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VOL. 1

MY HERO ACADEMIA



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*It's starting!

This is my third series to be collected into graphic novels. Forgive me if this sounds reckless, but the thing I prioritize most when drawing manga is creating something that I can enjoy. This one might not remain popular, but for now, I'll just be happy if everyone finds it as fun as I do.

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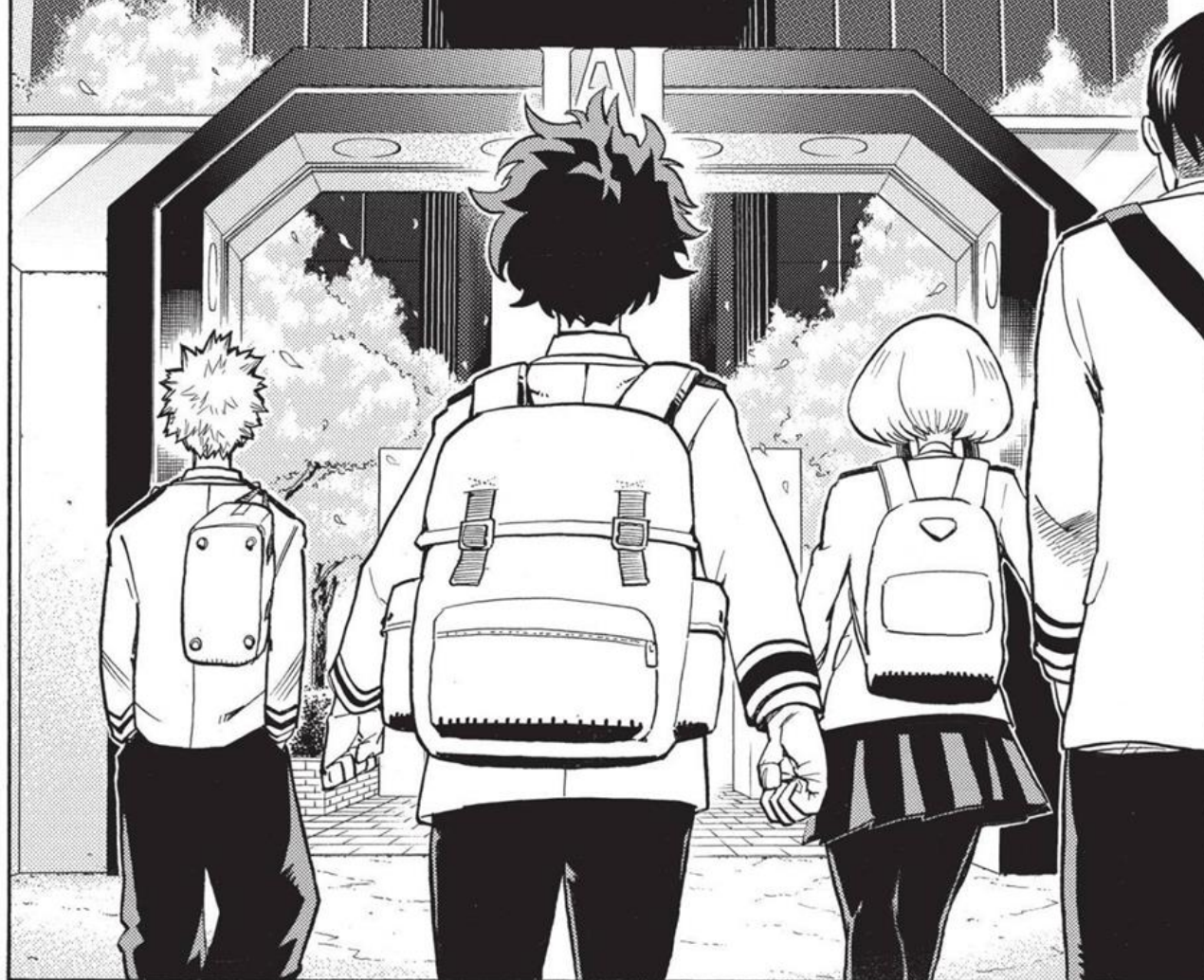


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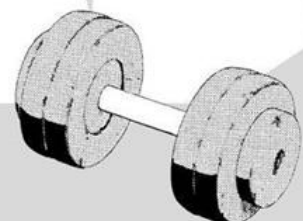


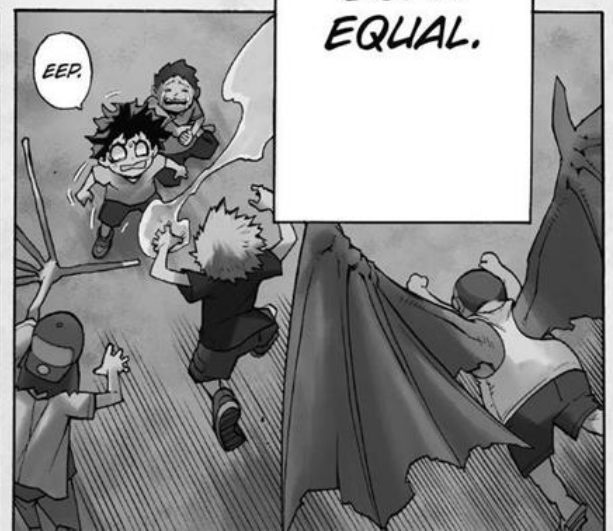
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...WAS MY
FIRST AND
LAST
SETBACK.

A GIANT
VILLAIN!!



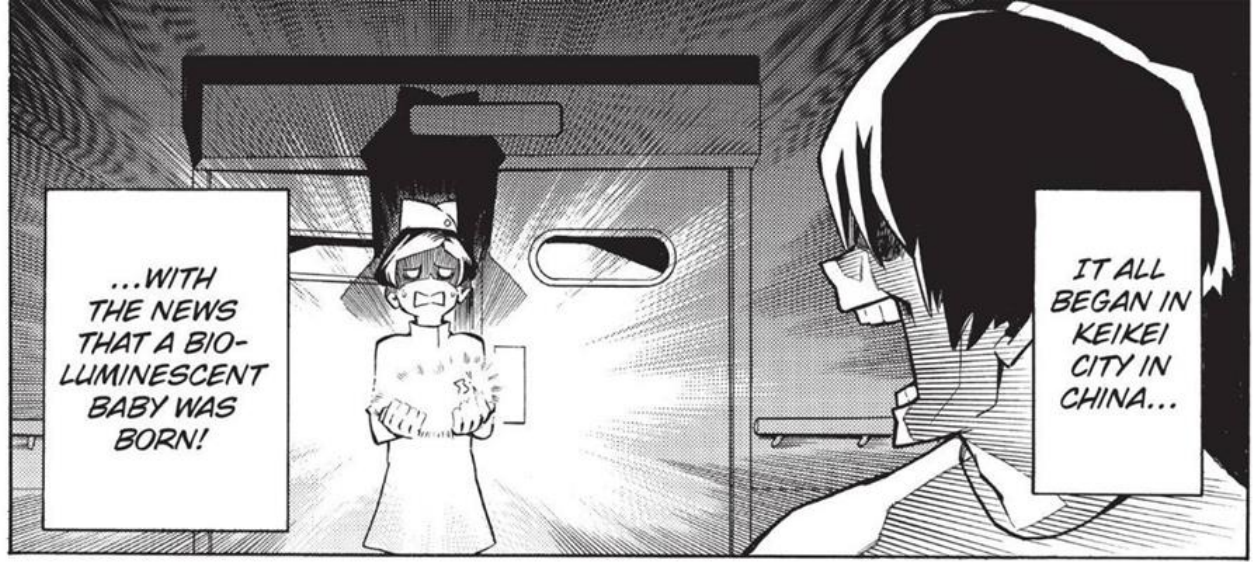
BUT
THAT
...

WOW.

NO.1 - IZUKU MIDORIYA: ORIGIN

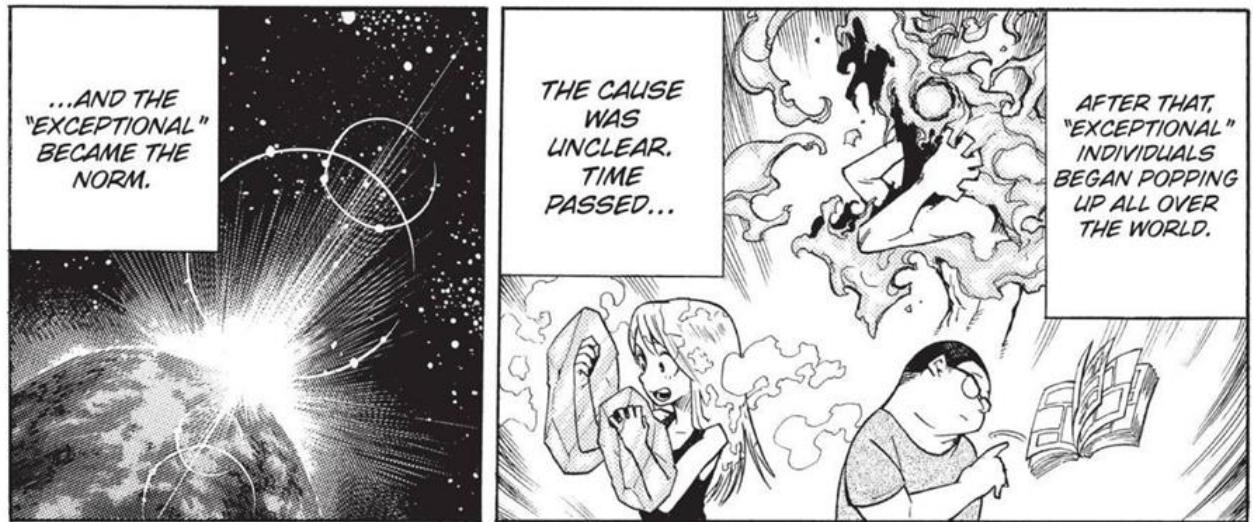


**MY HERO
ACADEMIA**



...WITH
THE NEWS
THAT A BIO-
LUMINESCENT
BABY WAS
BORN!

