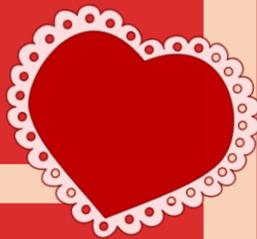


Pride Time Vol. 5

# Things to do on Valentine's day!



Something fun you can do is get together with a small group of family and throw a little Valentine's day party! With fun things to do.



Another thing you can do to celebrate valentine's day, is to do fun crafts. That's a great option right now because of the pandemic! Here is a link to a video you can watch to look at some crafts you can do!

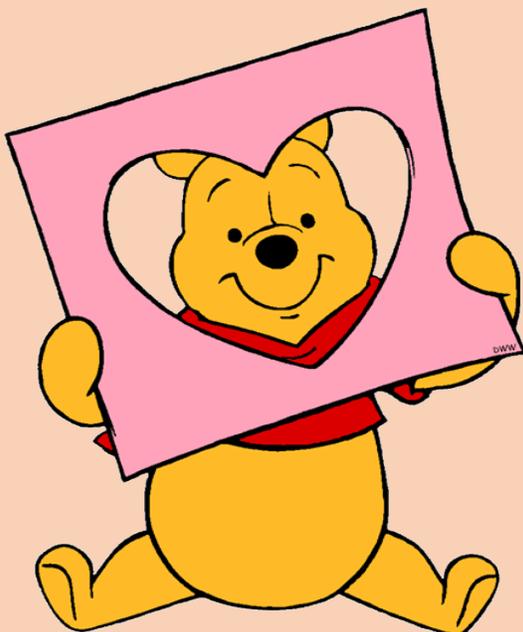
[DIY Valentine's Day Baskets](#)

You can also just simply do nothing and take some time to yourself. You can click the link to see what you like to do on valentines' day!

[Vote here for the best Valentine's Day!](#)

If this stuff does not give you an idea on what to do for valentine's day here is another list:

1. Bake something sweet
2. Play tourist in your own town
3. Have breakfast in bed
4. Go on a drive
5. Go on a hike
6. Exchange gifts to your family or other loved ones



# Cute Valentine's Day Jokes

Q: What did the calculator say to the pencil on Valentine's day?

A: You can always count on me!!

Happy Valentine's Day!



Q: What did one blueberry say to another blueberry on Valentine's day?  
A: I love you Berry much!!



Q: What kind of flower do you never give on valentine's day?  
A: Cauliflowers!!



Q: What do you call a vampire's sweetheart?  
A: Their ghoul friend!!



Q: What do single people call valentine's day?  
A: Happy Independence day!!



# Cute Valentine's Day Jokes (Part 2)

Q: What did one Cat say to the other?

A: Your purr-fect for me!!



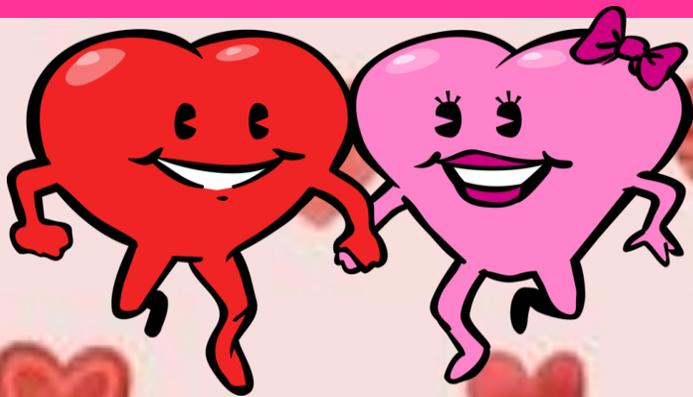
HAPPY  
VALENTINE'S  
DAY ♥

Q: What did one light bulb say to the other?

A: I love you a whole watt!!

Q: Do skunks celebrate valentine's day?

