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4 things you shouldn’t post on Instagram

1. Your homemade dinner that appears to be par-digested and regurgitated onto a plate. No one believes you made a delicious meal tonight.

2. The classic selfie. Not even if you are about to go work out, if you are having an awesome hair day or if your mom bought you a killer new t-shirt.

3. The “seen on my run” photo. Without blur, it’s doubtful that any movement is occurring—you should probably stow that phone away and pick up the pace a little.

4. Any photo using the “Kelvin” filter. We can’t think of anything or anyone—other than the Situation—that looks better in an orange hue.

What I Wish I Would’ve Known as a Freshman

“Don’t worry about your first year. You’ll probably find yourself confused and frustrated from time to time ... If you really don’t know what college or major is best for you, you can determine that your sophomore year.”
-Junior Jake Armstrong

“During the winter cut through buildings to get to your classes. This way you won’t freeze to death!”
-Junior Megan Greenhalgh

“I wish I had worked out a plan to study abroad. Because I’m a senior it’s too late for me to do this. It’s a great opportunity that you should really look into.”
-Senior Justin Keller

Don’t be the person who...

- walks on the left side of the sidewalk
- wears Hawkeye clothing on campus
- asks a million questions in class
- never buys their own alcohol
- has a five minute conversation with the bus driver
- is perky in an 8 a.m. class
- wears a wife beater as outerwear
- eats a four course meal in class
- has an Iowa State tramp stamp
- showers with cologne
- corrects the teacher in class
- wears a wall of text on a t-shirt
- wears white pants and dark underwear
- uses hashtags in normal conversation
- says YOLO
- goes on a first date to the library