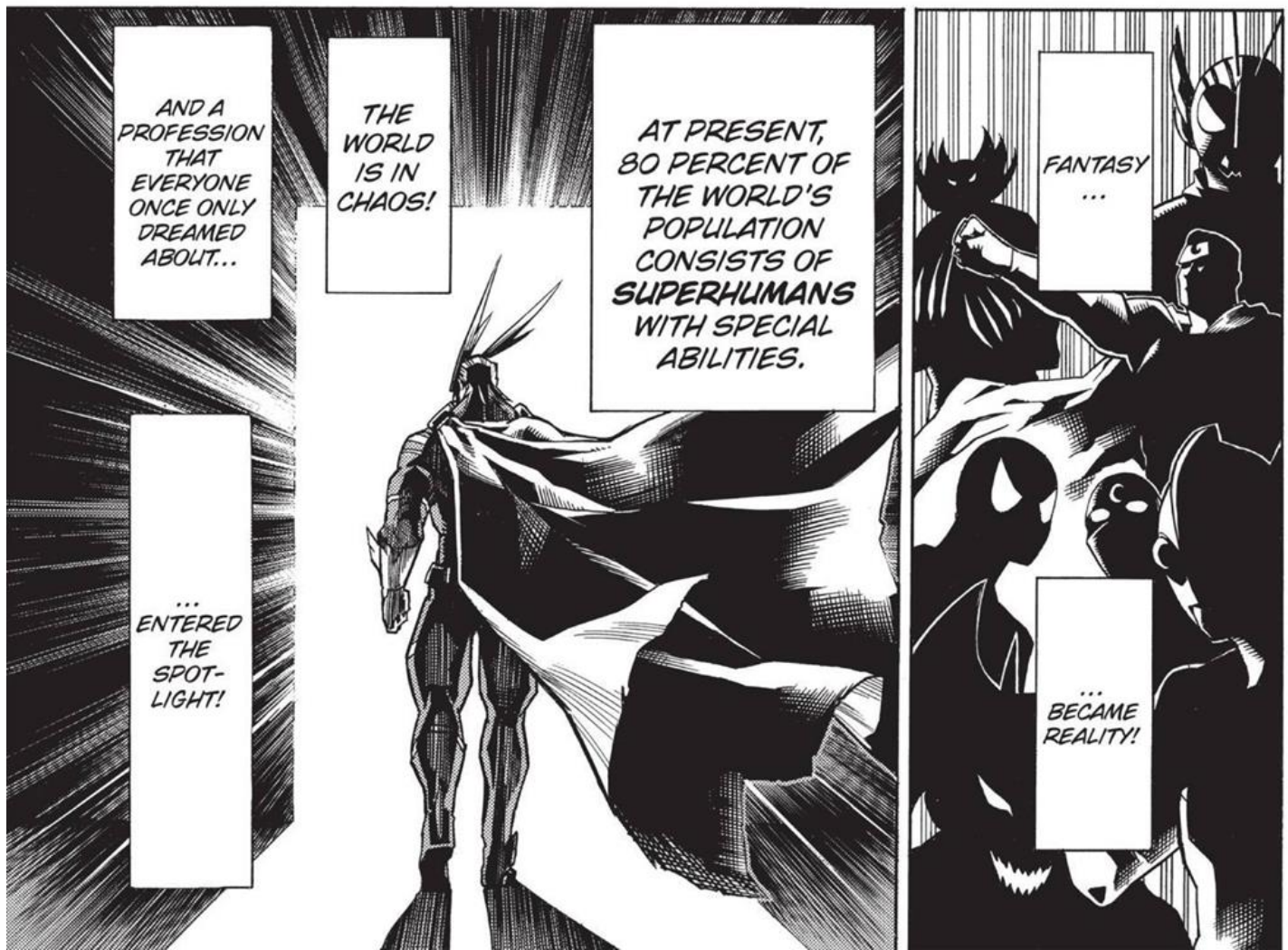
IT ALL
BEGAN IN
KEIKEI
CITY IN
CHINA...



...AND THE
"EXCEPTIONAL"
BECAME THE
NORM.

THE CAUSE
WAS
UNCLEAR.
TIME
PASSED...

AFTER THAT,
"EXCEPTIONAL"
INDIVIDUALS
BEGAN POPPING
UP ALL OVER
THE WORLD.



AND A
PROFESSION
THAT
EVERYONE
ONCE ONLY
DREAMED
ABOUT...

THE
WORLD
IS IN
CHAOS!

AT PRESENT,
80 PERCENT OF
THE WORLD'S
POPULATION
CONSISTS OF
SUPERHUMANS
WITH SPECIAL
ABILITIES.

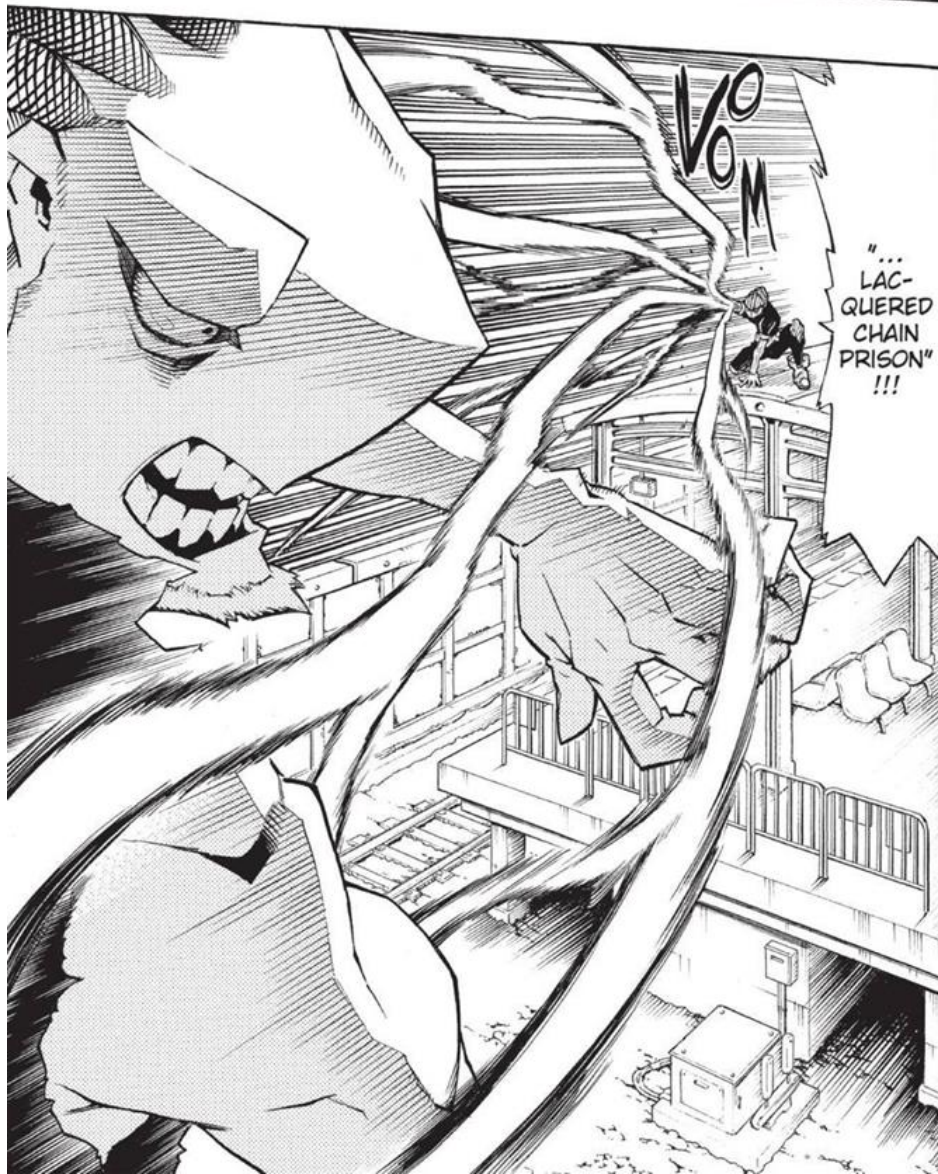
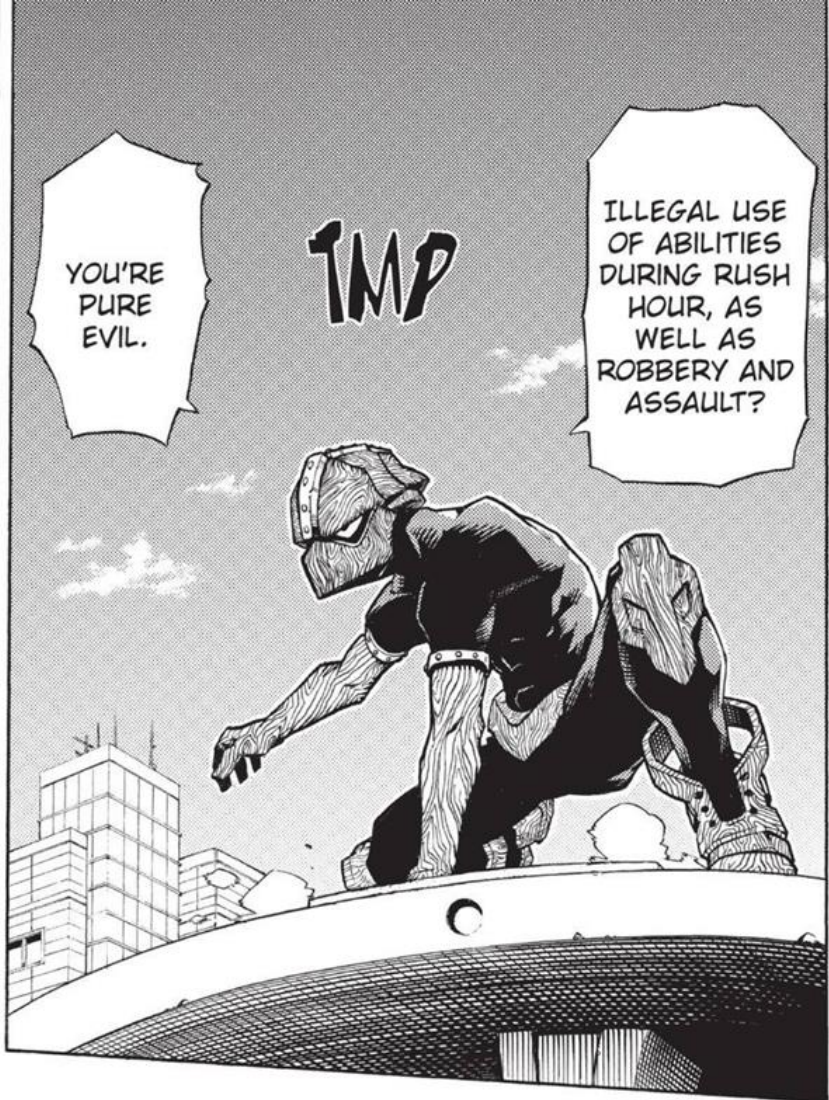
FANTASY
...

