing with your friends, but there's something clawing at you from the inside. There is an urge that you are trying your hardest to resist, but it is too strong. It's almost primal. You try to keep this fire within, but before you know it, the most isolating, coo coo crazy phrase escapes your lips: "oh my god.....they sung this on glee." A hush falls over the room. The music stops and there's a record scratch even though it was definitely being played on someone's cracked iPhone 8. The friends you once thought you had turn away from you, trying their best to distance themselves from the mess that you've created. No, the mess that you *are*. What else can you do than run away? You run, you run so far away.

If this has happened to you, i hate to tell you, but you may very well be a gleek. You may fear being

shunned from society by admitting you enjoy a nice suckle at ryan murphy's teat. Do not worry your silly little head. You are not alone.

There is a way to cope with being a former gleek in college.

Step One: Acceptance

## Which Muppet Are You?

ZOE KAPERONIS



What element is your Zodiac sign?

- I. Earth
- II. Fire
- III. Water
- IV. Air

What is your favorite color out of all the colors?

- I. Red
- II. Green
- III. Pink
- IV. Blue

Which Muppet film is your favorite?

- I. The Muppets 11
- II. The Muppets Take Hell's Kitchen
- III. The Muppet Film
- IV. The Significant Muppet Heist

What's your favorite style of home?

- I. Ranch
- II. Victorian
- III. Split-level
- IV. Cave

Which is your favorite Muppet Show guest star?

- I. Rita Milano
- II. John Elton
- III. Alice Pooper
- IV. Lisa Minnoollie

If you chose mostly I: Kazoo

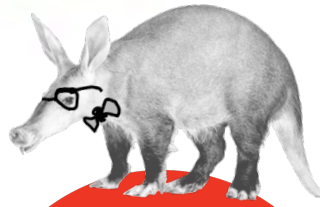
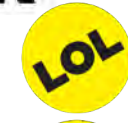
If you chose mostly II: Fizzy Beer

If you chose mostly III: Miss Poggy

If you chose mostly IV: Carpet



# BUZZVARK



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Think you've got the chops to write for the Bardvark? Interesting. Perhaps you do.



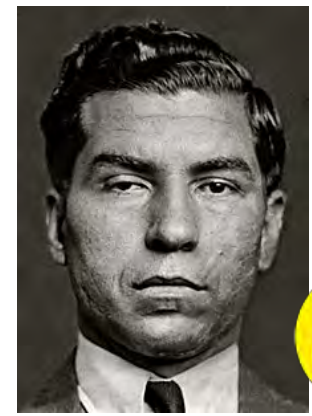
BRAD Comedy  
Brought to you by .....

## Tell Me What You Call These:



## and I'll Tell You That I'm Trapped in the Trunk of my Car.

Please Let Me Out. The Car is Parked in the Lot of the Kingston Hannaford. It is so, so Hot in Here. As I Was Bringing a Bag of Groceries to my Car, I Reached for my Keys, Which Were in my Pocket, and When I Pulled Them Out, I Dropped the Bag, and the Banana I Bought Fell Out onto the Ground, and I Slipped on it Right into the Trunk as the Bag of Groceries as Well as the Keys I Just Retrieved Simultaneously Flew out of My Hand. As I Fell, I Managed to Grab the Trunk Door in an Attempt to Slow my Fall, and in Doing so, Slammed Said Door and Now I'm Trapped. My Shirt is Caught in the Door, and it's Kind of Choking Me, but I'm Fine. That Was Two Days Ago. I Want to Emphasize that I Still Really Could Use Some Help, Though. Let me out. It's Smelly. I've Been Living Off of the Banana Residue from the Bottom of my Shoe, but it's Mostly Peel Now. Also, if you Have the Time, I Would Love to Know What That Thing I Showed You at the Beginning of the Article Was. You Can Just Whisper into my Ear What You Call them as You Carry Me to the Hospital, in Between Sweet Musings of Comfort and Love. I am so Excited to Hear Your Hands Fiddling with the Trunk Latch. To Feel Your Gentle Hands Brush my Suddenly Long, White with Age Hair out of my Eyes, Wet With Tears of Relief. I'd Really Like to Know What They're Called so I Can Ask for Them at the Supermarket Next Time.



