

Web Designer's Knowledge of HTML, CSS Fails to Impress Women

MERIDIAN, MS—24-year-old novice website designer Victor Edmunds failed to impress two women Friday night with his newfound knowledge of HTML and CSS. Edmunds approached both women at a local bar hoping to woo them with technical jargon, but was quickly ignored by both of them. "I just don't get it," said Edmunds. "I went up to the first girl and, you know, casually worked HTML into the conversation and then all of a sudden she said she had to meet someone someplace." HTML is short for Hyper Text Markup Language and, along with CSS

(Cascading Style Sheets), is commonly used to write code for websites. Edmunds' knowledge of CSS also failed to elicit excitement from a local female. "The second girl was really hot so I thought I'd throw a line at her like, 'Hey, baby, I can write some pretty good cascading style sheets, but they can't compare to your style sheet.' But then she said something about wanting to get home to watch 'Friends' or something. I guess chicks don't dig web designing as much as I thought," said Edmunds. *(go online for more news...www.thecabbage.com)*

English Teacher "Appalled" by Bathroom Stall Grammar

GREEN BAY, WI—Madison Junior High School teacher Kenneth Beckley was "shocked and grotesquely appalled" by several student-written passages in the men's bathroom on Monday morning. The 37-year-old English teacher was "sorely disappointed" in his students' grammar, syntax, penmanship, and diction.

Beckley refused to specify as to the "uncouthness" of the language used, but was quick to criticize the writers' techniques. "I

couldn't believe what I was reading," said Beckley. "Dangling participles, split infinitives, starting every other sentence with 'there,' mixing up homophones, an obvious lack of editing...these students would surely belong in an area Lutheran high school."

The single teacher, usually oblivious to goings-on of his students, was forced to read the lavatory literature because he reportedly left his *Newsweek* at home.

Editorial: "Um, like, is this the end?"

By Tiffany Schultz



Um, okay so, like, I just realized the other day that I am, like, totally graduating and like, I can't believe that this is, like, *it*. You know, like, you work so hard to like, get to this point—like, I've gone through so many boyfriends, so many back-to-school sales—like, I've worked so hard, and now it's all, like, coming to an end. I never really thought it would, like, be like this, like, so totally weird-feeling. Um, like, I usually have all the right words to describe my, like, self, but like, this time I feel that I cannot fully express the wave of emotions that is rushing over my heart like high tide in the Bay of Fundy. Like, you know?

So anyway, I like, am really looking forward to this week's activities. Like, we have this banquet thingy, and I hear they give out awards—I like, totally know I'll get one for like, smartfulness and stuff. Then, like, we have another dinner thingy with the like, assignment committee, and I like, know I'll make a good impression. I'm not sure what to wear yet, though—should I, like, go with the conservative teachery-type outfit, or with the cuter, girls-just-wanna-have-fun look? Like, I have so many cute outfits, and I, like, am having the most trouble just, like, trying to figure out what to wear when and, like, where. Like, I have

to be in meetings all day on Thursday, and like, do I wanna wear like, a skirt for the whole day, or like, should I go with the pink capris? And like, I'm not sure what to wear for graduation because, like, should I save my cutest dress for that day even though it will be like, covered up by that formless black gown thingy, or should I wear the cutest dress on Friday for the commencement concert when I'm sure everyone will see me in it, and wear the next-cutest dress for graduation? Like, graduating brings all these big decisions with it, like, you know? Oh, and like, have you seen those graduation caps? It's like, gonna totally ruin my hair—I'll have like cap-head for the rest of the day—like, what are they thinking?

Like, I just can't believe it's already my graduation day—like, it seems like just yesterday when I was figuring out what to wear on the first day of college, and now like, here I am, all like, grown up. Isn't that like, scary? And like, I just can't believe that I won't be like, writing these educational pieces for *The Cabbage* anymore. Like, I've had such a blast, but now it's like, all over. Um, like, is this the end?

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- Cafeteria voted worst Italian eatery
- Graduate to miss professors, Bock beer
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