...
ENTERED
THE
SPOT-
LIGHT!

...
BECAME
REALITY!

GET AWAYYYYYYYY!







WITH PUBLIC
SUPPORT,
SOME QUICKLY
ACQUIRED THE
RIGHT TO
SERVE AS
HEROES IN AN
OFFICIAL
CAPACITY.

...
PROTECTING
THE PEOPLE
FROM
EVILDOERS!

...BRAVE
INDIVIDUALS
TOOK
UP THE
MANTLE OF
HEROES
STRAIGHT
OUT OF
COMIC
BOOKS...

WHILE
NATIONS
STRUGGLED
TO
OVERHAUL
THEIR LEGAL
SYSTEMS...

ALONG
WITH THE
EXCEPTIONAL
ABILITIES
CAME AN
EXPLOSION IN
THE CRIME
RATE.

DEPENDING
ON THEIR
PERFORMANCE,
THEY HAVE THE
POTENTIAL TO
EARN...

GOVERNMENT
PAY!

FAME AND
GLORY!

THANKS!
I'LL TRY!!

TAKING
NOTES?! I
GUESS YOU
WANNA BE
A HERO
YOURSELF.
GOOD
LUCK!!

GIGANTIFICATION, HUH?
IT'S A COMMON AND
QUITE POWERFUL QUIRK,
BUT COULD THE THREAT
OF PUBLIC PROPERTY
DESTRUCTION LIMIT ITS
USE? WELL... DEPENDS
ON WHETHER OR NOT
SHE CAN MANIPULATE
HER SIZE AT WILL.

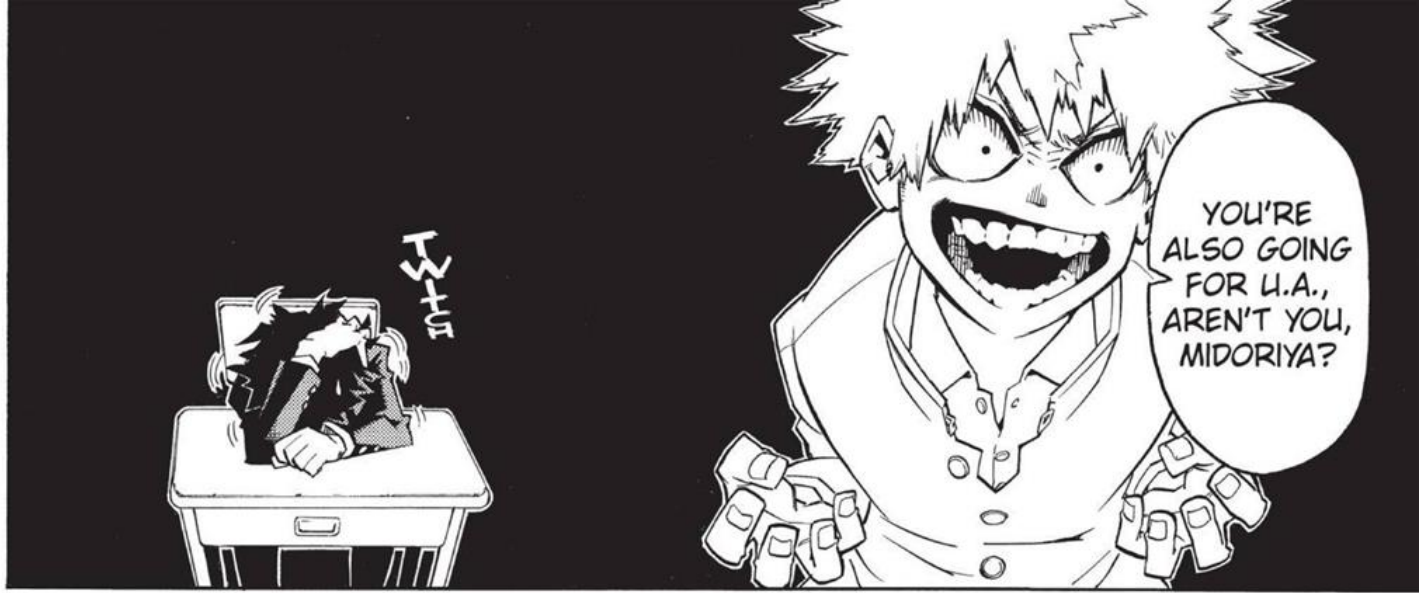
WAAH!

RUSTLE

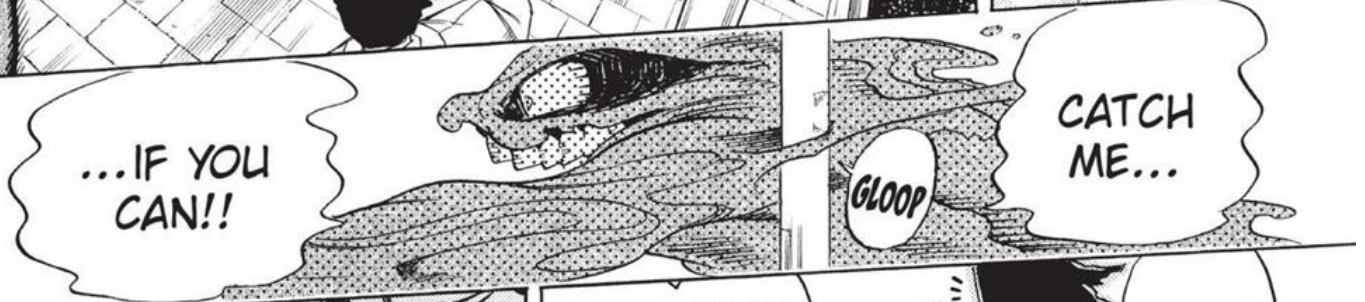
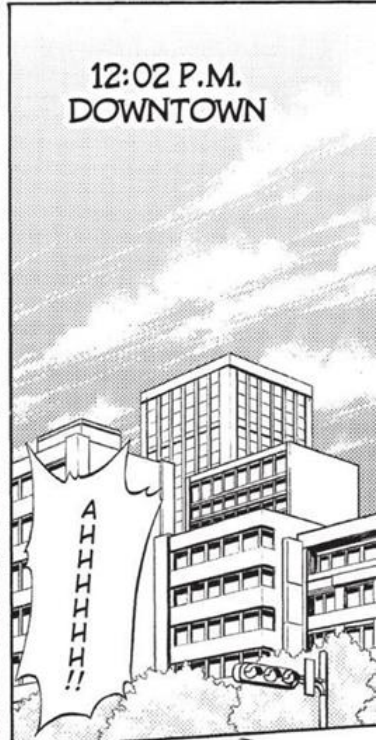
FWIP
IT'S TIME
TO START
THINKING
SERIOUSLY
ABOUT YOUR
FUTURES!

