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- *From:* Jerry McAllister <jerry@xxxxxxxx>
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On Wed, Nov 21, 2007 at 03:02:47PM -0300, Mario Lobo wrote:

On Wednesday 21 November 2007, Jerry McAllister wrote:

On Wed, Nov 21, 2007 at 09:11:28AM -0300, Mario Lobo wrote:

On Wednesday 21 November 2007, tusar kumar wrote:

hi
i want to know how can i assembly laptop. i
want a video copy

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Ahahahahah !

Sorry guys. That was really funny !

What was so funny??
I couldn't understand the question.
But, difficulty with the language is not something to laugh at.

///jerry

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Like I said before,

I presume he meant "I would like to know how to install FreeBSD on a laptop. Would you have a how-to video?"

Well, that actually helps clarify it. I think you may be right. Unfortunately, I don't think such a video has been made.

I wasn't making fun OF him but the possibility, the image of, that he really meant "assemble a laptop" sounded funny, that's ALL. Nothing else!.

Guess it kind of missed the mark. Oh well.

English is a foreign language for me one day. I am not a native english speaker. When I was learning english during my 6 months of exchange student in a Pendleton high school in Indiana back in 1975, I knew people would make fun of me. I EXPECTED that !. Among teenagers there is no politness. If you say something that sounds funny to them, they will laugh at you in a split second. No second thoughts about it. I had to accept my mistakes and laugh about them too, otherwise I would go nuts. And their laughs caused me no trauma at all.

Yup. but amongst adults, more discretion is expected. I spent a number of years being a youth leader to middle school (Junior High) age young people and know quite well how they can be. I also saw it as part of my adult duty to teach them more mature and considerate ways.

Being a foreign student from Brasil in a 400 people town in those days was almost like being from mars. I went to an elementary school where the students were assembled to hear me talk about my country. And I sttod up and said: "In Brasil we have lots of soccer championSHITS". All the kids broke into a roaring laughter. I was a little embarassed at first. I didn't know what I said wrong. As soon as someone told me what I said, I joined the kids.

Good. But no excuse.

I did not expect my microscopic comment to offend anyone. I sincerelly apologize and I swear that will never ever post an out-of-freebsd-subject comment again.

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Good to apologize.

I sure hope I can end this thread with this.

Yup.

I hope the OP can find some help installing FreeBSD.

///jerry

thanks,

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Mario Lobo

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