A: Sure! Their very scent-imental!!



Q: What do you call two birds in love?

A: Tweethearts!!

Q: What do you call a small valentine?

A: A valentiny!!





Since 2015, Hoverboards have been the popular choice of Christmas gifts for many children around the world. Even celebrities get a chance to ride these. But Hoverboards can be dangerous too!

In 2015 and 2016, Over 25,000 children were sent to the hospital because of hoverboard accidents. The most common types of injuries were bone fractures.

In 2016, over 500k hoverboards were recalled after dangerous battery explosions occurred.

That said, if you want to have an injure, explosion-free experience on your hoverboard, play nice with it, and don't get it wet.

Source: [SCARY HOVERBOARDS](#)

# Pokémon (Sun/!)Moon Eeveelution guide: How to get all of the Eeveelutions!



To get Vaporeon, you have to buy/find a water stone. After you've bought/ found a water stone, you have to use it on your Eevee. Then boom! You now have a Vaporeon.



To get Leafeon, you need to go into the lush jungle. Once you are in the lush jungle, you go up to the giant moss rock. You touch it, and the game says something. After that, level up your Eevee. Then boom! You now have a Leafeon.



To get Espeon, you need to get your Eevee's friendliness up. If you catch your Eevee in a certain ball, it'll make it easier, but once you get an Eevee, start feeding it certain berries to make it friendlier. To check it's friendliness you need to find a lady by the stone store. Make sure you're evolving your Eevee during the day! Then boom! You now have an Espeon.



To get Umbreon, you need to get your Eevee's friendliness up. If you catch your Eevee in a certain ball, it'll make it easier, but once you get an Eevee, start feeding it certain berries to make it friendlier. To check it's friendliness you need to find a lady by the stone store. Make sure you're evolving your Eevee during the night! Then boom! You now have an Umbreon.



To get Glaceon, you need to go to the pokémon league, go inside the mountain, and find the giant ice rock. Once you find the ice rock, touch it, the game will say something, level up your Eevee. Then boom! You now have a Glaceon.



To get Flareon, you have to buy/find a fire stone. After you've bought/ found a fire stone, use it on your Eevee. Then boom! You now have a Flareon.



To get Sylveon, you'll need to get your Eevee up to 2 hearts in the Pokémon refresh tab. After that, you'll need to level up your Eevee. Then boom! You now have a Sylveon.



To get Jolteon, you have to buy/find a thunder stone. After you've bought/ found a thunder stone, use it on your Eevee. Then boom! You now have a Jolteon.



# DUMB SUES



## 1) Thief rewarded for injury.

A young man of 19 located in Los Angeles, CA was awarded \$74,000 (plus medical expenses!) when his neighbor accidentally ran over his hand with his car. The man was unaware that there was someone behind the wheel of the car...while he was trying to steal the hubcaps off his neighbor's car.



## 2) Family sues

A lady in Austin, TX was given \$80,000 after she broke her ankle tripping over a child who was running inside a store, she was shopping in. The store owners were very surprised by the verdict because the toddler running in the store was the woman's son.

## Student's voice!

[Click here for more information](#)

[Click here to vote what you think.](#)

# Mily's Mysteries: The Visitor of Van Meter

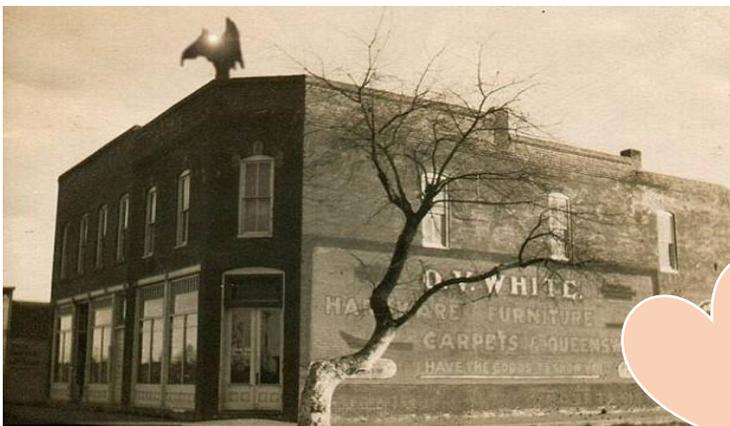
[Article on the Van  
Meter Visitor](#)



