

Overheard at the Attendance Form

BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO THE UNIVERSE, SPRING 2020

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Jan 30: Is this allowed?

- Yes
- No
- Sure
- Only if it's allowed
- Nope. Also is the guy in that vine a mannequin or a human being, could never tell
- Ma'am, this is a Wendy's

Discussion Feb 2: What's the worst piece of advice you've ever received?

- "Don't waste your time making an app, do something more productive"
- Make sure to wrap food in aluminum foil before you microwave so it cooks evenly
- "Jorts are the new wave"
- Durian tastes better after microwaved
- Set it to wumbo

Discussion Feb 6: Least favorite building on campus and why?

- Evans. Because evans. And i had english class there
- Evans, ugly
- Evans just look at it
- Dwinelle hall because of the bathrooms
- Dwinelle, since the bathrooms are some of the most difficult to find and the seats in the hallways are very slippery so I slide on them a lot.
- MLK: people seem to be very productive and hard-working there and it reminds me of what I'm always supposed to be doing D:<

Lecture Feb 6: Who's Joe?

- Wut
- (Set of all people) - (Set of all people who are not Joe)
- Whats Joe
- Mr Schmo
- Who is Joe? This is a question which has boggled the minds of many scientists across many generations. However after many sessions of independent research and personal experiments I believe I have found an answer. Joe, to put it simply. Does not exist. He is a construct of the human mind and when someone is asked or asks the question “who is Joe?” it results in the asker getting pranked when the asked says the phrase “Joe mama”

Discussion Feb 10: If you could choose one thing to rain from the sky today, what would it be?

- Betty Crocker vanilla frosting
- Admission letters from Columbia U
- Syrup would be cool
- knives
- Rain
- Water
- FOOD
- Senators with a moral compass

Discussion Feb 13: How many chickens would it take to kill an elephant?

- 0. The corpse of a dead chicken can carry a disease (and its fierce vengeance from the grave) and kill an unsuspecting elephant.
- 0, just have to wait long enough
- At least 1
- One if it was determined
- 3. Because the 3 chickens are enough to choke an elephant and make it suffocate and die
- At least 30

Lecture Feb 13: What secret conspiracy would you like to start?

- A hot dog is not a sandwich
- The campus water supply for water bottle stations comes from the tears of its students. “Bottles saved” = bottles cried
- That salad dressings are actually soups that you just put on a salad.
- Flat Earth is a conspiracy perpetrated by Big Map to sell more maps
- Jigglypuff was never meant to be in Super Smash Bros. Initially, when the original game in the series was close to release, upper management wanted a new character so that they could increase the marketing potential of the game. It was really close to the deadline however, so they looked for another character that could have a similar model and gameplay elements as another character in the series. Kirby was the simplest to copy, and they found a new character in the not-so-popular-but-still-somewhat-known Jigglypuff (Purin in Japanese). When Super Smash Bros. Melee came out, the game creator, Masahiro Sakurai, once again did not plan to have Jigglypuff in the game. But the cute puffball barely made the cut and was once again fairly simple to program--so why not? Surely it couldn't hurt, right? (Jigglypuff has become the most hated character to play against in the game and one of the most slow and boring to play as. But she is by far the cutest.) Much later, Super Smash Bros. Brawl was announced. Unlike the previous game, this time a lot of the roster was still up in the air while development was ongoing. Jigglypuff, staring down the void wearing her cute, angry expression, would be pulled back into the series at the very last minute. It was so last minute that she wasn't even included in the game's main story, one of only 3 other characters and the only one that was a veteran of the series. But by now, it was too late for anyone to stop her. Much to Sakurai's chagrin, Jigglypuff had developed a cult following and was empowered by their support. Nintendo's most recent abysmal failure, the WiiU, also resulted in an unpopular Super Smash Bros. installment, Smash 4. And Jigglypuff was widely regarded as the worst character in the game. But she was still a thorn in the side for all those who doubted the Way of the Puff™. And finally, finally she saw her moment again with the release of Super Smash Bros. Ultimate for the Nintendo Switch. 20 years of desperate struggle, staring death in the face over and over again, and the cute puffball prevails. Jigglypuff is truly the hero that we must aspire to be, and the god that all are honored to lay eyes upon.

Discussion Feb 24: What's the worst thing you could forget at a bus stop?

- Destination
- The bus
- The worst thing you could forget at a bus stop are your contacts, because the bus stop you've been waiting at is actually a street sign
- Your Anti-Sea Rhinoceros Underwear of course. You don't want to mess with those things.
- Your girlfriend
- Your child
- Meow

Discussion Feb 27: Tell me a joke :)

- How does an Igglybuff become a Jigglypuff?
- When does a Jigglypuff become a Wigglytuff?
- (Igglybuff evolves when you reach maximum friendship. Jigglypuff evolves by using a moon stone.)
- Knock knock who's there boo boo who? Don't cry it was only a joke I know lame and old lol
- 2 cats are on a roof, which one falls off first? The one with the lower mu.
- My GPA

Lecture Feb 27: Speculate on why I'm so overdressed for today's lecture.

