

As you probably know, I'm pretty much always on the lookout for interesting numberplates, meaning I've seen many thousands of them. Not all of them are positive, some are abusive and if you wanted to name your baby after a plate for whatever reason (maybe you think you're being out there or cool), basically all plate inspired names would be banned in most countries. You have to think of the child's future. Thinking of naming your child 'Wuss Fletcher', 'Fate Diver', 'L Rob Riders', or 'Max Lifer' (all plates I've seen, the last one being particularly alarming)? Just don't. A.I. says you'll be the one who is ostracised, which makes sense I suppose. However, A.I. has far more interesting insights. I Googled what would happen if yawning was made illegal, and in a second I was given a fascinating essay, saying face masks would be far more common, there would be a huge surveillance state always on the lookout for offenders, and as yawning is contagious, if you were to make another person yawn, that would be an offence too, that being inciting others to commit a crime! How does A.I. know so much about such a weird situation? Is it based on an already existing essay? If so, there are surely secret plans to make yawning illegal! Winston Churchill had a secret plan to invade Russia called 'Operational Unthinkable'. A good name for the idea I suppose, but I think it's more suited to the yawning conspiracy.

Anyway, numberplates. Wuss Fletcher? Not one of the most badass names, I'm struggling to think of any situation where that would be appropriate. In an act of desperation, the child could say Wuss is short for Wussiam or Wussard which doesn't sound QUITE so bad as they're not real words, but I worry the parent would say 'No, it is Wuss. I named him that myself! :D' A horrible thing to say, almost unbelievable even, but some people have named their children Lucifer and that kind of stuff. THAT'S out there. I mean God's arch nemesis? If I was God, I'd be so mad. I'd be like 'You have no IDEA what you have put me through!!!' This sounds evil, but I think Damien is a nice name, I just think it has a nice ring to it, like a softer version of Adrian! Apparently Damien means 'to conquer', very much like the word 'pown' which is another favourite word of mine, just don't name your son or daughter 'pown' that's all. I just don't want to conquer GOD. Fate Diver and L Rob Riders on the other hand, make great band names, I think. Again, child names not quite so much. What is a fate diver, I wonder? A.I. can't give me an explanation, which is surprising as again, how does it know what would happen if yawning was illegal? Similarly, 'Holy Diver' by Dio has some seriously weird and cryptic lyrics, I read the so called 'explanation' of its meaning and I still don't get it.

'L Rob' has a Spanish feel to it, 'el' in the language meaning 'The'. So, we have The Rob Riders, or if you want to go full-blown Spanish, we have 'Los Jinetes Del Robo'. (I don't know why 'el' has been replaced by 'los', but as I'm never going to mention rob riders if I ever visit the country, I guess it doesn't really matter). You never know though, I might get robbed by someone riding a moped, bike or even a horse for example, and if I did, it would be perfect blog material and a song, too. It would be such a bizarre event, it would make an ideal band name, as well. A horrible name for a boy or girl though. You might as well name it 'The Mugger', or as the Spanish would say 'El Atracador'. I'll tell you a truly awful name for someone: Ape (expletive), and I have seen that on a numberplate before, I know that sounds unbelievable. Ape Poo Wiedemann, and that's the milder version. Who in their right mind would name their child 'Max Lifer', though? Is that what you want for your child? Not to become a prime minister or a doctor, but to kill lots of people? Not only that, you're not even

wanting the best for your child even in a twisted way, as you hope it gets caught!
Rather worryingly, Max is a real forename obviously, but Lifer is a real surname, so there is most likely someone out there called Max Lifer. What makes the name particularly sad is such a person applying a job wouldn't have a chance, as his name would be interpreted as a description rather than what he's actually called. Oh no.
And bye!