

# Henry Jenkins

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The worst thing a kid can say about homework is that it is too hard. The worst thing a kid can say about a game is it's too easy.

~Henry Jenkins

Participatory culture shifts the focus of literacy from one of individual expression to community involvement.

~Henry Jenkins

The key is to produce something that both pulls people together and gives them something to do.

~Henry Jenkins

Humans do not engage in activities that are meaningless. If you think you see people doing things you find meaningless, look again and try to understand what the activities mean for them.

~Henry Jenkins

Piracy often reflects market failures on the part of producers rather than moral failures on the part of consumers.

~Henry Jenkins

In a hunting society, children play with bows and arrows. In an information society, children play with information

~Henry Jenkins

We want to raise a generation of kids who have a mouse in one hand and a book in the other.

~Henry Jenkins

...Fan fiction is a way of the culture repairing the damage done in a system where contemporary myths are owned by corporations instead of owned by the folk.

~Henry Jenkins

Hello. My name is Henry. I am a fan. Somewhere in the late 1980s', I got tired of people telling me to get a life. I wrote a book instead

~Henry Jenkins

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