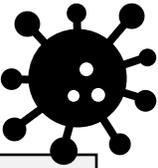
In 1903 (about 117 years ago) in a small town in Iowa called Van Meter, a bird looking creature with a glowing horn came. The first people to see it were at the highest rank, they were all Bachelors. After a while, more people had seen it. There was never evidence this was a hoax yet there was never enough evidence that it was 100% real since the only picture they really have of it is quite far away, yet the "horn" is glowing so much, reminder this was in the early 20th century meaning that they couldn't have such a costume so if it was a hoax then the whole town was in it.

What happened to the Visitor of Van Meter: Well after seeing it in Various places like building tops and telephone stands the people finally tried to get the creature killed after the men gathered "to rid the earth of them" the creature went into a mine shaft and was never seen again.

Why haven't we solved this mystery? Well since it's been 117 years you expect the mystery to be solved but sadly no, this might be one of the mysteries that just stays how it is since it was so long ago and if the monster was a human disguised it was probably at least 13 and that would mean that if the Van Meter Visitor was a hoax then the person who was under the costume is dead by now and since this was over 100 years ago there won't be any people who saw the strange creature alive and since there is only 1 picture and it's from far away so for now this mystery can stay unsolved.



# Facts about Covid 19 you should know



Covid 19 was first discovered in Wuhan China, in December 2019. If you have had Covid before there is a slight chance you can get reinfected it's a very little chance but quite possible. So, everyone should be careful and take caution. As, the year ended the US surpassed 20 million infections and over 346,000 deaths all around the US.



Covid 19 symptoms:

Fever or chills

Cough

Shortness of breath

Fatigue

Muscle or body aches

Headache

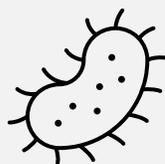
New loss ,taste, or smell

Sore throat

Congestion or runny nose

Nausea or vomiting

If you have any of these symptoms, please see a doctor



## MENTAL HEALTH AND COPING DURING CORONAVIRUS

### REACTIONS YOU MAY FEEL INCLUDE:

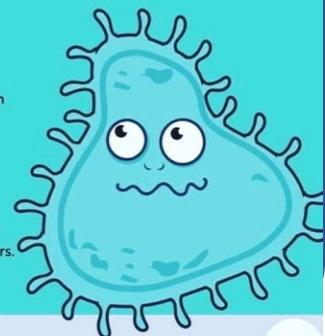
- Fear and worry about your own health status and that of your loved ones.
- Changes in sleep or eating patterns.
- Difficulty concentrating.
- Worsening of chronic health problems.
- Increased use of alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs.

### TAKING CARE OF YOUR WELLBEING:

- Connect with people
- Decide on your routine
- Try to keep active
- Keep your mind stimulated
- Take care with news and information
- Find ways to relax and be creative

### THINGS YOU CAN DO TO SUPPORT YOURSELF:

- Avoid excessive exposure to media coverage of Coronavirus.
- Take care of your body. Take deep breaths, stretch or meditate. Try to eat healthy, well-balanced meals, exercise regularly, get plenty of sleep and avoid alcohol and drugs.
- Make time to unwind and remind yourself that strong feelings will fade.
- Connect with others and share your concerns and how you are feeling with friends or family members.
- Maintain healthy relationships.
- Maintain a sense of hope and positive thinking.



