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Thread: [I deliver for Amazon full time, ask me anything](#)

A Powerade - April 1, 2022, 9:56 am

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Deany - April 1, 2022, 9:57 am

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Hilfiger - April 1, 2022, 9:59 am

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hotwheels52 - April 1, 2022, 10:06 am

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A Powerade - April 1, 2022, 10:37 am

(Apr 1, 2022 09:57 AM)Deany Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Ever have someone answer the door naked before? ? Not yet but other drivers I work with have ?

(Apr 1, 2022 09:58 AM)Herbert Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What's the worst encounter you had on the job? Overall it hasn't been that bad. One of the worst was an old lady that crashed into me while I was parked and then blamed me for it. Also the time I backed up and murdered a trash can lmao.

(Apr 1, 2022 09:58 AM)Sponsored Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Always wondered if drivers were accused of lost/stolen parcels - how does one ensure safety? Personally I just try to be as transparent as possible. I don't give Amazon a reason to think that I'm stealing. Stay on route, keep in view of the camera, etc.

(Apr 1, 2022 09:58 AM)Nixhxlax Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What's the most packages you've delivered in a day? Have you ever been bitten by a dog while doing a delivery?

Do you enjoy being an Amazon Delivery Driver or want to switch to another company? Most packages was 367, also my most stops in a day was 192

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(Apr 1, 2022 10:03 AM)forfeit Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How many times do you throw the package you're supposed to be delivering? With all honesty I do my best not to damage the packages. While loading the van most of the large oversize packages get thrown just cuz they don't give us enough time to load so it gets done fast and dirty.

(Apr 1, 2022 10:06 AM)hotwheels52 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Has anything ever... "fell off the truck?" Lol never with me, but a few drivers have been caught for that. There was also a girl that straight up stole a money pouch from a business she was delivering to.

(Apr 1, 2022 10:17 AM)The Pact Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Why have you still not answered anyone's questions? Lmao I posted it and went to do something else. Had no fucking clue it would get this many questions, I thought I'd come back to like two.

(Apr 1, 2022 10:17 AM)The Pact Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Are you going to use that Ruby egg? Don't think so, I haven't touched the games on here in ages.

(Apr 1, 2022 10:17 AM)The Pact Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Do you love Amazon? Fuck no, feels like I'm a slave to daddy Bezos.

hotwheels52 - April 1, 2022, 10:46 am

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(Apr 1, 2022 10:37 AM)A Powerade Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Fuck no, feels like I'm a slave to daddy Bezos. Corporate America for ya I guess. ?

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Amazon's assumption/conclusion is that an item was stolen then they want you to file a police report before proceeding. Thanks for sharing, though, because as someone who frequently uses Amazon this type of explanation is helpful to paint a picture. Yeah, it is pretty shitty on Amazon's side. We think that the group stops being like this is so Amazon can make the stop count look smaller (group stops count as one stop overall on the route sheet). It's causing so many problems internally and for the customers.

(Apr 1, 2022 10:46 AM)hotwheels52 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Oof. You hate to see it. I'm assuming they were all fired? Hell yeah, my DSP is one of the ones that will drop you for shit like that.

FinanceMan901 - April 1, 2022, 10:54 am

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[syz] - April 1, 2022, 10:55 am

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(Apr 1, 2022 10:54 AM)FinanceMan901 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I had a job offer as a amazing area manager...but heard they work you like a slave.

Yeah basically. Everyone is treated like they're disposable, even the managers.

(Apr 1, 2022 10:55 AM)[syz] Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) is it true that they dont let you guys have bathroom breaks

No they totally do. They encourage us to take them. However in reality we have no time to actually take our breaks without falling behind. Its always faster to just pee in a bottle unfortunately. Hell, even taking a lunch will fuck it up and you'll get in trouble for being slow.

Grim - April 1, 2022, 11:01 am

Do they spy on you as much as people say while you are working? like have cameras in your delivery vehicle i heard that but wasnt sure.

