

/report

the dictionary

Ever wondered what exactly
wheat googling was? How to use
mycrofting in a sentence? Wait no
longer - the /report official dictionary
is here to help.

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all my feels

Also known as “so many feels”, “augh, my feels”, “so many thoughts and feels”: to be overwhelmed with feelings to the point of incoherency.

Fun fact: Your fandom can and will punch you in the feelings.

badfic

You can tell just from the summary that it's going to be terrible, but you're going to click anyway because it's a good kind of terrible.

Fun fact: You can build your SLO level by reading a lot of badfic.

challenge accepted

That moment when you make the bad decision to SLO through something, or take a jest as a challenge.

Fun fact: You can challenge accept something reluctantly or eagerly.

dubception

When you dubcon incept someone into a new fandom by luring them with their ultimate weakness.

Fun fact: MK dupcepted Twentysomething into Teen Wolf fandom with genderfuck.

failing upwards

To succeed by accident or by doing the entirely wrong thing; to luck into something great.

Fun fact: Classic examples of someone who fails upwards include *Gokusen's* Yankumi and *Slashreport's* MK.

fair warning

A warning that something that you are about to explain is the horrible part of a show/fic/etc but the listener should still go in anyway.

Fun fact: Slashreport is, in itself, basically a giant “fair warning”.

fanmesia

The baseless hope that something will be less terrible the second time around.

Fun fact: It won't be.

fassbendering it

To hire Michael Fassbender to jump a shark. Only to be used when jumping the shark isn't enough.

Fun fact: Michael Fassbender has steel-reinforced shark teeth.

fifty/fifty tropes

The fic tropes that are either super amazing or super terrible and never, ever in-between.

Fun fact: MK loves to hate these and Pru hates to love them.

fishbowling

When you've read everything in a fandom, but paw at it sadly, like a cat at an empty fish bowl.

Fun fact: Merelyn is, in essence, the cat from the Fancy Feast commercials.

hot mess

Stories that are hugely popular but are actually just badfic with porn.

Fun fact: See *50 Shades of Grey*

je refuse

To refuse something in its entirety, because it is terrible.

Fun fact: Technically, this is grammatically correct in French. At least it is according to Google Translate.

knotting hill

A popular hashtag on twitter used to describe anything surrounding fanfiction involving knotting.

Fun fact: This great shame belongs to @GaffieLabs on twitter.

meat space

AKA the real world, aka reality, aka that place where you are meat and not binary code.

Fun fact: Blame twentysomething.

mutually assured destruction

To tag something on pinboard targeting all of someone's weaknesses, only to link to something terrible.

Fun fact: If Pru and MK ever have a falling out, they're taking you all with them.

mycrofting

To worry about someone *constantly*.

Fun fact: This is mainly used because MK should not be allowed to take care of herself.

pack

People you codependently love and use to test fics for you.

Fun fact: The well-loved equivalent of a coal-mine canary.

pervert laughing

That creeper laugh you make at work when you try to listen to /report on the sly.

Fun fact: You can laugh normally with us while alone, but as soon as someone else is around: pervert laughing.

pokéox

When being Strong Like Ox isn't enough, you can evolve into a Pokéox, ala Pokémon.

Fun fact: Gaffielabs invented this term to describe herself.

rubnburns

The natural result of too much wank

Fun fact: Merelyn invented this term while trying to type 'rugburns' into a super horrible group chat.

skincoat

The least-desired outcome that is the paranoid fear of meeting anybody from fandom in real life. IE: That person wants to wear your skin as a coat.

Fun fact: MK was foolishly concerned Pru would skincoat her the first time they met despite the fact that Pru doesn't like white leather.

sluice

To take something innocent and marry a horrible association to it.

Fun fact: We are so, so sorry.

so good for me

When something pleases you greatly even though it might not actually be all that good for you.

Fun fact: See the entry for #knottinghill.

spirit wolves

A rating scale where in Toronto more spirit wolves = more awesome, and in London more spirit wolves = more terrible.

Fun fact: This phrase originates from using 1990s fantasy cop drama *The Sentinel* as a baseline.

strong like ox

Also “SLO”. To power through something specifically because it is terrible, in the hope that it makes you stronger.

Fun fact: We have been training our entire lives for this.

swanfucker

What you have to call yourself when you read anything where the main characters are now animals.

Fun fact: This term actually originated to describe Pru, not MK.

trollmaster

See: Mark Gatiss, Jeff Davis.

Fun fact: RIGHT IN THE FEELS.

valid

Short-hand for “yes, you win; I accept and agree with everything you just said.”

Fun fact: Valid.

we need to end this

Also, “We have to move on.” When things have gone past the SLO point and into danger territory, say this to try and get out while you can.

Fun fact: This phrase happens about once an episode now.

wheat googling

To google something ridiculous and with a great level of detail for the purposes of fandom.

Fun fact: Twentysomething once actually googled “wheat” for her Bones AU of Supernatural (Dean/Cas).

wiplash

The masochistic feeling of writing or reading a WIP that just NEVER ENDS.

Fun fact: The irony of Cobweb_Diamond submitting a term involving unfinished works in progress cannot be overstated. In fact it is ironic to the power of the largest known integer.

wolfcon

Dub-con or non-con involving werewolves.

Fun fact: Pru invented this term, cementing MK's rule that only Alternate Universe Pru is allowed to write Teen Wolf fic.

Well that was terrible.
Try to live better.

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