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FAUX-MATH

If you to have to ask yourself if you're eccentric, you're probably not.

EXTRA

ECCENTRIC LOGIC

ECCentricity = **MaD**_N**GI**_{SS} \cap Reason

Faux-Math \rightarrow English: The intersection of two sets A and B is written mathematically as $A \cap B$. For art, *eccentricity* is the intersection of *madness* and *reason*. Madness and reason can work together to make truly original art -- when they're not beating the shit out of each other.

ECCENTRICITY THEORY

$$\frac{A_s}{A_f} = 3$$

Faux-Math \rightarrow English: For work of art A to be *ideally eccentric*, its ratio of *strange to familiar* must be three. Even true originality must be relatable to some degree, if it's to be enjoyed. The number three came to me in a dream.

A MATHEMATICAL UNDERSTANDING OF GENIUS

$$\text{Genius} = i^{(h_a + v)} - e^{n(0)} / i(d + e^a)$$