

## THE ALIEN REPORTS!

When he returned to his own planet, the Alien in the Garage wrote a report about his visit to the planet Earth. This website has mysteriously received a copy, which I have translated into English. Unfortunately, some bits are missing. Can you fill in the gaps and write about some of the other things he might have seen on our planet?

### REPORT ON PLANETFALL

This is Creature Number GDS-3000, reporting on visit to planet TRYFHS-90008755, known to the locals as "Earth". My visit started with disaster. My ship collided with a passing asteroid and I was forced to use the escape pod, crashing in an area of green leisure known as a "back garden".

Fortunately, a small member of the Earth race discovered me and sheltered me until Mothership UYT-78900 was able to collect me. In the meantime, I was able to discover many things about this planet and its people:

#### People

1. The inhabitants of this planet - "humans" - are most strange. They have only two arms and two legs, and all brain activity takes place inside just one head.
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#### Homes

1. Humans live in units of various shapes and sizes known as "mine" or "my place".
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#### Work and school

1. The young members of the race attend a place of learning and emotional testing known as "school". Older humans look for "work" and this is exchanged for credits known as "quid".
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## Leisure time

1. The people of this planet spend much of their free time looking at screens, often in rituals known as “surfing the Net”, or “reality TV” – this involves members of the race volunteering to humiliate themselves for the enjoyment of others.

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## Food

1. The young human gave me strange foods known as “custard creams” and “takeaways”. He also gave me “carrots” which he said were healthy and would help me see in “the dark”. “The dark” is feared by many very young humans.

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## Opinions

1. I liked this planet very much, but had to observe it mostly in secret. Humans are easily scared by the unknown. Therefore I suggest we do not send large numbers of our people at this time.

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