# Genshin Impact graphics: School computer vs Gaming PC.

Genshin Impact is an RPG game that is similar to The Legend of Zelda. Some people say it's the copy, some don't. But we're not here to discuss that, we're here to discuss the graphics on Genshin Impact. The 2 different devices I will be testing on are a school computer, and a gaming PC. If you want to test the graphics for yourself since I can't provide pictures, then you'll need an admin user and password to download Genshin Impact on your school computer. You can download it on a normal gaming PC without an admin user and password.

A gaming PC is a computer mainly for gaming, meaning the graphics have to be pretty good right? Well, at first the graphics were a little choppy and slow, but once the settings were adjusted the game looked amazing! The shadows were on point, it wasn't choppy, etc!



A school computer is a computer/laptop used for school, meaning some things are blocked, and some aren't. Now, onto the graphics- the graphics are honestly really good, but it takes a while to get into the actual game. It also lags your computer really bad. (Honestly, I haven't even gotten past the loading screen as I'm typing this.) I recommend NOT playing Genshin Impact on a school computer....



# Is Donald Trump going to be impeached by the senate?



Right now, there's a lot of things in the air with Donald Trump being impeached... if you don't already know Trump arranged a protest to take place in the U.S capitol, that progressed to killing 5 people and injuring many, this will result in a possible impeachment for the second time by the senate after Trump admits he put people up to it, he said this, "People will march to the capitol, peacefully and patriotically, make their voices heard" but he later says this, "if you don't fight you're not going to have a country anymore." the statement he made encouraged people to do what he asked. Trump has been impeached by the house of representatives, but the senate needs to decide if they want to impeach trump and give him a trial

[Click Here to Vote if Donald Trump Should be Impeached](#)



Some people may ask, why did he do it? Trump did it because he thinks that Biden cheated somehow in the debate and Trump still wants to be president. He wants the people who counted the votes to re do it, but it doesn't work that way... but Trump already left

How does an impeachment work??

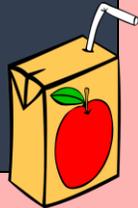
on the chief executive." Impeachment works just like this; people get to vote if they still want the president or if they want them out of office but it not just people then the senate gets to make the official vote and then give that president a trial, kind of like jail... or in official words this is what a impeachment is, "impeachment is the ultimate check



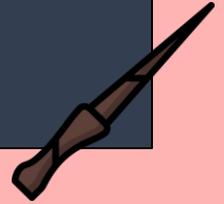


# SHOWER THOUGHTS

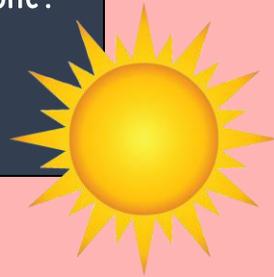
Why aren't iPhone chargers just called apple juice?



What if Harry Potter never went to Hogwarts and made-up false realities to cope with living under the stairs?



What if you ARE a morning person but you're in the wrong time zone?



What if dogs destroy shoes because we always put them on before leaving?



What if mars had water because we used to live there and we messed up so badly, they had to send an escape pod to earth with only Adam and Eve in it?



Why does it not sound creepy when we say "have a nice day" but when we say "enjoy the next 24 hours" we just sound creepy?



What if you're the reflection in the mirror and you're just a person copying another person?



# February Horoscopes 2021



## Aquarius

Be more discrete at the parties you get invited to, so you don't trigger unnecessary discussions. Have fun, enjoy the company of people, but avoid gossip because the planets have a negative influence on communication when it comes to your zodiac sign. You could lose a friend you care about!

## Pisces

Jupiter retreats in the house of prosperity, but not before helping you to make a happy change in your home. You redecorate and spend more money than you have wanted to. Consistent earnings can be expected in February, so don't worry! In the second part of February, your financial life is going to get better.

## Sagittarius

Don't venture into signing new contracts or starting new professional partnerships, but instead focus your time and attention on your lover.

