

School is a New and Strange World

Yippee! I'm going to public school!
People look at me rather strangely whenever I say this, but it's the truth, I'm genuinely excited to be going to public school.

But I'm only taking two courses at F.H. Collins -- science and band -- so I don't need to deal with too much of the madness that can

when they're there.

I know this one kid, he's a very nice, bouncy character who always has this great big smile on his face. Yet I saw him at school a couple of days ago and he had this stony poker face on. I waved to him, he glanced at me and continued on.

Later on, when none of his buddies were with him, he smiled and

about ripe, hopefully it will be completely ripe before the first snowfall.

Last year, we had to use our home-made grain dryer to dry off the seeds so they could be stored through the winter. With a longer growing season you don't have to do this but, up here in the North, harvesting vegetables at 20 below isn't unheard of.

The downside of using the home-made dryer is that it kills the batteries we use to power our house. We lost two of them the last time and even one of them costs more than my Dad's truck, though that isn't something hard to achieve.

My Mom is calling now, something about being late for school, so I had better go.

Until the next time ...

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Life on THE FARM

with Graham Rudge

sometimes go on at school.

I'm doing my math course through drop-in at the college, though I'm not technically old enough to go to the college as the official age where you can enrol is 16. They made an exception for me ... or they were just too busy to bother checking the age. Regardless, I'm a college student now.

You know in the movies where the bell rings and all the students go stampeding into the hallway, papers flying and shouts of joy ring in the hall? It's exactly like that, well, there aren't any cries of joy, everyone at this school is so serious.

The one thing I figured out from going to public school is that the people I know out of school have this completely different persona

waved at me as he walked past.

On a more farming-related topic, all the chickens have been butchered and not only at our place but at all the other farms as well. Now all that's left is the turkeys, but for some reason I don't think those get done until next year.

The grain in the field is just

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