- you fall in love
- I expect a tux, so, relative to me, you're underdressed.
- Funeral
- You were dressing up for a presentation for a grant to do research on Exoplanets but they allocated the money to someone from Stanford instead.....sorry
- This morning on your way to the bus stop you heard someone yelling for help. Naturally you sprung into action and ran over to find a woman was giving birth. You delivered her triplets on the sidewalk and she thanked you by naming all three after you. Only suiting, a twin delivering triplets, yielding even more confusing names. As soon as the media found out the mayor was inviting you to a banquet in celebration of your heroic act. You were given the key to the city, only to run directly here to teach us about General Relativity.

Discussion March 2: If you could have any superpower, what would it be?

- The power to become a gravity guy like in interstellar
- shapeshifting. Easy. imagine, show up to lecture, turn into an elephant, chaos, prosper.
- Proportional speed and strength of a spider
- Whatever the equivalent of Hermione's time-machine necklace is. I one-hundred percent need more hours in the day. That mixed with the ability of not being tired and a comprehension rate (when reading) that is immaculate. Basically whatever people become when they take Aderol (sp) - a substance that is obviously not something I deal with. So...all of that.

Lecture March 5: Why is the answer to life, the Universe, and everything?

- 42 iirc
- $6 \times 9 = 42$?? no idea why
- I know this is a reference to the hitchhiker's guide to the galaxy but I do not remember it for the life of me. 42?
- Inter-connectedness?
- A towel
- Do you mean what?

Lecture March 12: *What are you planning to do?*

- I dont even know
- I wish I knew
- idk
- Set up a fish tank
- Watch 7 1/2 hours of zoom lectures in one day and continue to suffer
- ah jeeze not sure. Perfect elbow bumps i guess

Discussion March 16: What will you do to occupy yourself during this trying time?

- Aside from school work.. playing with the kids while we're home :)
- study for the mcat
- Watch netflix / go outside
- I'm an artists so I'm painting a lot, and I'm trying to learn how to do the splits so a lot of stretching and just learning random skills I've been putting off I guess haha
- Learn guitar and Spanish. Listen to the voices for tips on not going crazy. Read 

Discussion March 19: How are you guys doing during these times? Please stay healthy and safe!

- stressed and drinking too many Arizona teas
- Pretty sad, as a senior I deliberately took a low class load and finished work earlier in the semester so I could spend the latter half enjoying myself and finally exploring the city...then this happened.
- It's a difficult time and it's difficult for me to continue to focus on studying. You too. Stay safe!
- At least I get to play Jigglypuff on Smash Ultimate.

Lecture March 19: If nuts were all you could eat, which one would you pick and why?

- Coconut. Cause you get water and nut
- Pistachios baby, the most classiest nut
- Doesn't matter, because I'll probably get bored of them eventually. But if I had to choose, I would pick cashews. They bomb
- Almonds cause they're the best.
- Peanuts! Peanut butter is by far the superior butter! Though my boyfriend is deathly allergic so that may cause some issues down the road.

Discussion March 30: What are frogs

- A small tailless amphibian of the order Anura that typically hops.
- A frog is any member of a diverse and largely carnivorous group of short-bodied, tailless amphibians composing the order Anura (literally without tail in Ancient Greek).
- green bois
- swim chickens w no feathers
- <https://www.pinterest.co.kr/pin/795237246678753338/> FrUWUg
- the older generation of surveillance creatures. Birds are the newer model

Discussion April 2: What is one thing that you've been enjoying while social distancing?

- procrastination
- zoom calls with friends
- Being able to sleep whenever
- moscow mule in a can

Lecture April 2: Favorite and least favorite ice cream flavor

- fave- mint chip least fave- chocolate
- Favorite: Cookies and Cream, The worst: peppermint
- Cotton candy 🍡-mint 😞
- favorite- chocolate chip // least favorite- cotton candy
- cookies n kream is mah favorite and my least favorite is rum raisin bc who likes raisins
- Favorite: Chevron Techron Concentrate Plus, Least Favorite: COVID-19

Discussion April 6: Worse? How could this possibly get worse?

- The moon is looking awfully big
- If the disease were airborne (not just respiratory droplets) it would be a lot worse.
- Um I was thinking zombie apocalypse that I think could be absolutely worse...probably
- If the big California earthquake hit during quarantine
- The moon is looking awfully big
- The rain starts to smell

Discussion April 9: Favorite movie?

- I don't really have one but I guess How to Train Your Dragon?
- PARASITE <3
- Not yet made, but soon... <https://screenrant.com/detective-pikachu-jigglypuff-star-born-spinoff/>
- This is hard to answer. Right now, Call Me By Your Name
- either Endgame, Inception, or Interstellar

Lecture April 9: What would be a fictional world you'd want to live in (e.g. Harry Potter, Pokemon) and why?

