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# 9 Things Everyone Who Studied Accounts In Malta Knows To Be True

Balance sheet rage is a real thing

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Studying is a personal experience that many people go through in their own ways. From the procrastinators to the early birds everyone has their own style of doing things. But going into the accounting industry means a lot of people have a lot of opinions about what you're going to be doing, and a lot of these aren't always correct.

## 1. Maltese people will always call you an *Accounter*

*"Ija ta n-neputi qed jistudja għal Accounter"*

Every. Damn. Time. You'll spend first year trying to correct them, but by second year you've accepted that this is your alternative job title.



## 2. People pity you for having a stuffy future full of suits and formal meetings

Every time you tell people you study accounts they give you a condescending: enjoy-these-years-cos-your-future-sucks look. But the joke's on them because the thought of working at a cool firm in a secure job sounds pretty ideal.

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## 3. But you're already counting your future cash

Sure, the studies may be tough, but every time you're in a slump you think of your future and start budgeting for things you haven't bought with money you haven't even earned. The future is bright.



#### 4. The rage is real when your balance sheet simply won't balance

You've checked every last line... *twice*. How is this not working? There must be an error in the original data given.

As annoying as this can be, it's *really* good practice for when you're trying to convince your CEO to stick within your budget once you've joined a company.



#### 5. But there's no greater feeling than seeing all the numbers line up in an exam

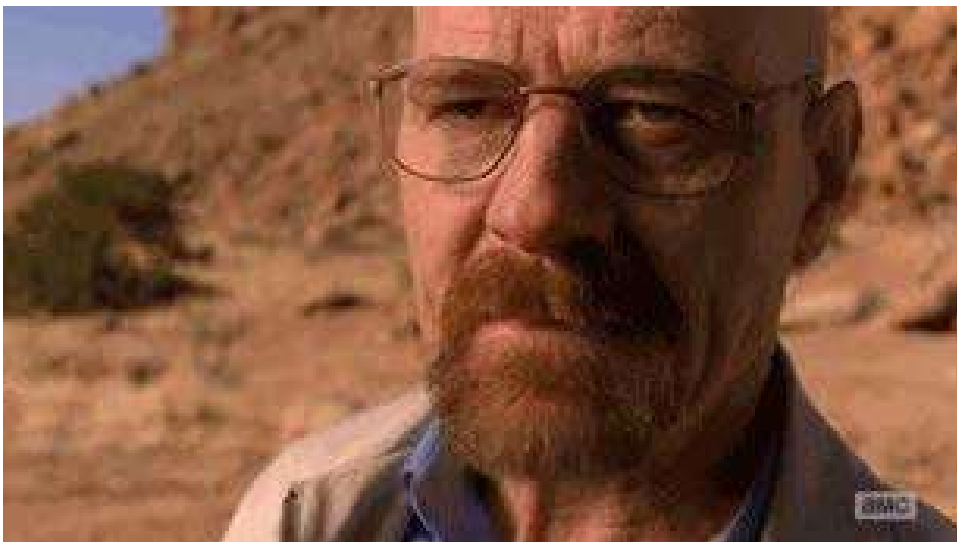
People can talk about knowing what the best feeling in the world is, but till they've sat for an accounting exam and seen all the tables balance out, they genuinely don't know what they're talking about.

In the real world this also plays out nicely when you and your CEO finally see eye to eye and everything goes back to being pleasant once more.



## 6. Everyone thinks your course is super easy

Like, how did this rumour even start? What part of dealing with money, balancing sheets and spending sleepless nights on assignments sounds easy? The plus side to this is that you learn early on that having a good team to support you can make all the difference.



## 7. You know how important an internship can be

It may not be your dream position right away, but getting that work experience in early can help you float through your course, and get a good job when you're done, with a lot more ease. It also exposes you to lots of different working environments.



## 8. You can always tell who from your massive class will be dropping out soon

Your course may start out with 200 hopefuls, but it's not hard to tell who's here because they thought this was a get-rich-quick course, as opposed to a dedicated field. By the end of Semester 1, you start ticking off names to see if your predictions were right.



## 9. Only other accounting students really understand what you do

Only your accounting buddies will truly know what you're talking about half the time. If you work for a fun company, your coworkers become a second family to you, and really that's all you could ask for. Even client relations can be fun if you're surrounded by the right people.

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