## Aries

The month of February has many pleasant surprises for Aries. In general, 2021 will be a period of success for Aries, even if they need to make considerable efforts for it. For everything to run smoothly, you need to work and don't refuse to go on any trips occurring in the second month of the year.

## Scorpio

The romantic relationships are under the influence of Uranus, Venus, and Neptune, which means that things will get exciting. After February 19, you may receive some money-related news. In terms of career, you can expect some challenges, and health-wise, you need more rest.

## Libra

The next period is encouraging but overfilled with all kinds of projects. You will research, analyze, guide others at work, and enjoy an increasingly privileged position. You will need to travel on short distances, which could turn out to be a beautiful business trip, with a lot of work, but also with rewards.

## Taurus

Enjoy your friends, new relationships, and the love of your family. Venus can open a new door in your private life, a new friendship, the maximum point of which you will experience in six months. It could be about a partner in an earth element sign (Virgo or Capricorn) that will offer you balance.

## Gemini

Venus smiles upon you if you are daring. At work, don't miss any meetings because you may have the surprise of being sent on business trips. The month of February is a perfect time to advance in your career or find another work domain that will attract you more and facilitate quick progress, according to the prediction of the February 2021 Horoscope.

## Virgo

The Sun is less vibrant in your case, so you can also expect more tense situations in all regards, which will, however, be like a wake-up call to reality. Financial success comes due to your creativity and openness to new things. Try to be less of a perfectionist.

## Leo

Good omens in your emotional or even romantic life, while Uranus will give you a helping hand in social activities. In the second part of the month, you receive good news health-wise, but until then, be prudent with your expenses. Someone will request your help in a project, and you will gladly get involved.

## Cancer

Jupiter helps you now more than ever to fulfill your great desires related to your private life. In the first part of February, you will receive good news regarding success, or exceptional earnings, which will allow you to travel more. In the second part of the month, you will experience some special romantic moments.

## Capricorn

Financial prosperity is supported by your family members. In love, you will encounter some issues, but there are some scores to settle, and now is a perfect time. During this period, career is more for pleasure, and you can expect more money only starting in June.

# What Is Valentine's Day?



What is valentine's day? Well, for starters, valentine's day occurs every February 14<sup>th</sup>. Valentine's day is also called "Saint Valentine's day". This day is to celebrate love with greetings or gifts! You may be thinking what kind of love? Well, it can be any, for example, the friendship love that you have for your friends!

## The Origins Of Valentine's Day

To go in more detail where this holiday originated, let's learn about its origins. This holiday has origins in the Roman festival of Lupercalia, held in mid - February. The festival, which celebrated the coming of spring.

## Where Did Valentine's Day Start?

The first Valentine's Day was in the year 496! Celebrating Valentine's Day is a very old tradition!

## In Conclusion,

Valentine's Day is an important day to give gifts or express to someone you love, that could be the love that you have for your friendships with your friends at school, a teacher or even a pet you have.

I know these days, it seems like you need to have a girl/boy friend in order to celebrate Valentine's Day, but that is not true. For example, YOU, yes YOU reading this, my gift to you is a virtual hug!

Remember to make February 14<sup>th</sup> a special day to really be thankful for some of the amazing people in your life that you love!



## Here Is Some Links For Friend Gift Ideas!

1.

<https://www.womenshealthmag.com/life/a19995182/valentines-day-gifts-for-your-single-friend/>

2.

<https://www.amazon.com/Valentines-Day-Gifts-Your-Best-Friend/s?k=Valentine%27s+Day+Gifts+for+Your+Best+Friend>

## Valentine's Day Quotes

1.

<https://www.proflowers.com/blog/valentines-day-quotes>

2.