## Take this quiz to find out which Famous Pop Culture Icon you are!!!

CLARE HERZOG

Are you a Mariah or a Gaga?

What do you value most in life?

- I. Leadership and Determination
- II. Intelligence and Organization
- III. Spontaneity and Resourcefulness
- IV. Honesty and Compassion
- V. Wit and Independence

If your Life were a Movie, which genre would it be??

- I. James Bond spy
- II. Romance
- III. Car-Chase Action
- IV. Family Watch-Together
- V. Mobster

What's your Life Motto?

- I. Birds of a Feather Flock Together
- II. A Little Learning is A Dangerous Thing
- III. There is a Method to the Madness
- IV. Actions Speak Louder Than Words
- V. Shoot First, Ask Questions Later

What's Your Harry Potter House?

- I. Gryffindor
- II. Ravenclaw
- III. Slytherin
- IV. Hufflepuff
- V. Fuck y'all I'm a Dementor >:(

If You Could Only Eat One Kind of Bread for the Rest of Your Life, Which Would it Be?

- I. Rye, and only on a Cuban Sandwich, so I'll be eating Cubans for the rest of my Life i guess
- II. I don't eat gluten
- III. Everything Bagels
- IV. Uncrustables
- V. Olive Garden's Unlimited Breadsticks

Go back and tally up your results! If you mostly

answered with I, you're Skipper from Penguins of Madagascar; if you mostly answered with II, you're Kowalski from Penguins of Madagascar; if you mostly answered with III, you're Rico from Penguins of Madagascar; if you mostly answered with IV, you're Private from Penguins of Madagascar; and if you mostly answered with V, you are infamous Italian Mobster, Charles "Lucky" Luciano.



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# TASTY



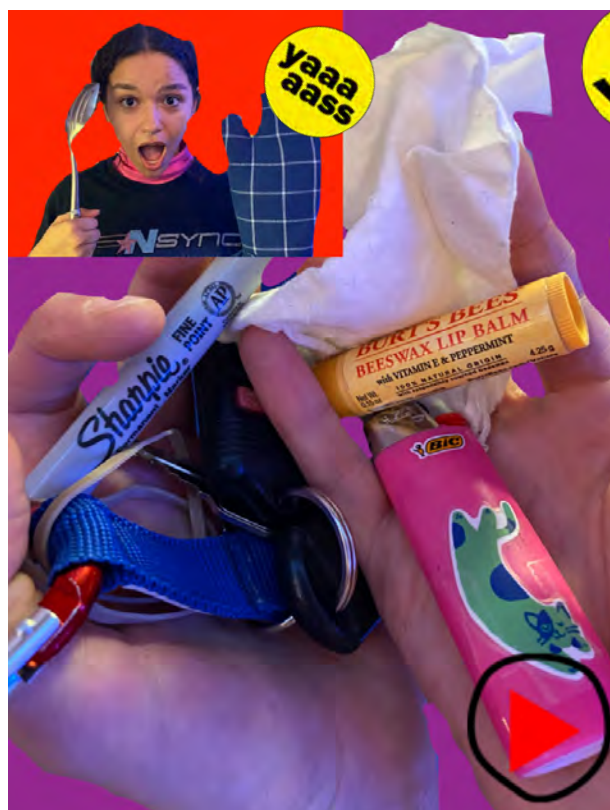
Overcoming your fear of yogurt \*emotional\*



80 YEAR OLD EGG!

yaaa aass

80 year old egg reaction!



yaaa aass

win

Trail mix recipe with ingredients you already have!

## NEWS

117 cats that look absolutely zany!

I get paid by the word like charles dickens.

fail

I watched *Home Sweet Home Alone* so you don't have to. No, seriously, don't watch it.

