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Thread: [Reasons why I haven't been playing osrs](#)

canine - September 2, 2017, 12:46 am

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List your reasons for being absent from the rat race below

test - September 2, 2017, 12:51 am

No IRL friends that play is probably the main reason. I remember back in the day getting home from school and seeing all your friends log on made it so much more fun, in fact, 99% of games are more fun with friends playing. The content was starting to get a bit stale for me too. I tried making a few different accounts with different builds but it all felt the same to me. PKing was pretty much out of the question because Australian servers weren't out.

I Am Kira - September 2, 2017, 6:42 am

I'm with you on the first one. I gained a lot of \$ in past week and now I'm starting to care less about a lot of things.

RS is one of them.. I couldn't stand wasting a day not playing OSRS.

Things have changed now...

Lukas - September 2, 2017, 6:44 am

I hop on for an hour or two a week just to get a few kills and die a lot in BH. It's not fun anymore, I don't know how that many users are still heavily intrigued in the game. Just baffles me.

Amazing - September 2, 2017, 7:51 am

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Dar?k - September 2, 2017, 8:11 am

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For me it's the exact opposite lol.

When I was younger, I enjoyed the game so much more, everyone I knew IRL played runescape and it was exciting to explore the world of runescape. Now no one ever plays, people in game are toxic, you know everything about the game, all the fun is gone....

Kayoz - September 2, 2017, 9:27 am

Currently I'm still managing to keep myself interested in the game, but that's mostly because my new money maker is making the game feel like a damn private server. I can pay for buyables faster than I can spend my money.

When I don't play though it's usually because I have to (should) do something that I really don't enjoy, like getting the mining outfit which is something I should do, but is boring as fuck. When I'm not enjoying myself I feel like the game is a waste of time, but then again I don't have a lot else going on.

Wismec - September 3, 2017, 1:04 am

I agree with the time wasting feeling. Every time I'm drawn back into the game, it generally comes from an intense feeling of nostalgia. I think that when we were younger (or for me at least), we didn't have as many responsibilities or any serious priorities. I really do begin to feel like I'm throwing time away.

The community has also changed drastically. The constant trolls in the friends' chats, bots and RWT'ers (Though I've been guilty myself) haven't cultivated the same culture the game once had. I can't lie though, the first time logging on to Oldschool in a while, hearing the Lumbridge music always makes me a bit sad! Haha

Mr. Corleone - September 3, 2017, 7:26 am

I used to play runescape to escape reality.
But now I'm producing and writing, and it has become a daily thing for me.
It's more enjoyable for me to produce etc than play runescape.
Sometimes I log in, but I get bored quick.

Also if you feel like you're wasting your time when you play runescape, don't play it.
This is important.
You must surround yourself with something you enjoy doing in life.
Don't make yourself go depression or other shit when you can change it.
People who are on the top in the hiscores enjoy doing it. Unless you enjoy it, don't grind man.

Mafty Navue Erin - September 3, 2017, 2:49 pm

Come to RS3 and you'll feel less like shit.

Levi - September 3, 2017, 7:27 pm

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5-MEO-DMT - September 3, 2017, 9:03 pm

Just going thru alot of personal issues, haven't had the time to think about rs..

Drizzy?? - September 3, 2017, 9:09 pm

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What fun about it? I interest to know

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But the grind is what makes the game fun. I only use p servers for pking shenanigans.

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Currently doing comfy clue slayer cos I have off work for the next few days. Maybe i can convince myself to get a few decent sessions in.

Silent Uprising - September 4, 2017, 8:45 am

Hey man, my advice to you is honestly start luring. I don't get a kick out of leveling up and shit like that anymore. I can still spend time on 07 hours on hours and I'll feel like I wasted my time if I did nothing. Luring makes you look at the game from a different point of view. My short time I had luring brought the fun back into the game. You said that you want to make money....so while playing the game and having fun, you make some good money.

To give you motivation - I made 1.7b in ~month of straight luring all the time. I ended up quitting my job at McDonald's since I was making for playing RuneScape. Bad idea though lol, making 1.7b in a month was hella good. Next month I made like 500m (but I didnt try as hard as I did the first month). College started so I don't have a lot of time to play...and you can go a few days without luring anyone and lose a shit to of motivation. So I need to find a job again irl, but if you have a lot of spare time, I recommend luring. You will feel really good when you get your first lure.

Nonetheless, do whatever pleases you. gl man

Levi - September 4, 2017, 8:53 am

(Sep 4, 2017 08:42 AM)w342 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Imagine a world where Jagex isn't cucked by redditors lol

I wish /r/2007scape didn't exist

CA905 - September 4, 2017, 8:54 am

1) You are wasting your time. You played it before assuming you played rs a decade ago.

Muggle - September 5, 2017, 9:14 pm

Because Runescape is boring as shit unless starting from scratch (not a new account, but getting rid of all your valuables and making mills from nothing), but once you obtain a 100m bank from grinding after starting from scratch, then it gets boring again.

Italian_mafia - September 6, 2017, 6:14 am

yeah, at these days u know evething about the game, was really enjoyable when you discover new things to do or new areas, now, 10 years later i can't feel the emotive rush anymore

Mazen860 - September 6, 2017, 1:06 pm

Man, I couldn't have said what you said better. You just explained how I felt so easy, I felt like I was

reading how I was actually feeling. I feel depressed when I know I am wasting time, it bugs me out so much to the point where I don't know what I am doing in life. It kills me to feel that way. I have a lot of negativity nowadays I don't know what to do about it. I am having a gap year just to get prepared for things because I graduated early, but in the end, it is not a good feeling. I plan on trying to get a job and internships of the something related to my major.

SUI-3183372 - September 6, 2017, 1:10 pm

Join RoT. We have a lot of fun most the time.

rocky2k10 - September 6, 2017, 1:54 pm

Same reason as you do. Just feels like I'm constantly wasting time on the game i still hop on for a session once in a while but as you say usually depressed is the only time

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I've only died to SV so far but if u do ever kill me gz on 200k split nigga

Waffle - September 7, 2017, 2:05 pm

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I was pretty bored of solo play but joining a really chill cc full of active players got me playing again.

noil - September 7, 2017, 9:08 pm

In my experience, the game is very grindy. Some people love grinding and the long-term aspect but, for me there's a point where it gets tedious. Back in the day I didn't notice the grind too much because I had nothing else to do. But not being able to play that often, it's become a lot slower. Also the clients that make the game a whole lot easier and most of the community uses them, which can be a disadvantage for players who don't at a disadvantage in PvP (in my opinion).

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I think a good way to battle this is to question what wasting time means. If you come from a consumerism view point, you are wasting time as you are probably not making money whilst grinding in OSRS. Personally, I don't like to see things that way because it can make many things negative, not just gaming.

If there is not much exciting happening at the moment in your life, thats perfectly fine. Take the time to relax, play video games & etc. Eventually you won't have that time and you will be busy and not bored! ?

IslahGang - December 27, 2017, 10:08 pm

if you're not motivated to play then dont - just take a break until you feel like playing