
The Opposition



Unhealthy social standards



- Monsters go into this job aspiring to be scarers
 - Being scary is a stereotype monsters are expected to live up to
 - Promotes a toxic and unhealthy “beauty” standards
 - Body image ideas of scarier monsters being more valuable since they are able to produce more screams (Monsters University: Mike was bullied for not being scary)
- The Scarers are similar to professional athletes being put on a higher pedestal than other professions
 - Being paid more
 - Top of the social ladder in schools
 - MU Frat house members were the top scarers and the “cool kids” on campus



**WE SCARE
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BECAUSE WE CARE**



Propaganda

- They use the news to promote false rumors about human children
 - When the sushi restaurant had a human, suspects lied and over exaggerated their experience
 - Cross contamination amongst monsters and children installs more fear and false rumors in the monster world
 - 23-19
 - The idea that children were dangerous was spread to justify the scaring
 - Similar to wartime propaganda used to justify attacking foreign countries
 - Turns monsters against humans
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Harvesting of resources (stealing from another dimension)



- In a global warming metaphor, the kids is the earth, the screams are fossil fuels
 - Stockholm Syndrome; if they were to kidnap kids, how fast would they adapt to their worst fears?
 - Not a sustainable resource
 - Scare shortage
 - Losing doors at an alarming rate (3 in a week)
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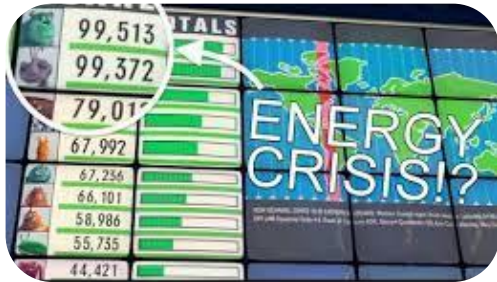


Not proper surveillance/ improper safety

- With proper surveillance Mr Waterhouse and Randall would have been caught earlier
 - A cover up by the CEO to conceal his actions
- Less likely for any children or worldly things to get into the monster world
 - Ex: socks/toys
 - Wasting taxpayers' dollars



Employment and jobs/workforce



- Gets rid of people that could expose him
 - Sending Mike and Sully to Nepal
 - Watnoose is willing to sacrifice all of his employees for his company
 - When Watnoose is threatened by Sully about the scream machine he says “I’d rather kidnap a thousand children before letting this company die”
 - His greed is fueling him
 - Washington Post CEO threatened workers employment for working at home during the pandemic
 - Before Labor Unions: forcing workers for tens of hours, with unfair wages. The more work you can do, the more money gained
 - Encourages unethical practice against employees, especially, with promoting competition and incentives
 - Sulley vs. Randall
 - Scream Record
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Employment and jobs/workforce continued



- Waternoose could've used resources and money to find a new form of energy on the side
 - Sulley and Mike found the solution to scare energy in a few days (laughter energy)
 - There was a scream shortage so there was pressing need to find a new energy source
- Using the scream machine is unsustainable
 - Kidnapping kids as an energy source would use their own resources
 - Could the kids survive the machine?



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