YOU GUYS
ARE ALL
THIRD-
YEARS NOW.











I
AM
HERE
!!



THE
INCIDENT
THIS
MORNING IS
ALL OVER
THE NET!

I CAN'T
TODAY!

LET'S
GO TO
KARAOKE.



WE AIN'T
DONE
HERE,
DEKU.

AH!



I'D
BETTER
GET HOME
AND GET MY
NOTES IN
ORDER.

* BOOK COVER: HERO ANALYSIS FOR MY FUTURE, NO.13



H
U
H
H
H
?!

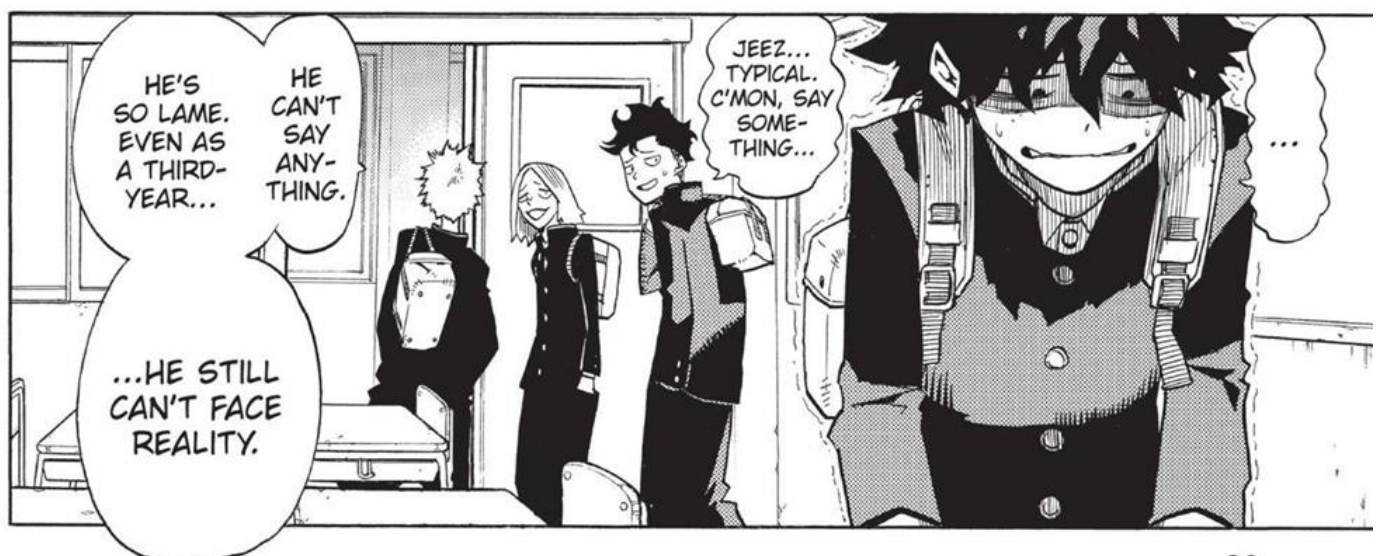
BOOM



"FOR MY
FUTURE"?
SERIOUSLY?!
THIS GUY,
MIDORIYA...

WHAT'S
THAT,
KATSUKI?

C-COME
ON. GIVE
IT BACK!!





IF YOU THINK YOU'LL HAVE A QUIRK IN YOUR NEXT LIFE...GO TAKE A SWAN DIVE OFF THE ROOF!!

YOU WANNA BE A HERO SO BAD? I'VE GOT A TIME-SAVING IDEA FOR YOU.

Oh.



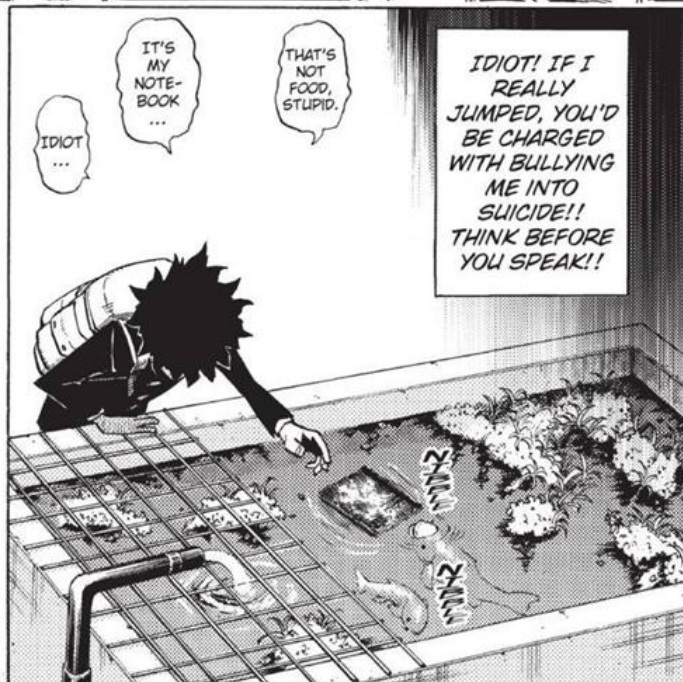
YEAH? WHAT?



IDIOT ...

COMPUTER!

MOM.



IT'S MY NOTE-BOOK ...

THAT'S NOT FOOD, STUPID.

IDIOT ...

IDIOT! IF I REALLY JUMPED, YOU'D BE CHARGED WITH BULLYING ME INTO SUICIDE!! THINK BEFORE YOU SPEAK!!





...AN
OLD
CLIP...

IT
WAS
...



IT'S A
LITTLE TOO
SCARY FOR
MOMMY TO
WATCH.

IZUKU,
I THINK YOU'RE
RESPONSIBLE
FOR TENS OF
THOUSANDS OF
THIS VIDEO'S
VIEWS.

AGAIN
?!

HURRY
Y.



AND
IT'S ONLY
BEEN TEN
MINUTES
SO FAR!!
WOW!!

HE'S
ALREADY
SAVED A
HUNDRED
PEOPLE!!
WOW!!

ARE
YOU
SEEING
THIS?!

THERE WAS
THIS BIG
DISASTER A
WHILE BACK.
BUT IN THE
AFTERMATH...

...A
CERTAIN
HERO
MADE HIS
DEBUT.

AND HE'S
SMILING!!



0:25 / 7:31



I AM
HERE!!



FEAR
NOT!
WHY, YOU
ASK?
CUZ...



...I WANNA
BE JUST
LIKE HIM!!

GRIN

HE'S SO
COOOOOOL!!
WHEN I GET
MY QUIRK...



I'M AFRAID
THERE'S NO
HOPE FOR
HIM.



AND MY
HUSBAND
CAN
BREATHE
FIRE.

YES, OF
COURSE...

I CAN PULL
SMALL
OBJECTS
TOWARDS
ME.

