

Twitter

0

Like

Submit

0

Digg ↑

SHARE

Stupid Is As Stupid Does: How Online Universities Can Transform Etiquette Ignorance into Social Intelligence

By JustinC at 6 June, at 13 : 24 PM

Print

TRAINING GAMES

Stress Focus
Language Intelligence



Play Games



Sign up for latest news and updates sent to your inbox for free!

Connect



Search itThing

Search Keyword here



Celebrities are not typically known for their intelligence, yet exceptions to the rule do exist. Geena Davis is a member of Mensa. James Woods went to MIT and has an IQ of 180. However, most celebrities are more like Hugh Grant or Winona Ryder; they pick up prostitutes and shoplift from stores even when they have beautiful girlfriends or millions of dollars in the bank. Even more common are celebrities saying stupid things.

Case in point?

Paris Hilton's musing, "What's Wal-Mart? Do they sell, like, wall stuff?" Closing in at a close second to Hilton's stupidity is the current queen of reality television, **Kim Kardashian**. Kardashian has had her moments in the stupidity sun as well. For one, she made a sex tape with former boyfriend Ray J that was leaked to public and viewed by millions of people. Just last year she got married and then filed for divorce 72 days later. Now she has once again proven her stupidity by saying on national television that Indian food is "disgusting." Way to instantaneously insult over one billion people, Kim. Given that Kardashian has created her livelihood by being in the public eye virtually around the clock, one would think that perhaps she would have refined her sensibilities regarding what to say on TV, but obviously that's not the case. Also obvious is that this woman never went to college. While some kinds of intelligence cannot be taught, colleges and **online accredited universities** can help students learn particular social graces.

Unfortunately for Kardashian and other celebrities who say and do stupid things that will live on forever in the gossip rags and on the Internet, they could have avoided these **PR blunders** with a **college degree in public relations**. Higher education isn't merely about going to class and getting your diploma. It's also about giving brash and ignorant freshmen the opportunity to grow into thoughtful and wizened seniors. Regardless of whether young adults decide to attend a traditional institution or take accredited online courses, college allows them the time and experience to learn the social etiquette needed just a few years down the road when they leave school for their professional careers.

The transformation may begin even before a student takes his first college class, as programs such as **Charm School for the College-Bound** cater toward turning high schoolers with crude social manners into polished and professional college scholars. Yet without this training ground for developing one's social etiquette, a person can become stunted and locked into a juvenile state of

An MBA for Busy Schedules

+ 1 evening a week

+ 8 convenient locations to choose from

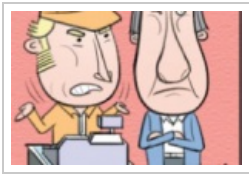
mind where anything goes without accountability or remorse. Given that so many celebrities do not ever attend college of any kind, it's no surprise that they don't have the social awareness to speak and act in public with a greater sense of decorum.

The odds are good both that Kardashian will never go to college and that sometime in the near future she will once more behave in an ignorant fashion with no regard as to how stupid it may look or how insulting it can be to others. So let this be a learning lesson for us all. Colleges and online accredited universities give students more than just a degree; they allow individuals to escape the downward spiral of stupidity that Kim Kardashian and celebrities like her having been riding for years.

[Offbeat](#) [Celebrities](#), [Education](#), [Geena David](#), [James Woods](#), [Mensa](#), [Paris Hilton](#)

« Previous

Related Posts



10 May at 23 : 29 PM

Keep Your Customers Happy - The Customer Service Infographic



7 May at 23 : 49 PM

So You Want To Start A Business? The How To Start A Business Infographic



7 May at 21 : 18 PM

The Anatomy of a DUI

Awesome Links From Around The Web

Loading...



Welcome to The Pocalypse!
[\[Interactive Comic\]](#)



10 Creepiest Kids TV Shows of All Time



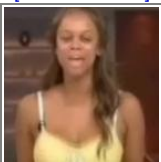
Worst. Telekintic. Ever [COMIC]



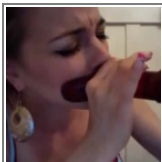
30 Useless But Super Cool Products You Want To Own



MLB: Closers Need Hazard Pay



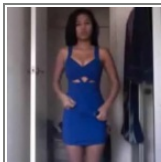
Tyra Banks Goes Insane



Model Demonstrates 'Lip Pump' with Bizarre Results



Awesome Dubstep Cereal Commercial!



Scare Frank Backfires On Boyfriend...



Top 10 Weirdest Drinks

POWERED BY

Post Your Comment

Name *

Mail *

Website

Comment

ADD COMMENT

About itThing

itThing.com is run by a small group of people who cover things that are considered the “it thing” of the moment. Basically, if it’s something that is talked about by others, you’ll most likely find it here. From articles that dive into everything there is to learn about a particular subject to funny videos and pictures, you’ll find it all here. Oh and did we mention we regularly compile informational infographics that float around on the web. All in all, itthing.com is a platform where fun and information are merged together!

Popular Posts

- [10 of the Most Gorgeous Vintage Cars](#)

- [Where In The World Are American Jobs? \[Infographic\]](#)

- [How To Freak People Out On Facebook](#)

- [Why Do Most Poor People Oppose Increasing Taxes For The Rich?](#)

- [Unidentified Creature Washed Up in San Diego - What is it?](#)

Twitter Updates

- [Do you have a gym membership? If so, do you use it regularly? Is the cost worth the reward for you? 72 days ago](#)

- [Would you rather be rich or healthy? Would you rather be good looking or rich? 73 days ago](#)

- [http://t.co/po8fpGeP What do you think it is? 120 days ago](#)