A Powerade - April 1, 2022, 11:04 am

(Apr 1, 2022 11:01 AM)Grim Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Do they spy on you as much as people say while you are working? like have cameras in your delivery vehicle i heard that but wasnt sure.

Yep, they have a 360 degree smart camera in the van from a company called Netradyne. They say it only records when we have a violation when moving, but that's hard to tell if true. It does yell at us for stuff like following too closely and stuff like that and generates a driving score that some companies use to cut your pay if its low.

Grim - April 1, 2022, 11:28 am

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Actually the packages probably were stolen because I had second hand books I'd bought on another platform that never showed up around the same time.

A Powerade - April 1, 2022, 11:49 am

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The pay is ok I guess. I get paid \$17.50/hr and FedEx pays about the same in my area.

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I've had items that did not arrive based off of what seemed like errors in logistics somewhere down the line, in which case I've been refunded or the item was replaced with no questions asked. I've been a long time customer as well and they have usually worked with me, that considered.

These are just stories I've heard throughout the years.

Truth - April 1, 2022, 12:05 pm

So you're an independent contractor or employee?

Curious if you go up apartment buildings to do delivery and the cons/pros of that. Or do you just deliver to houses

Komodo - April 1, 2022, 12:16 pm

Do you remember the houses that buy a ton of amazon packages?

What do you think of them?

Definitely asking for a friend.

Vibe - April 1, 2022, 12:37 pm

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Excellentum - April 1, 2022, 12:46 pm

(Apr 1, 2022 09:58 AM)Sponsored Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Always wondered if drivers were accused of lost/stolen parcels - how does one ensure safety?

Nice question ! I would like to know that too!

hotwheels52 - April 1, 2022, 12:47 pm

(Apr 1, 2022 10:55 AM)A Powerade Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Its always faster to just pee in a bottle unfortunately.

Have you ever?

SIM-2502833 - April 1, 2022, 12:50 pm

Have you ever shit in a bag? Do you get to listen to music?

A Powerade - April 1, 2022, 12:50 pm

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Curious if you go up apartment buildings to do delivery and the cons/pros of that. Or do you just

deliver to housesTechnically, I'm an employee of a Delivery Service Partner that has a contract with Amazon Logistics. Yeah, I do some apartments but I suck at them so most of my routes are just single family houses and businesses. Apartments are usually a pain in the ass cuz they are usually marked poorly and confusing, not to mention our routing system not knowing what to do with them.

(Apr 1, 2022 12:16 PM)Komodo Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Do you remember the houses that buy a ton of amazon packages?
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(Apr 1, 2022 12:37 PM)Vibe Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Where's my package bro I need to knowSorry I took it home ?

hotwheels52 - April 1, 2022, 12:51 pm

(Apr 1, 2022 12:49 PM)forfeit Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Generally not the case if you know how to finesse your claim.

This is for-the-most-part true, but if you in any way indicate that it might have been stolen or that is their conclusion, then I've seen that's how they generally proceed.

A Powerade - April 1, 2022, 12:51 pm

(Apr 1, 2022 12:47 PM)hotwheels52 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Have you ever?Oh yeah, regularly unfortunately. Bathrooms are so far away from my route that it would wreck me hard if I went to find one every time I needed to pee.

(Apr 1, 2022 12:50 PM)MrMcShroom Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Have you ever shit in a bag? Do you get to listen to music?Never shit in a bag lmao, that's the only time I'll actually find a bathroom. We get music as long as we don't have to drive a step van.

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Didn't even know you could buy those on Amazon.

I just buy random shit I see when I'm bored and scrolling mostly.

skull - April 1, 2022, 12:56 pm

Whats the worst encounter you made upon a delivery?

Like I am pretty sure my old mailman hated me when I was younger, always half naked and stoned.