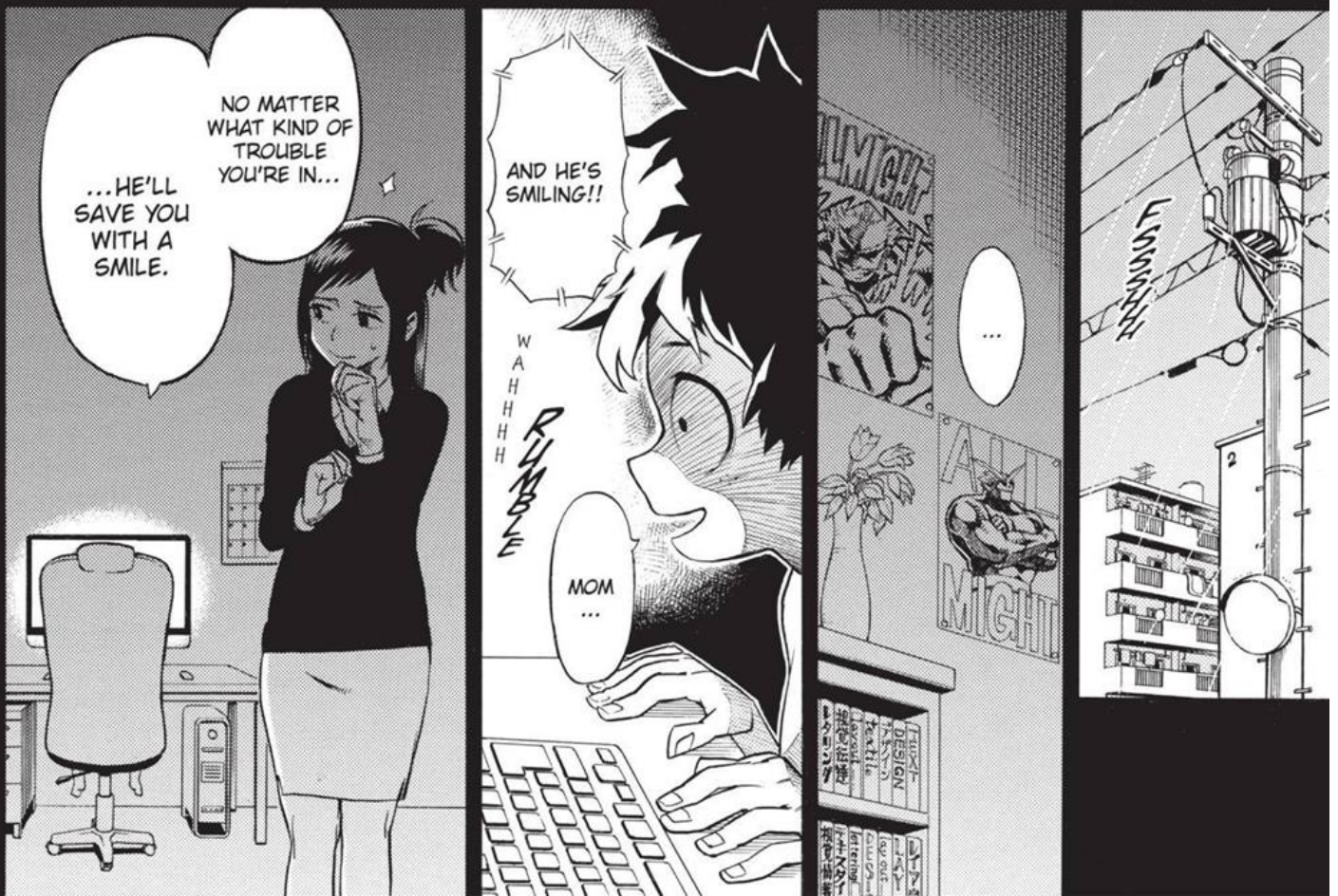
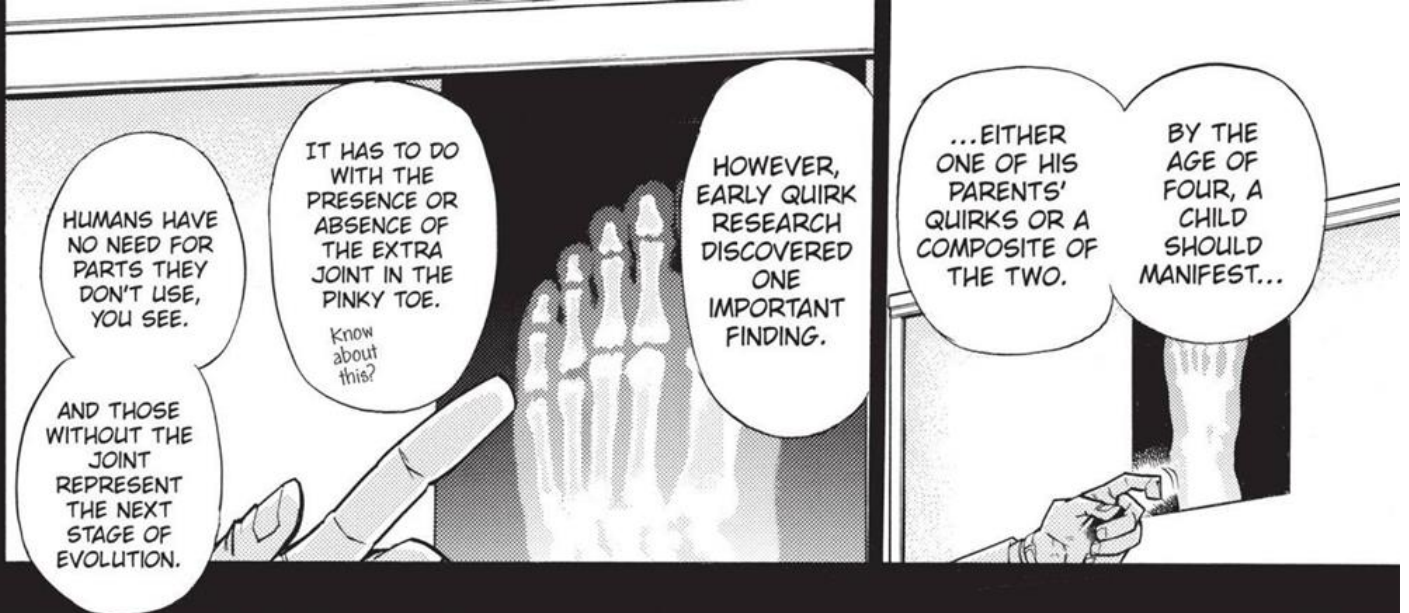
PARDON MY
ASKING,
MA'AM, BUT
YOU'RE
FOURTH
GENERATION,
YES?

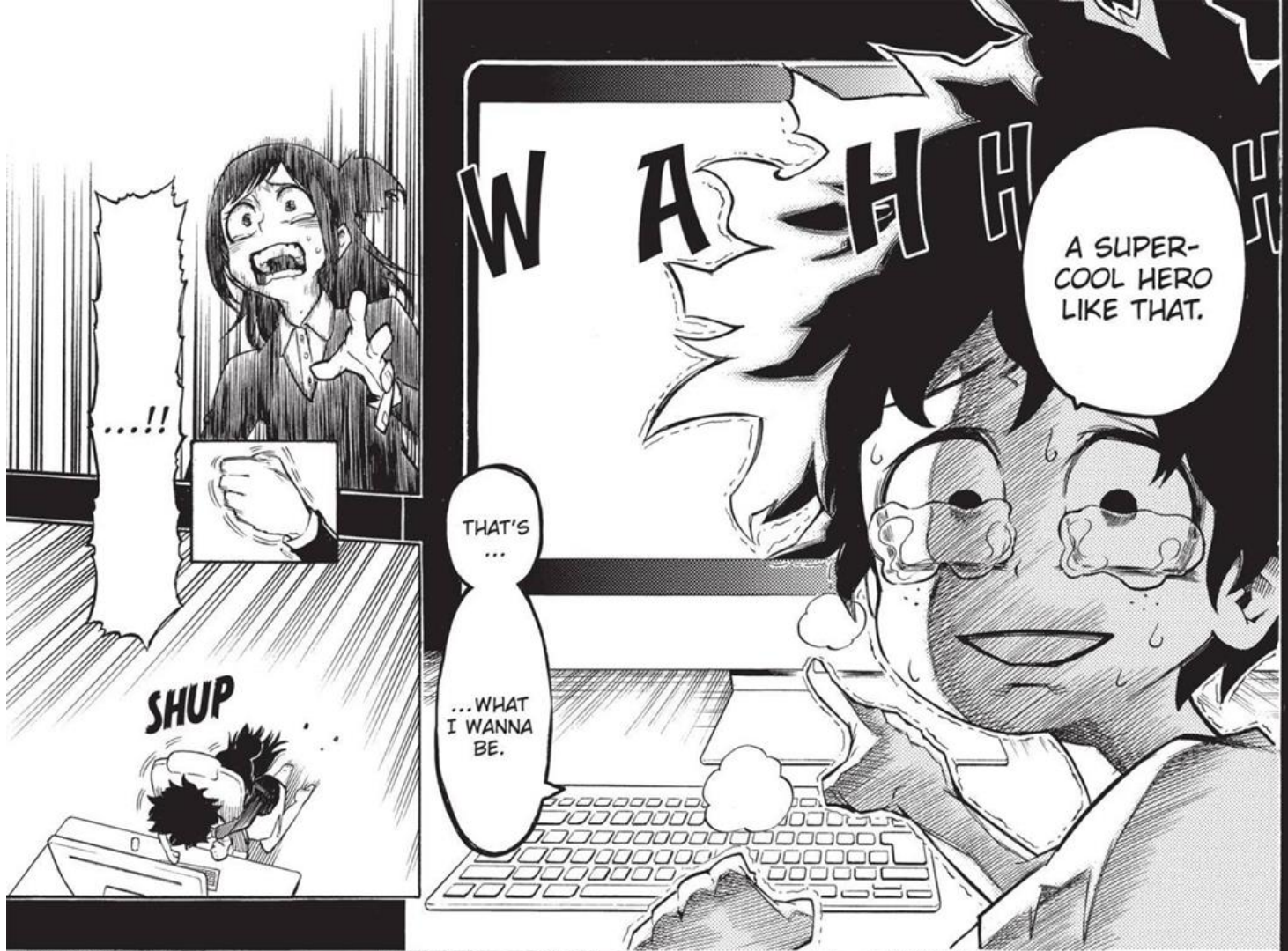
AS
FAR AS
QUIRKS, I
MEAN...

