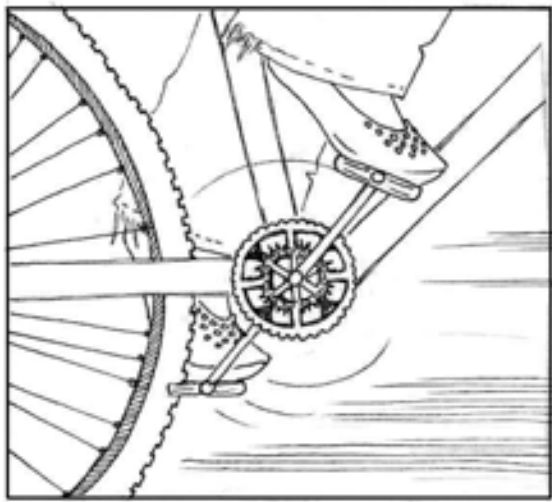






JESSE!





I wonder what's going on...



Miss Tolinka,
late as usual.

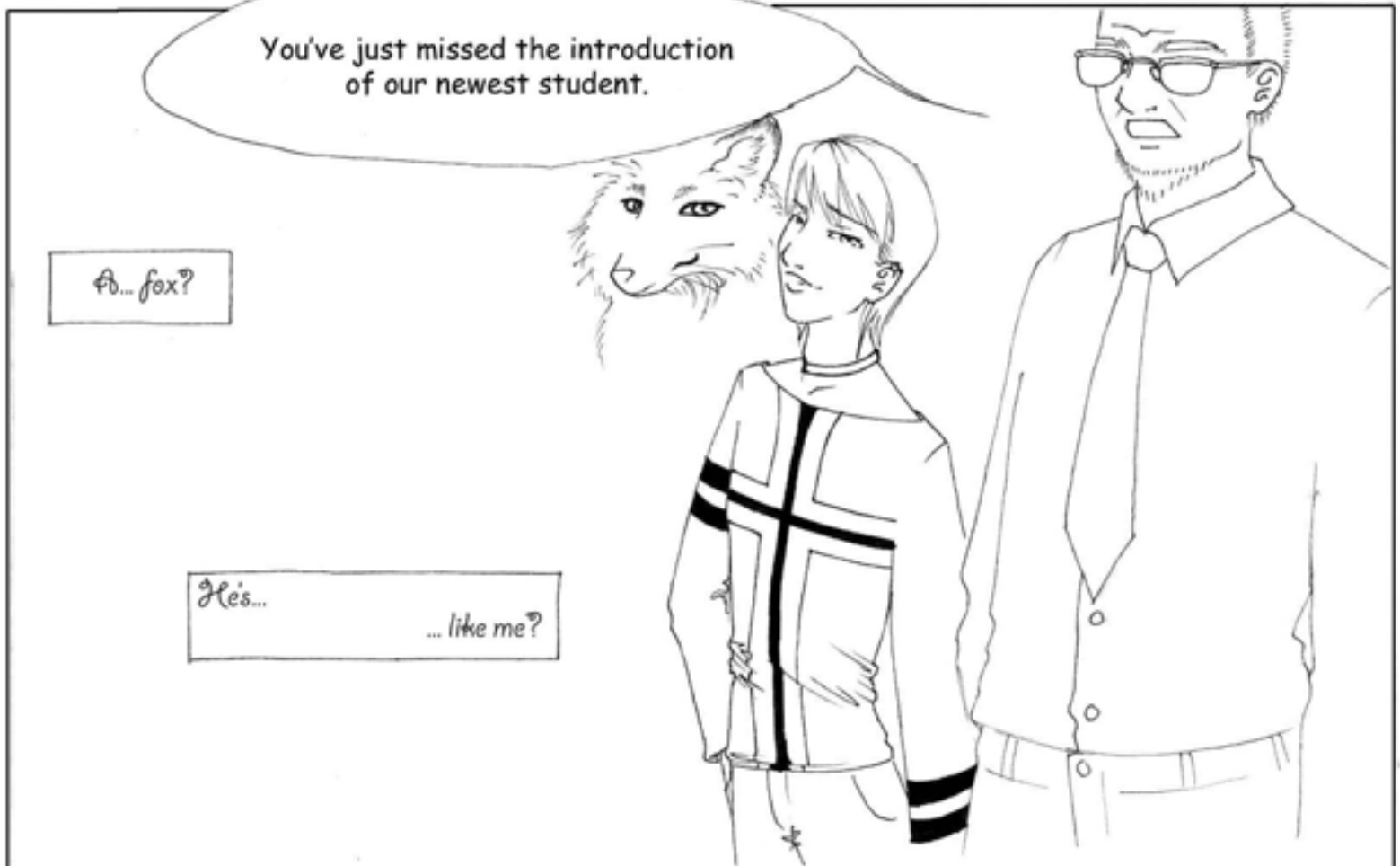


You've just missed the introduction
of our newest student.

fb... fox?

He's...


... like me?



I'm sure the others can fill her in on what she's missing.



I have known you all of two minutes, and I already loathe you.

I don't think I'm missing out on much, jerkface. 



You two can flirt later. Get to your seats, please.

I did learn his name later -
GENKURŌ

He did not improve on closer acquaintance, and yet...



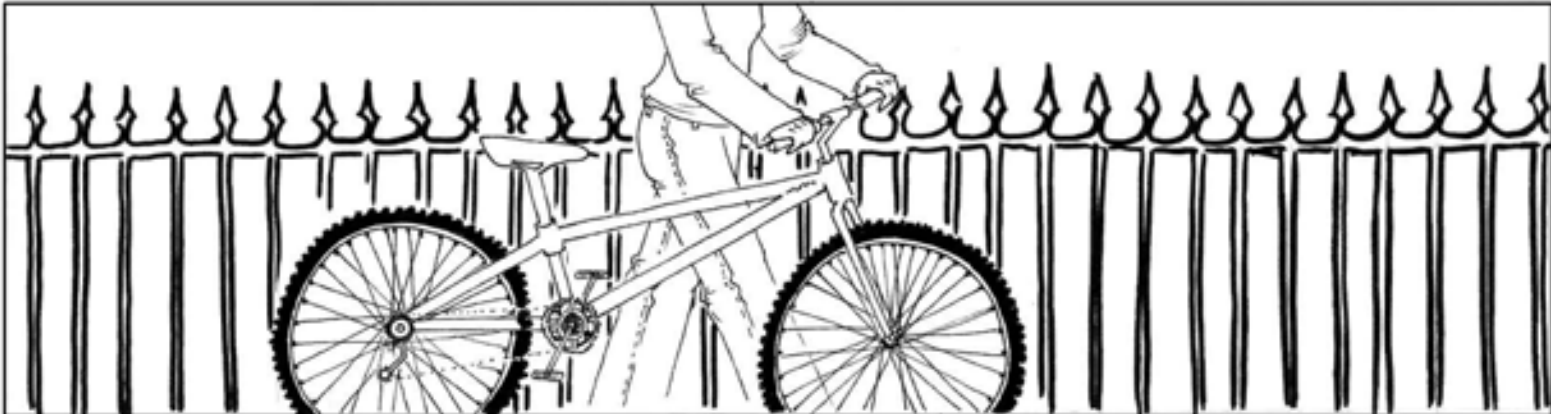
three weeks later...

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... And yet I have a crush on him.
Well, here goes nothing -



I'll probably be laughed out of school.



Jesse. May I
have a moment?





I got something for you, too.



Well DUH.

Also, I just asked you out.
So is that a 'yes,' or 'no?'



THE END