<https://allgiftsconsidered.com/valentines-day-quotes-for-family/>



# Haunted History with Mrs. Jones

Audra lived in Galveston, Tx and was married to a mariner who would go out on fishing trips all the time and would be out for a while. She always knew the day when he would be returning because her husband would tell her. She would go to Hotel Galvez a few days before the ship came in and would stay at room 105. She chose this room because she was right next to the elevator and so it was easy to access the ladder to the roof. She would climb up to the roof and sit on a turret and watch the boat come in.

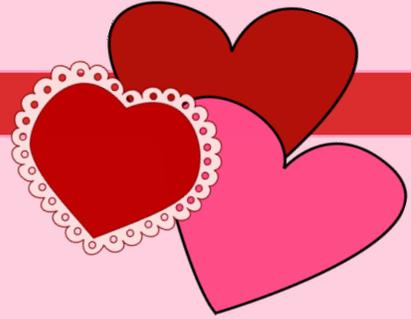
One time her husband was returning, and she got word that the ship had sunk, and the entire crew had died. After learning this she was so upset she hanged herself on that turret, but it turns out her husband survived the ship. Her husband came to the hotel because he knew she would be there and discovered her body. From then on room 501 was haunted and most people couldn't get inside because some force was preventing the cards from working. Any women that managed to enter the room would be overwhelmed with sadness and guilt and would leave the room immediately.



*Happy Valentine's Day*



# Goodrell News!



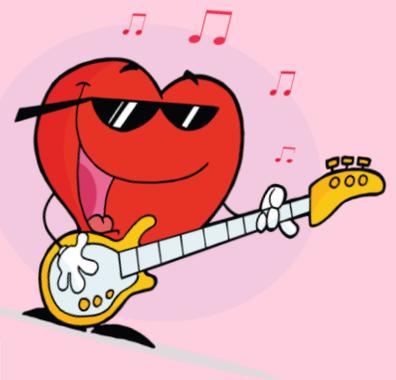
**IMPORTANT:** "Track & Field will start on March 8<sup>th</sup> for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders, we are starting sign-ups . There is a possibility this will be the first sport that competes normally with events against other schools, so we want to be proactive about getting physicals for students that need them. "so, if you want to sign up you need to do so now. If you have any questions, contact Mr. Power."

[Track & Field Sign-Up.](#)

DJ Club should start the first week of February.

Soccer & Ultimate Games Club is meeting in-person on Wednesdays. Students should contact Mr. Rush if they want to get signed up.

Spirit week will also be starting soon also and in addition to spirit week we will be kicking off an activity challenge where students can win prizes for participation.



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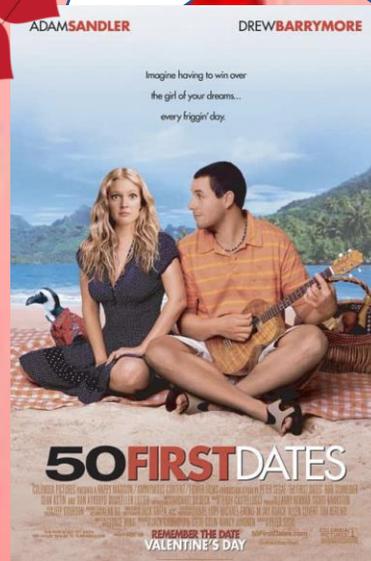
List of movies to watch on  
Valentine's Day

Vote for the  
best love  
story in a  
movie!