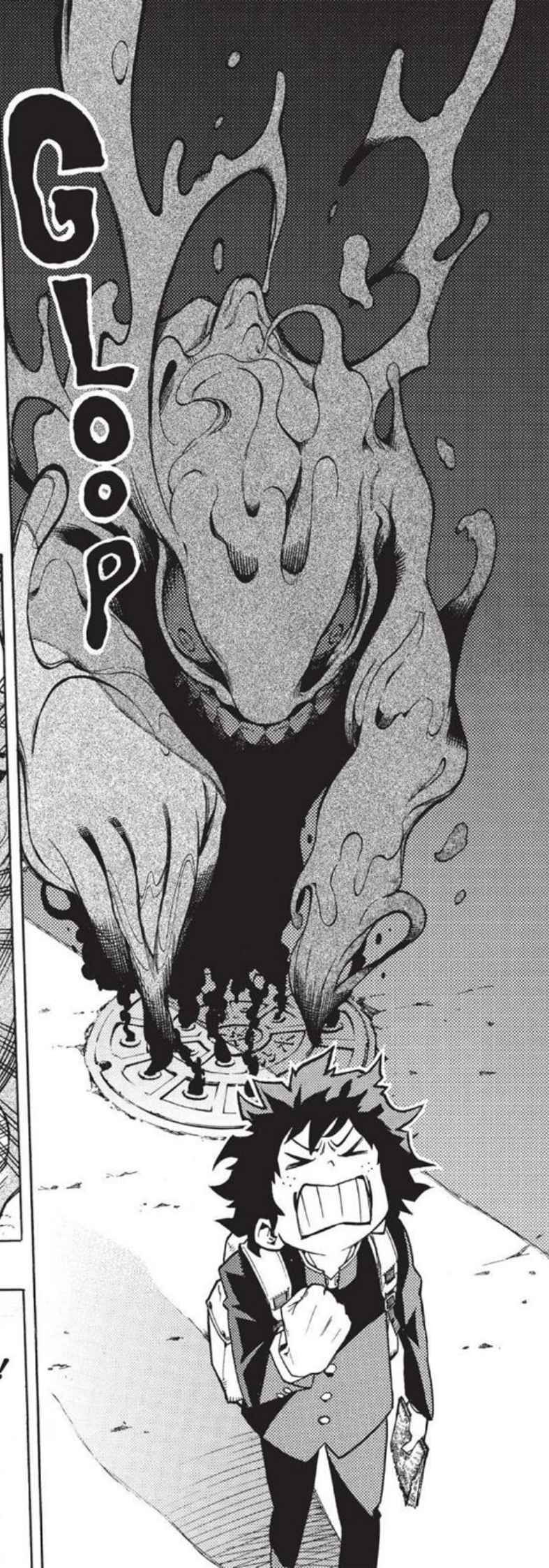
THE OTHER
KINDER-
GARTNERS
HAVE ALL
STARTED
SHOWING
SIGNS, BUT...

NO! THERE
MUST BE
SOME
MISTAKE?











MMF !!

I NEVER THOUGHT HE'D SHOW UP IN THIS TOWN.

I'M SAVED. YOU'RE A REAL HERO.

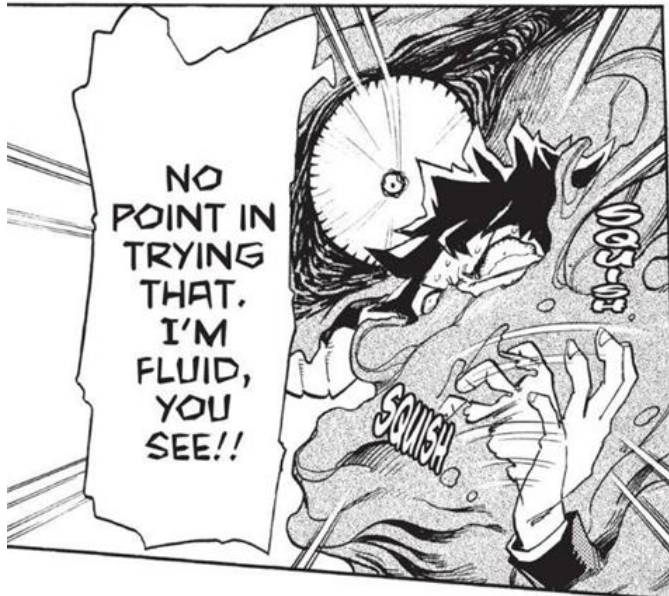
CREEP

I'M JUST HIJACKING YOUR BODY. CALM DOWN.

CREEP

DON'T WORRY.

IT'LL ONLY HURT FOR ABOUT 45 SECONDS... THEN IT'LL ALL BE OVER.



NO POINT IN TRYING THAT. I'M FLUID, YOU SEE!!

005-13

SMASH



NGH!! UGH...



NO...



SOMEONE HELP! I'M DYING!!



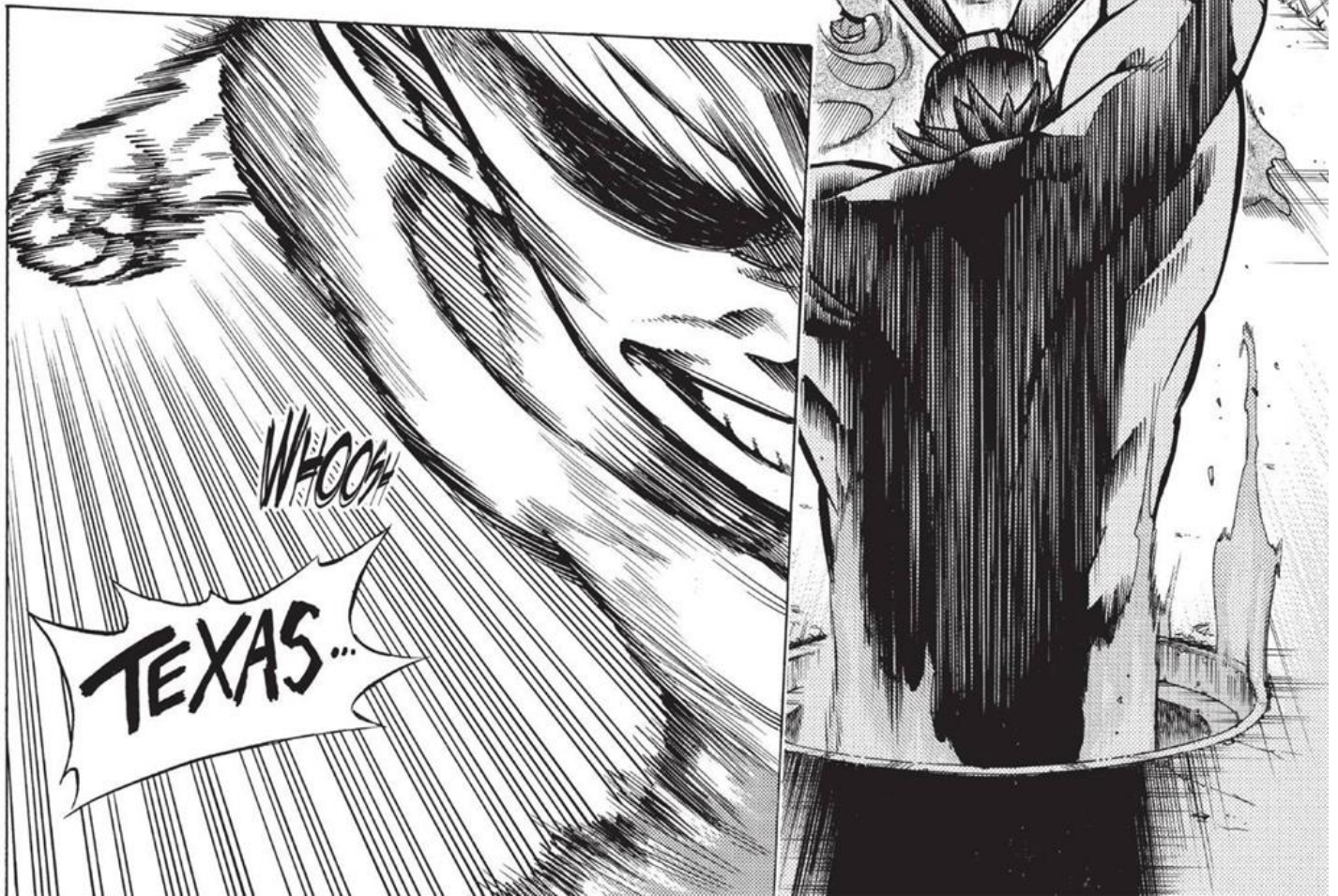
I'M DYING!

I'M GONNA DIE?!



I CAN'T BREATHE! MY BODY... GETTING WEAK...