- Bro,,, Percy Jackson for life I wanna fight big old monsters and vibe with ppl who can do crazy magic and everyone has parental issues, sick
- Avatar the Last Airbender. I wanna bend stuff.
- Pokémon, I rly want a charizard irl
- The Detective Pikachu universe, that looks sick. Then I could get a Jigglypuff!
- Pokemon, because it seems like there's not really war there or anything so it's basically getting world peace plus magic plus like pets for everyone.
- North Korea, the only place that achieves pure communism

Discussion April 13: What is the best way to eat a carrot?

- I hate carrot, never had one
- shave the carrot into a oblivion and use it as a topping in a dish bc it's been bad and deserves punishment
- Carrots are a D tier vegetable at best and shouldn't be eaten. Instead, compost the carrot to make fertilizer to grow an S tier vegetable such as asparagus, Brussel sprouts, or potatoes.
- With the shell on
- Your teeth?

Discussion April 16: What is something that is small in your life, but gives you joy? (e.g. when I have just enough milk for my cereal)

- Having someone you enjoy talking to instigate a conversation.
- holding hands w my friends who i love and miss fml
- making my own bed.
- Cooking!
- skateboarding
- yogurt
- Jigglypuff

Lecture April 16: Just a meme passin' by (now that you've learned QM, you can understand this meme, yes)

- hehe
- *Something supernatural happens in an anime* Some character with glasses: "qUaNtUm EnTaNgLeMeNt"
- *Theoretically falls through floor
- Fuuuuuttttuuurrreeeee
- Also me hula hooping in the park with strangers 20 minutes ago
- I like turtles

No one:

Matter after de Broglie:



Discussion April 20: Would you eat a bee?

- YES! r y'all also on that Facebook group? Eat Bees?
- DRAIN THE SWAMP
- Only if eating the bee cured coronavirus. In that case full send
- A less wise me would have said yes, however the Bee movie has taught our society that bee lives matter.
- depending on the situation, maybe

Discussion April 23: Rank: waffles, pancakes, french toast

- Pancakes, waffles, french toast
- french toast, pancakes, waffles
- waffles, pancakes, french toast (best to least best)
- Bees, waffles, pancakes
- This question is cruel. Waffles > Pancakes > French toast
UNLESS it's, like, exceptional french toast in which case french toast >>>>>>>>>
- `bogoSort([waffles, pancakes, french_toast, Jigglypuff!])`

Lecture April 23: Favorite physics topic/fact/concept so far and why?

- Special relativity because I recently watched interstellar for the first time and I thought it was really cool
- special relativity because it's confusing
- quantum computers in the last homework assignment because its super fascinating
- Chaos theory since it was something I had a decent amount of knowledge about it before, but getting to learn more and see examples was very enjoyable.
- 1. French Toast 2. Waffles 3. Pancakes
- Did you know if you painted a 12 pound medicine ball with a diameter of 1 foot 8 inches like Jigglypuff and throw it at people, it would be like throwing a real Jigglypuff at them?

Discussion April 27:

- Your answer
- <https://www.pinterest.com/pin/705728204086444020/>
- This is blank. Kinda relevant to be honest

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- When I heard the learn'd astronomer, // When the proofs, the figures, were ranged in columns before me, // When I was shown the charts and diagrams, to add, divide, and measure them, // When I sitting heard the astronomer where he lectured with much applause in the lecture-room, // How soon unaccountable I became tired and sick, // Till rising and gliding out I wander'd off by myself, // In the mystical moist night-air, and from time to time, // Look'd up in perfect silence at the stars.

Discussion April 30:

- :)
- Yes
- begin
- Thanks for such an awesome class! I hope you come to appreciate our one true goddess Jigglypuff in the near future :D
- ??????
- X-X

Lecture April 30: Write out the noise of your favorite animal as accurately as possible

- hello I'm a dog bork bork
- bababadalgharaghtaka mminarronkonnbron ntonnerronnntuonnthu nntrovarrhounawnska wntoohoohoordenent hurnuk (look it up)
- gobble gobble
- honkg honk
- owirGNe;qohilq;hw0ie oghq'wer0ipghfkjtwe
- ['0jfgoinboe;rjfgknkf
- kree kree ?
- fox
- gaaaaa
- Rahrrr
- brrrrrmeeeeooooowww ww
- woof- dog
- Bwwwaaaggrrraiiiiidoo
- bwayahhhh
- mrrow
- DRAIN THE SWAMP!!!!
- Ring ding ding ding ding ding
- ~Jigglypuff~
- rrrrrraawwwrrrr (Tiger)
- bark
- Reeeeeeeeeeeee
- Once again I am asking for your financial support

I THINK THIS CALLS FOR



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Thank you all for an amazing semester!

Keep in touch!