## THE RULES CALL TO ACTION DAKartist

The RULES are a call to action. We have broad agreement that the climate crisis is imminent and yet we allow greed to put our children at risk. This cannot continue.

We have generations of evidence that vaccinations are a clear path to a safer future yet we allow individuals to put us in jeopardy because of fear and misinformation. This cannot continue.

We have countless empirical, observable and scientific proofs that the earth is round yet there is a growing number of people who spread lies that it is flat. This cannot continue.

We, as a society, have lost our faith in those in power because those in power have abused it for too long. It is time for a reckoning. We must all be held accountable for our mistakes and accountable to society and the RULE of law.

The days of questioning are past, we now need answers. The days of mistrust are past, we now need consensus. The days of making it up as we go along are gone, we now need a plan.

It starts with understanding. These three examples are not isolated. They are connected by a mistrust of power, misunderstanding of the scientific method and the desperate need for attention. Anti-vaxxers, flat earthers, and climate deniers all gain something by being the person who breaks the RULES. There is glory in rebellion but sooner or later we all need to grow the fuck up and be responsible. These are not matters of fact but issues of psychology.

It is time we come together and stop humouring these ideas. The climate crisis is here, the crisis in capitalism is here (no one needs any more stuff), the crisis of overpopulation is here. The RULES are a framework to approach these crises with calm and purpose. Lets get some things straight;

Gravity is a RULE

The earth is ROUND

Vaccines WORK. They may cause some harm but are BETTER THAN THE FUCKING DISEASES THAT KILLED AND MAIMED HUMANS FOR MILLENIA.

Climate Crisis and rising water level are coming.

Universal RULES are universally applicable to all humans and will effect us all together, no matter your station or identity.

No being is free of all RULES. The joy of creating within a strict set of RULES is something we must learn to enjoy as our freedom to be wrong is diminished due to the risk of catastrophe.

Since I was in school, I was told my generation would have to make sacrifices and innovate to solve global crises such as climate, fossil fuels running out, plastic waste, pollution and more. This has been consistently drummed into me and my peers our entire life. Understanding that although RULES are restricting, that very restriction can lead to greater freedom of expression and peace is paramount.

The RULES aren't shackles, they are reality. A reality that is beautiful and full of potential if you just look past the restrictions.

Come. Look past your own history without losing it. Find your own RULES and make them Universal. Let's make this world a better place.