FLAP

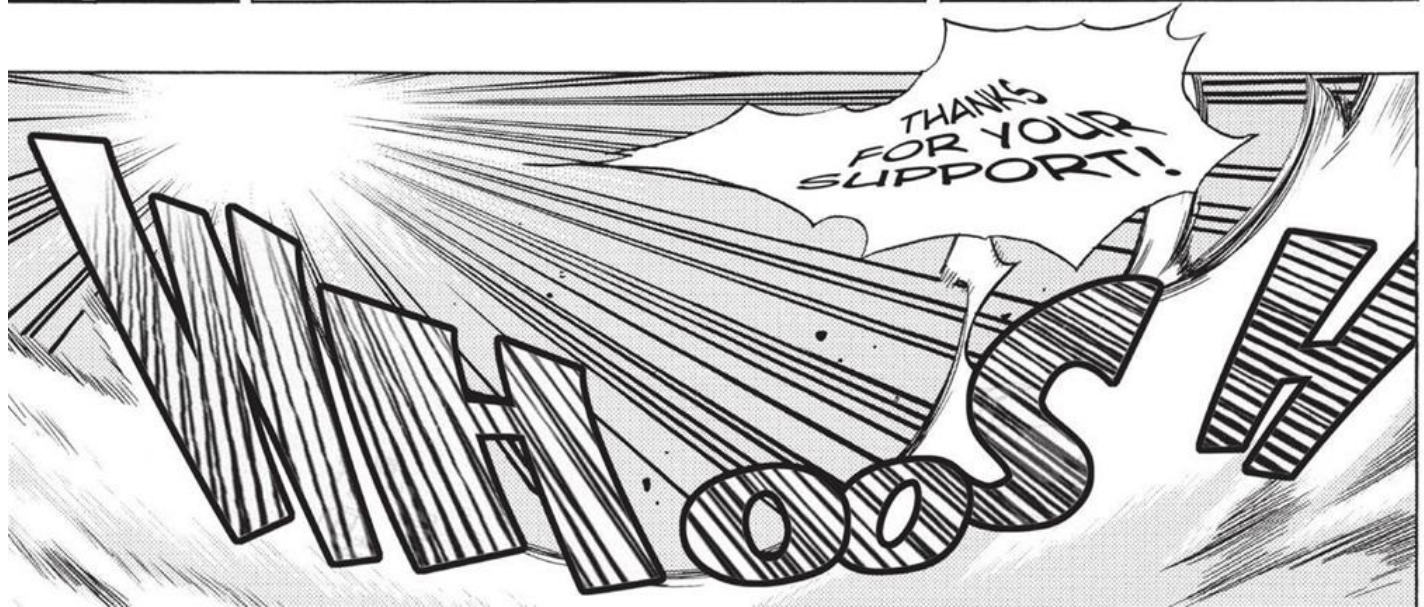






NO. 1 HERO: ALL MIGHT















...BECOME
A HERO
LIKE YOU?

CAN
SOMEONE
WITHOUT
A QUIRK
...



QUIRKS
ARE...



I THINK THAT
SAVING PEOPLE
IS JUST ABOUT
THE COOLEST
THING SOMEONE
CAN DO.

THAT'S
WHY...
MAYBE
THAT'S
WHY...

BUT I'VE
ALWAYS
BEEN
PICKED
ON...

BECAUSE I
DON'T HAVE
A QUIRK, I...
WELL, MAYBE
THAT'S NOT
THE ONLY
REASON.



OH NO...
DAMN
IT ALL...

WHOOSH





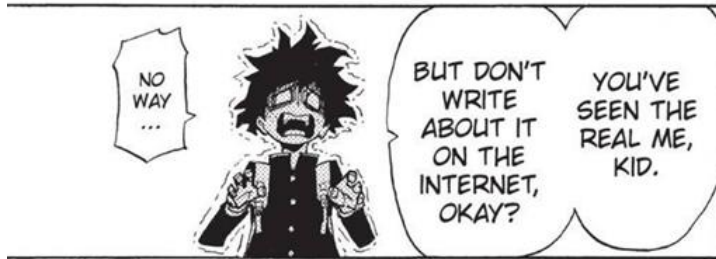
NO WAY !!

YOU KNOW HOW PEOPLE HOLD IN THEIR GUT AT THE POOL?

IT'S LIKE THAT!



NO WAY !!



NO WAY ...

BUT DON'T WRITE ABOUT IT ON THE INTERNET, OKAY?

YOU'VE SEEN THE REAL ME, KID.



Sigh...

SIT

A FEARLESS SMILE, HUH...



EET!



I'VE WASTED AWAY BECAUSE OF THE AFTER-EFFECTS OF THOSE SURGERIES.

MY RESPIRATORY SYSTEM WAS NEARLY DESTROYED, AND MY STOMACH WAS REMOVED.

I CAN ONLY DO MY HERO WORK FOR ABOUT THREE HOURS A DAY NOW.



SWF

FIVE YEARS AGO...AN ENEMY DID THIS TO ME.



**...MUST
NEVER BE
DAUNTED
BY EVIL.**

**A SYMBOL
OF PEACE
WHO SAVES
PEOPLE
WITH A
SMILE...**



**THAT
LOWLIFE?
HE COULD
NEVER DO
THIS TO
ME!**

**WAS THAT
WHEN YOU
FOUGHT
TOXIC
CHAINSAW?**

**FIVE
YEARS
AGO
...?**

**You've
done your
homework.**

CLENCH



**THAT
IS, I
ASKED
THAT IT
NOT BE
MADE
PUBLIC.**

**THIS WAS
NEVER
MADE
PUBLIC.**



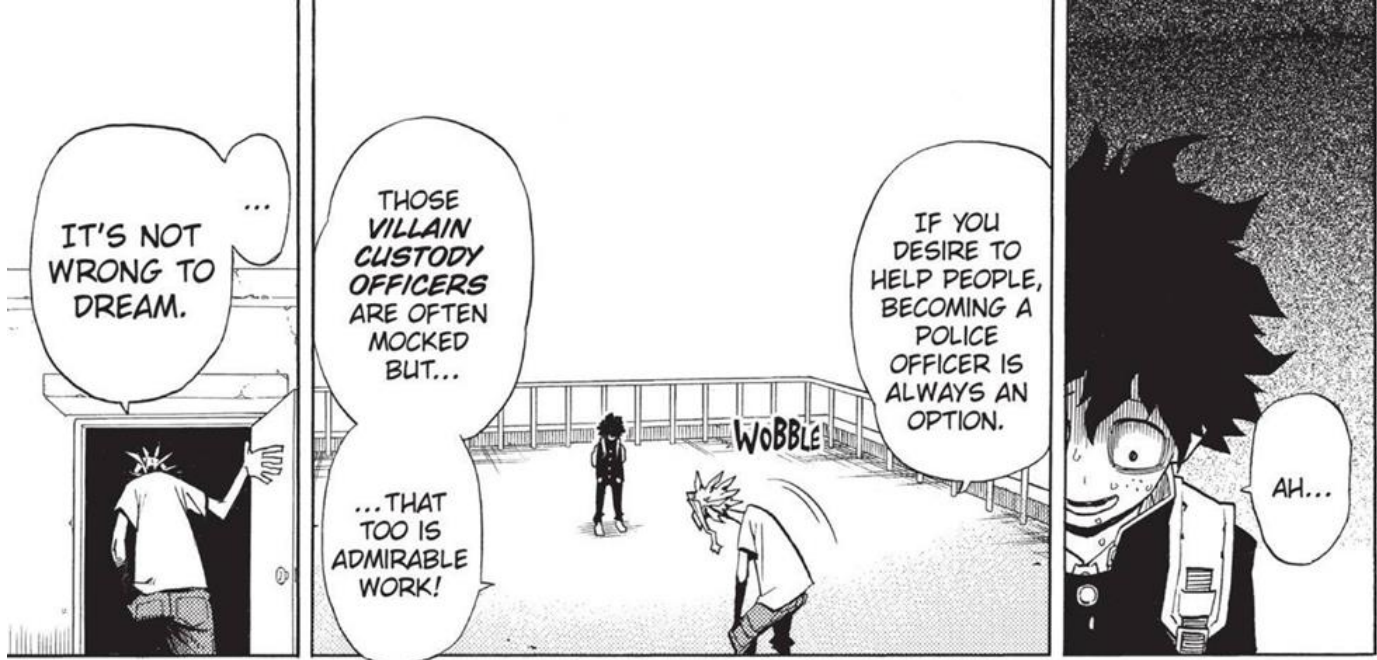
**WITHOUT
POWER, CAN
ONE BECOME
A HERO? NO,
I SHOULD
THINK NOT.**

**A PRO
SHOULD
ALWAYS
BE READY
TO RISK
HIS LIFE.**



**...IS TO STAVE
OFF THE
OVERWHELMING
PRESSURE AND
FEAR I FEEL.**

**THE
REASON I
SMILE...**











SO HARD
NOT TO
SEE, TO
IGNORE
REALITY.

YEAH.



HEY.

...



OH HHH

IS
THAT
HIM?!
HOW?!