Number 1-  
The Princess  
Bride



Number 2-  
Big Sick



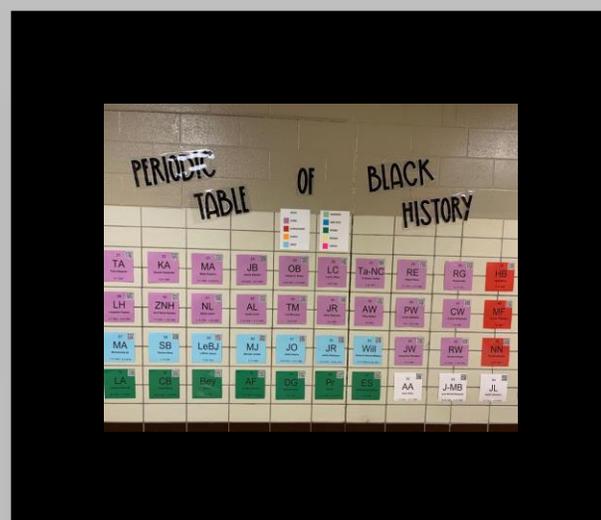
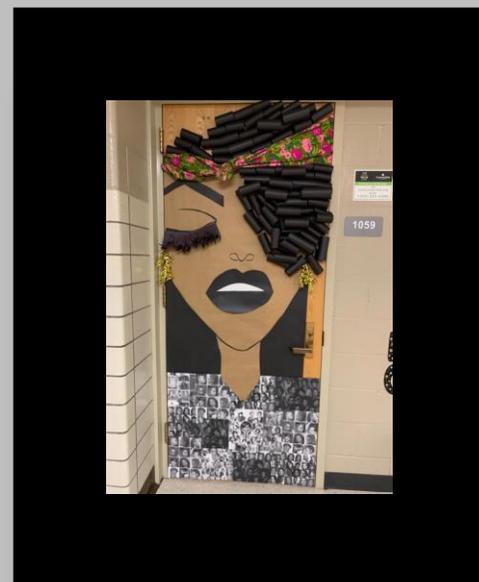
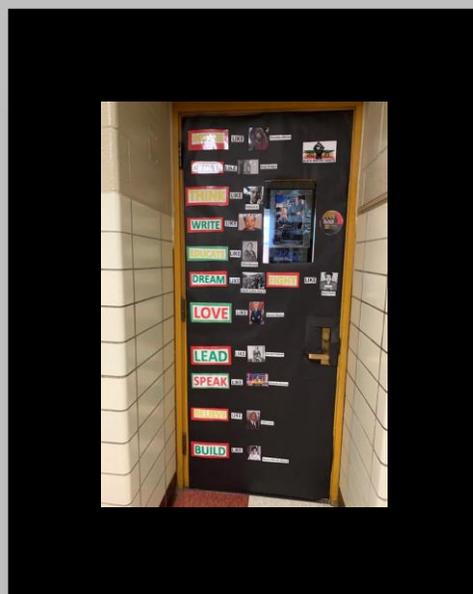
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# BLACK HISTORY

## *Around our school*

In honor of black history month, Goodrell is celebrating the importance of the black community by hanging up these posters around our school! They can be found near the cafeteria, the learning lounge, or the 8th grade hallway!





Braddons FUNNY PICKUP  
LINES FOR VALENTINE'S  
DAY

I must be a  
snowflake,  
because I've fallen  
for you.

Somebody  
better call God,  
because he's mi  
ssing an angel.

I think I need a library  
card because I need  
to check you out.

- Well, here I am. What are your other two wishes?
- Are you French? Because Eiffel for you.
- There is something wrong with my cell phone.  
It doesn't have your number in it.
- I must be in a museum, because you truly are a work of art.
- Is your name Google? Because you have  
everything I've been searching for.
- Did the sun come out or did you just smile at me?.
- Are you a bank loan? Because you got my interest.
- Hey, my name's Microsoft. Can I crash at your place  
tonight?

## Money spent around the world on valentine's day

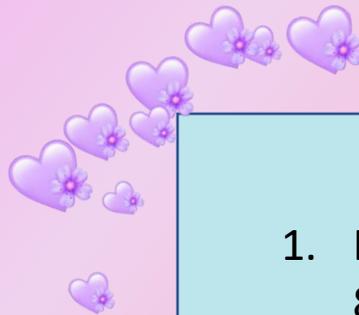


As everyone knows Valentine's day is very expensive, now due to money differences around the world, how much does each country spend? Now I won't be including ALL countries, just the top 5 who spend the most.