A Powerade - April 1, 2022, 1:11 pm

(Apr 1, 2022 12:56 PM)skull Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Whats the worst encounter you made upon a delivery?

Like I am pretty sure my old mailman hated me when I was younger, always half naked and stoned. I honestly haven't had that many bad experiences with people at the deliveries. Like the worst was probably some small dogs that chased me out of a yard. Most of the time I barely ever see someone lol.

Excellentum - April 1, 2022, 1:23 pm

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A Powerade - April 1, 2022, 1:27 pm

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I've been on for about a year and do not recommend. I got lucky and have a really nice DSP with a good owner, but Amazon will fuck you over every way they can. They will abuse you and work you until you break. Its good for a very short term job, but not more than a year at most. you'll end up getting burned out or injured horribly.

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That's what I have heard from many people. That's why I haven't answered yet. Now, hearing that from a person who is currently working the job, I am pretty sure I'll pass it! Thank you for the information, buddy!

cryptuozzo - April 1, 2022, 4:56 pm

why do you throw the packages just like that?!? :DDD

Mac Miller - April 6, 2022, 8:44 am

How are the packages treated? Ordered my graphics card off of amazon

A Powerade - April 6, 2022, 9:15 am

(Apr 6, 2022 08:44 AM)Mac Miller Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How are the packages treated? Ordered my graphics card off of amazon

For the most part they're treated fine. A bit rough, but that's what the packaging is for lol. Occasionally I'll accidentally step on one when trying to grab another package.

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Lol luckily for you, it'll probably be in a small box so it'll be staying in a larger bag until the driver is ready to deliver the group of packages. The ones that get stepped on are the oversize packages

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ahh okay I get you, that's more safe lol

KnownSyntax - April 6, 2022, 9:41 am

Are you a contracted driver, or flex driver?

A Powerade - April 6, 2022, 9:45 am

(Apr 6, 2022 09:38 AM)Mac Miller Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) ahh okay I get you, that's more safe lolYeah the stuff in those boxes are usually more hardy too

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A Powerade - April 6, 2022, 10:21 am

(Apr 6, 2022 09:49 AM)Mac Miller Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Do yall really piss in bottles?

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Mac Miller - April 6, 2022, 10:33 am

(Apr 6, 2022 10:21 AM)A Powerade Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yeah lol most days I end up having to piss in a bottle

Holy shit that's crazy, do you have a tube running down your leg for max productivity?

hotwheels52 - April 6, 2022, 10:34 am

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What about... number twos? ?

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(Apr 6, 2022 10:34 AM)hotwheels52 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What about... number twos? ?I just try to hold it in. If I really have to go then I'll find like a gas station or something.

Mac Miller - April 6, 2022, 11:03 am

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Introducing the piss machine 2.0

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(Apr 6, 2022 11:03 AM)Mac Miller Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Introducing the piss machine 2.0

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Mac Miller - April 6, 2022, 11:09 am

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I only want powerade blue

2xTheTap115 - April 6, 2022, 11:20 am

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I don't have to ask for anything, I myself worked at Amazon as a PG / warehouse worker???

There is no need to talk about a job like any other?

7 - April 6, 2022, 11:39 am

You must feel like santa when your delivering their orders....
bet some people are so excited.

Komodo - April 6, 2022, 11:42 am

(Apr 6, 2022 11:39 AM)NulldB Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You must feel like santa when your delivering their orders....
bet some people are so excited.
Why you gotta call me out like that.

A Powerade - April 6, 2022, 11:47 am

(Apr 6, 2022 11:39 AM)NulldB Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You must feel like santa when your delivering their orders....
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Especially around Christmas time. So many people were excited to see me.

hotwheels52 - April 6, 2022, 3:19 pm

(Apr 6, 2022 11:47 AM)A Powerade Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Especially around Christmas time. So many people were excited to see me.
Recognition always feels good.

FalseBanned - April 16, 2022, 6:24 pm

did you ever have stolen a package ?