ZOE KAPERONIS

*Home Alone* and its sequel *Home Alone 2: Lost in New York* are Christmas classics. And now that Disney owns the rights to them, there was no avoiding a sequel that could single-handedly ruin a franchise. *Home Sweet Home Alone* did not disappoint—it was unwatchable. The plot centers around that nerd kid from *Jojo Rabbit* now playing a spoiled brat who drinks way too much soda. He also may or may not have stolen a doll worth \$200,000 from a family selling their house after the father loses his job. Because that's a kid worth rooting for to beat up the bad guys... Sorry, I mean two well-meaning parents trying to get back what was rightfully theirs in the first place.

This made me unreasonably upset. I can't even articulate how angry I am. Why did this have to exist? I love British comedy as much as the next guy but this was just an insult to every Python in

existence. It isn't even a comedy. Just the kid and his mom are British. Why?????? Why are Brits in Chicago? Go back to London, you wankers! I am in physical pain after watching this movie. As if my feet were burned and exploded with mentos in coke bottles and slammed with weights flying off a treadmill (these are all real events that happened to the parents in the movie).

Do yourself a favor and do what the movie (and the little British punk) deserve: leave it home alone this holiday season. Don't bring it with you. Forget it. Just watch the original two *Home Alones* or even better, watch *The Muppet Christmas Carol* now streaming on Disney Plus. No, wait— just watch *The Princess Switch* (it's awesome). Or *The Princess Switch 2: Switched Again*. Or *The Princess Switch 3: Romancing the Star*, each with more Vanessa Hudgeses than the last.

The new DTR menu system sucks so bad that it compelled me to drink on a weeknight and I learned that DTR getting rid of free drinks with meal swaps means I have to pay for drink

mixers again, and here are 7 reasons why that is #transphobic

VERONICA ANDREK

(historical document) (from the archive)

- #1. I'm trans and therefore hot, everything should be free
  - #2. Doesn't Bard know that substance abuse amongst us transgendereds is astronomical? Can't they at least help out with the cost?
  - #3. Bard is already so hostile to its (trans) students in so many ways, and this just seems kinda mean at this point
  - #4. Goddamn it, Mommy really needs a rum and flat diet pepsi from DTR's drink fountain to get through this next week of finals
  - #5. How many of these stupid fucking reasons did I say I would give? Christ, i'm hungover, and yes I am aware that this editorial meeting is at 8 pm on a weeknight, shut up
  - #6. ????
  - #7. Are we finally at 7? Thank god, I couldn't go another minute with all this attention on me
- And that's why DTR is [editors' note: put a punchline here].



Cooking videos on Youtube: better than sex?

Take this quiz to find out your style of "cumming"

The accuracy will scare you...

omg

It's Time We Talked About Those For Dummies Books and How Mean They Are

Put together an outfit and we will burn it for you!

President Joe Biden and VP Kamala Harris are Reinventing The Gaslight-Gatekeep-Girlboss Dynamic By Personally Turning On The White House Stovetops And Saying They Didn't, and It's Giving Us All Such #yasssfeminist Vibes

Decorate a middle school locker and we'll tell you if you're a girl who looks like her dad!

If u had wallpaper in there u def have ur dad's chin :/

wtf

85 reasons you should dump your podcaster boyfriend, and fuck his best friend

Choose Your Favorite Photos of Disfigured Dogs and We'll Tell You Which *Squid Game* Game You're Most Like

We Can Guess Your Sign But First Choose Your Favorite Religious Christmas Carols

The top 25 greemples that'll make you plob in no time

26 reasons that your favorite color makes you liable in a court of law for killing my ex-husband

Will Smith killed pop culture but saved our business from another corporate restructure!

Buzzfeed was cofounded by two people, one who hates Will Smith and one who loves him. Together they keep him in the public eye... but at what cost?

10 reasons you should be fired from your job but haven't because your company is under-staffed and your work is "fine", Leslie

win