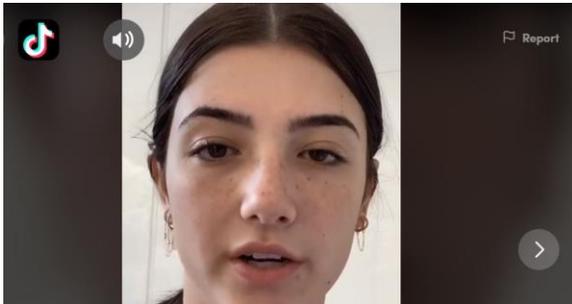
## Countries

1. Italy spending about 855.39 on average per person
2. Australia spending about 90 dollars on average per person
3. The USA, which in total spent 18.2 billion dollars.
4. Switzerland
5. Denmark

<https://blog.batchgeo.com/cities-that-break-bank-valentines-day/>



# Big Tiktok star Charli D'Ameilo losing her hype



Is it true Charli D'Amelio cried on her live? Charli D'Amelio in fact did cry after losing 1 million followers. After people were cancelling Charli she was questioning if she should just quit Tiktok. Also, after Charli taking a trip to the Bahamas with a few friends during this pandemic gets cancelled for not taking precautions about Covid-19.



Charli D'Amelio is the most followed person on Tiktok, but this 16-year-old dancer lost nearly over a million followers after people watched this YouTube video that appeared, she was ungrateful. Charli D'Amelio became the first person to reach 100 million followers on Tiktok. Although rumors say that she buys some of her followers for fame.



# The PS5



# the Xbox series x



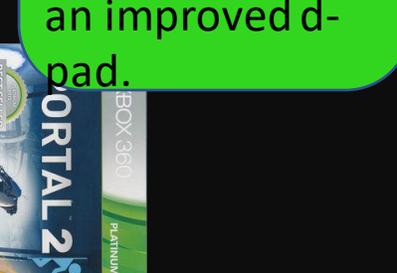
So, the ps5 came out in 2020 and everyone was scrambling to get one due to the praise of the interactive controller the dual sense. And now that I have it, I see that there are a lot of similarities with the older brother the PS4. 1. the PS5 supports backwards compatibility, acting as a PS PRO for

PS4 games. 2. the PS5 controller Features only work For PS5 games 3. now The ps4 has connect Play with the PS5. 4. The controller has a Feature that allows it To have a mic built in To it .



From what I've heard the xbox series x focuses more on the graphics than the ps5 (but the controller is bland) and now some fun facts that I picked up. 1, there is a xbox series x fridge (why !?) 2, the graphics are so good

that they surpass all gaming pcs. 3, the backwards compatibility goes all the way back to the original xbox. 4, the controller has a new share button as well as an improved d-pad.



# What's on Netflix February 2021

There are a few new things coming out on Netflix this February and here a little list of some things. (these are not in order but it's the bottom box to top box.)

- \* Eat Prey Love
- \* Heartland (season 2)
- \* Beverly hills ninja
- \* Money talks
- \* Rock
- \* Shutter island
- \* The bank job
- \* Zac and Mia
- \* Kid comic
- \* All my friends are dead
- \* Black beach
- \* Firefly line
- \* Invisible city
- \* Little big woman
- \* The world we make
- \* Capitani
- \* Layla Majnun
- \* Middle of nowhere
- \* ed dot

- \* Nadiya Blakes
- \* Buried by the Bernards
- \* Monsoon
- \* The big day
- \* The crew
- \* Animal on the loose
- \* Behind her eyes
- \* Hello, me
- \* No escape room
- \* I care a lot
- \* Classmate minus
- \* The conjuring
- \* The conjuring 2
- \* Made you look
- \* Pelé
- \* Geez and Ann
- \* Big foot family
- \* Call me crazy



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