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Thread: [How has being a computer person made you a better person?](#)

?elevision - July 19, 2018, 1:00 pm

Computers help us with a lot of activities. There's so much awesome programs, tools, and platforms for us to create. Computers also give us qualities and skills that we could use in our real lives. Name something that being a computer user helped you with in real life.

I'll go first. Well being a computer and internet user helps me with new technology. I started using computers since I was about 5-7 years of age, somewhere around there. So I am very used to technology and I'm good with new gadgets and tech that come out.

So, how has being a computer user made you a better person?

h4ckerman - July 19, 2018, 1:02 pm

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Gleeshy - July 19, 2018, 1:11 pm

It did not specifically make me a "better" person ethically, but it taught me how to make money, I learned a lot about English reading/writing/speaking (technical/computer wise) as im not a native English speaker. Also I can help non-computer people with some issues.

Ramune - July 19, 2018, 1:13 pm

(Jul 19, 2018 01:02 PM)pistol pid= Wrote:Computers didnt help me at all it just ruined my penis because of porn sites tbh I'm ED...

Just do NO PORN brah, that thing will be pitching tents in no time

euWolfe - July 19, 2018, 1:39 pm

I don't know about making me a better person, but I found that Linux and the OpenSource community gave me a passion in life.

So something else to do with my time other than toss it off watching porn and playing EU4

Poudii - July 19, 2018, 1:41 pm

Understanding how it works and be able to surf the web and learn more.

DopplerAF - July 19, 2018, 1:47 pm

Mostly I use computer for work so I have no idea to be honest.

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h4ckerman - July 19, 2018, 1:48 pm

i should just toss out my computer and technology outside my window i literally cant get my penis up

anymore cus of too much masturbation...

?elevision - July 19, 2018, 1:49 pm

Sometimes I move around like a robot person, and occasionally do the "robot-dance" on purpose, because I'm so used to using computers.

Spoiler ([Click to View](#))JK LOL

euWolfe - July 19, 2018, 2:07 pm

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I've recently moved over to devops role after being linux engineer for a few years. As for the opensource I find the best thing for getting involved is finding local groups that are of interest to you. I go to my local Docker meetup, also have a LUG (Linux User Group) close by, and most large towns and cities will have a MadLab/HakLab. Most of these groups apart from just having meetups have hackathons which are brilliant for learning to code in a group, you'll meet guys that are passionate about their tech and love to teach what they know (also lot of these groups have sponsors, so free food and beer lol).

Zanik - July 19, 2018, 2:32 pm

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Haha! Loved that joke Millards, keep it up!! ?

Vamure - July 19, 2018, 2:32 pm

being a computer person has defiantly made me even more of an asshole.

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Zher0 - July 19, 2018, 2:39 pm

Taught me how to think logically.

Vamure - July 19, 2018, 2:39 pm

(Jul 19, 2018 02:39 PM)Zher0 Wrote: ([CITE](#)) Taught me how to think logically.
okay I agree with this too;

but it also made me an asshole. ?

Aurora - July 19, 2018, 10:24 pm

How has being a computer person made me a better person? I don't know if it has made me a better person, but I've learned to be more organized and productive.

Pablo? - July 20, 2018, 2:17 am

Internet helped me on "how to make money" part of life haha :P

lopez. - July 20, 2018, 2:18 am

made me rich from all the flashy ebook thread designs

Pyro - July 20, 2018, 3:29 am

it had made me a worse person than i used to be

Pablo? - July 20, 2018, 3:44 am

Idk a computer can't make anyone smarter it can make you learn alot of stuff by searching on Google and etc.. Playing games for entertainment (wasting time = not makin money) ..

criminal?????????????? - July 20, 2018, 3:48 am

Created multiple businesses online which have brought me a fair amount of income which I would never have got without the internet.

SotirBay - July 20, 2018, 3:50 am

It made me rich and I got awesome in the eyes of the people

Techius - July 20, 2018, 6:14 am

People who say it has made them a better person, unless talking about making money, are full of shit. Playing rooty tooty point and shooty doesn't make you a better person.

Eccy - July 20, 2018, 6:15 am

It hasn't it's made me sit around doing fuck all all day when I could be out wasting my life away with alcohol and other drugs

????????????Michael Kors - November 5, 2018, 1:46 pm

It has made me realize what my true passion is.

Oran2009 - November 5, 2018, 2:03 pm

Helps me get money -> buy clothes -> be a better person :)

Lettings - November 5, 2018, 2:04 pm

IRL I compute everything similar to a robot.

bananachocobo - November 5, 2018, 6:41 pm

Computers thought me how to masturbate. Damn those porn sites.

WageWolf - November 5, 2018, 6:59 pm

I feel like I have overall just learned a decent amount on other IRL topics from the net!

emotionull - November 5, 2018, 7:15 pm

It hasn't if anything it's made my social skills worse.

Bob White - November 5, 2018, 7:17 pm

I'm actually still the same person outside of the Internet as we know it.

PerfectStorm - November 5, 2018, 7:19 pm

Im just going to be honest. No, not really. I don't think so. But maybe in some ways.

Gt403cyl - November 5, 2018, 7:35 pm

I feel like helping other makes you a better person....

So being a PC savy person has helped me help others thus making me a better person.

Logic FTW!

Oran2009 - November 5, 2018, 9:29 pm

(Nov 5, 2018 07:41 PM)bananachocobo Wrote: [CITE](#) Computers thought me how to masturbate. Damn those porn sites.
avatar checks out

F.B.I - November 5, 2018, 10:20 pm

As someone dropped out pretty young you would have no idea I'm not "educated" having a conversation with me. I learned basically everything i know from the internet (and also my dad).

seacant - November 5, 2018, 10:22 pm

Well I learned how to think fast as a calculator and respond quickly to anybody with 100% success.

StreetSquirrel - November 5, 2018, 10:24 pm

Now that I'm good with computers, it makes it easier for me to explain what they are and how they work to my family in kentucky

#Skyline - November 6, 2018, 1:28 am

It's actually had a huge impact on my life.

dragosv - November 6, 2018, 2:23 am

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Ramsey - November 6, 2018, 3:21 am

(Jul 19, 2018 01:02 PM)h4ckerman Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Computers didnt help me at all it just ruined my penis because of porn sites tbh I'm ED...

I actually loled at this then realized this could actually be the case with lot's of people

Demon Lord - November 6, 2018, 3:24 am

I don't have to talk shit in person so I'm better?

~Kryptonite - November 6, 2018, 3:34 am

I dont know everyone thinking Ima good guy or saying that and I always feel they say that because they are expecting me to solve their computer problems tomorrow. Ha

FloermDan - November 6, 2018, 6:45 am

Computers help me study better and be more creative

630 - November 6, 2018, 7:31 am

In all honesty it probably hasn't. I've devoted a LARGE amount of time to online stuff. With the exception of an income and it paying my tuition I don't have any skills other than certain smarts and an ability to know how to turn profit. I feel my life would be drastically different if I didn't do online stuff.

Skull-13 - November 6, 2018, 7:32 am

I earn the money I need thanks to my computer and the internet + my time of course!

InsaneSam - November 6, 2018, 9:53 pm

Being able to use computers, well, helped me be able to use computers. Of course, it may have taught me other lessons in life, but it's complicated to address without other factors intervening. Welcome to the digital world.