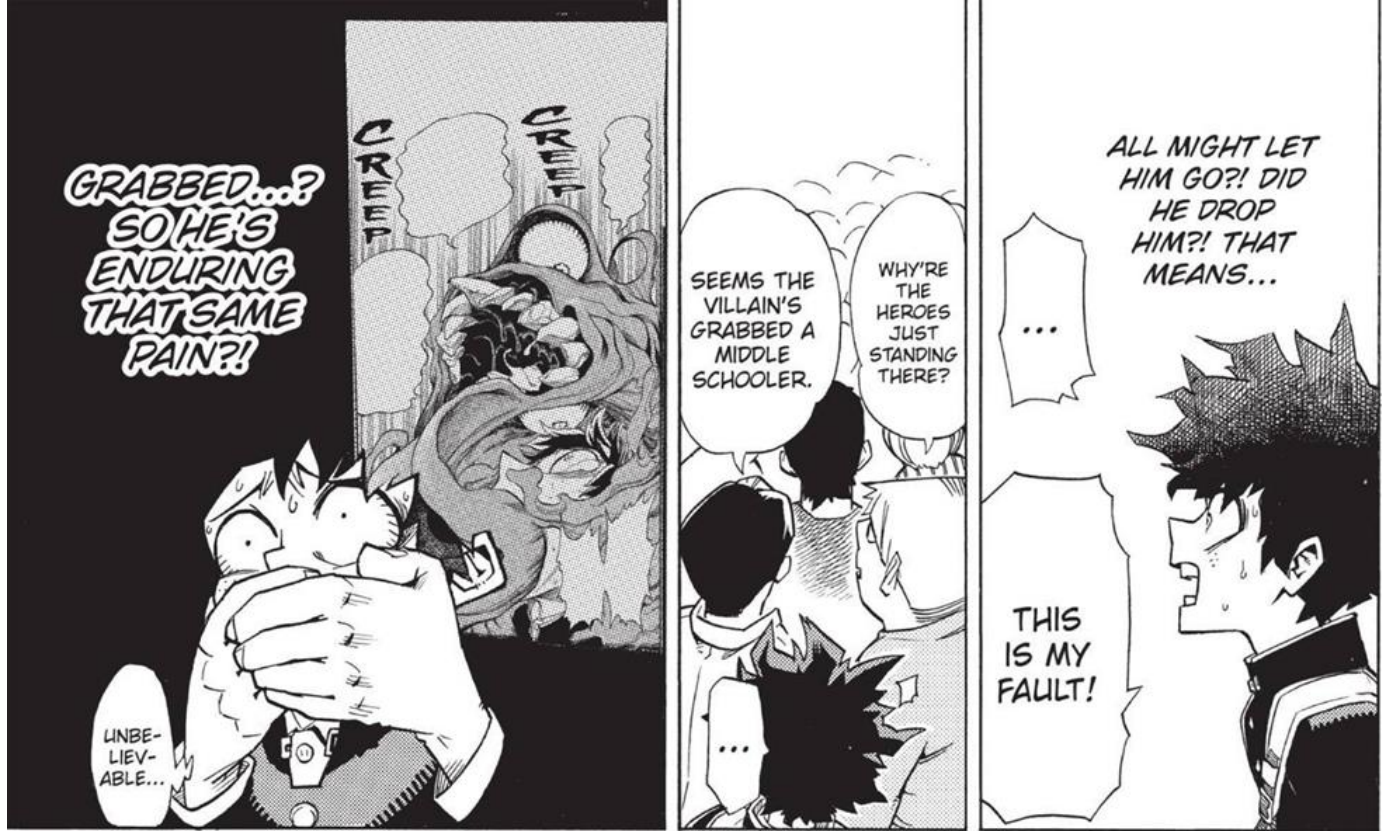
I'M SO
USED TO
GAWKING.

THAT
EXPLOSION
...?

JUST
STOP
IT.

I'LL ONLY
MAKE
MYSELF
FEEL LIKE
A LOSER.

?!

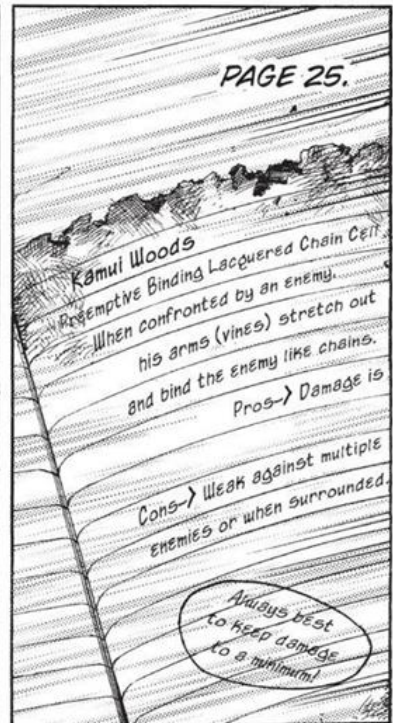
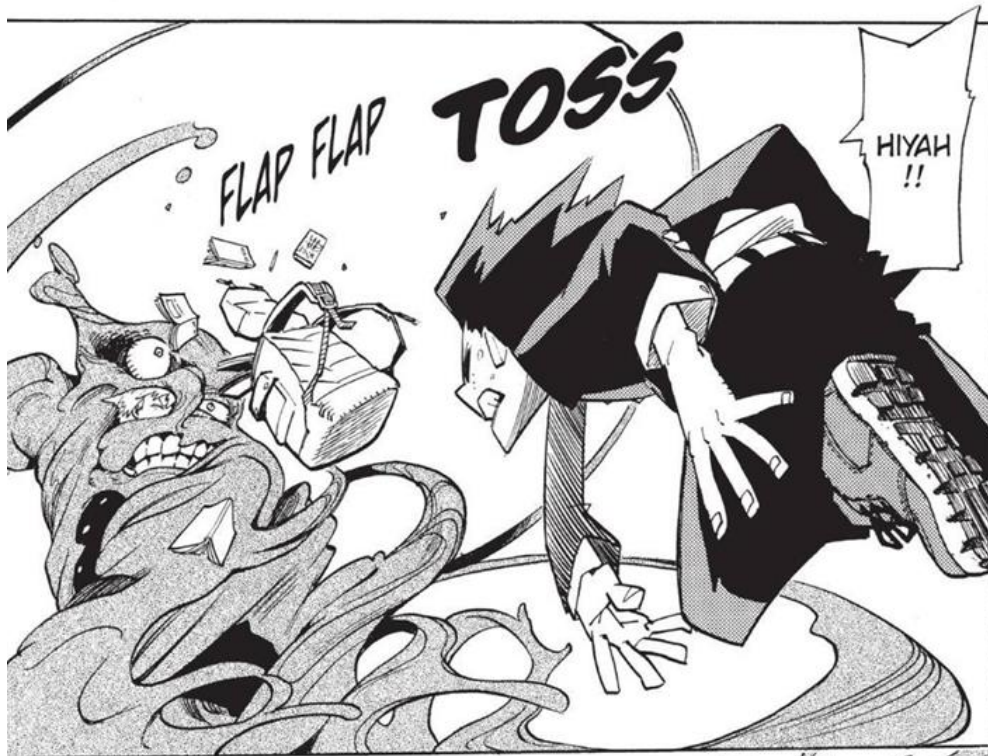




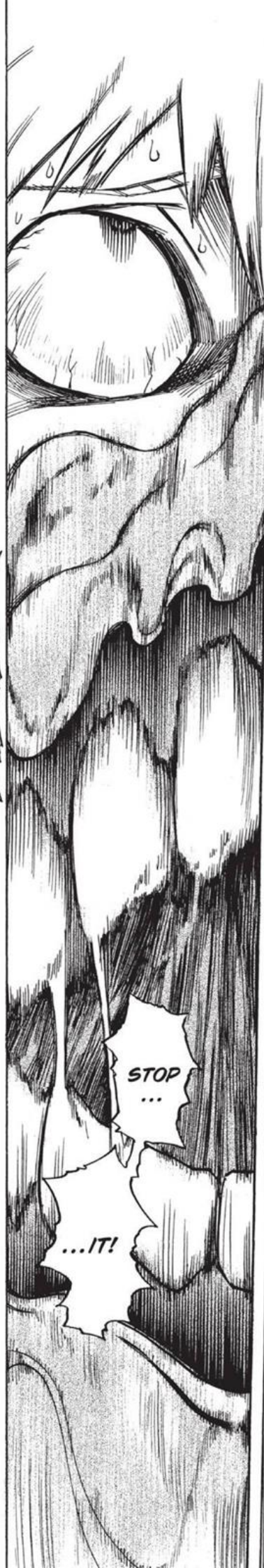


**GET
BACK
HERE,
YOU
FOOL!!
STOP!!**











A PRO
SHOULD
ALWAYS
BE
READY
TO
RISK
HIS
LIFE
!!

BOOM



?!



THE LESSON
I LEFT YOU
WITH... I
SHOULD
PRACTICE
WHAT I
PREACH!!

TYN

BYE



DETROIT







AMAZING.
THAT'S...
**ALL
MIGHT!!**

HE
CHANGED
THE
WEATHER
WITH A
**SINGLE
PUNCH!!**



YOU WERE
REAL TOUGH
OUT THERE!
AND THAT
QUIRK!

KACCHAN,
ON THE
OTHER
HAND, GOT
ALL THE
PRAISE.

CONSIDER
BECOMING
MY SIDEKICK
ONCE YOU
GO PRO!



THE
HEROES
WERE
REALLY
MAD AT
ME.

THERE WAS
ABSOLUTELY
NO NEED FOR
YOU TO PUT
YOURSELF IN
DANGER!!



AFTERWARDS,
THE HEROES
COLLECTED
THE VILLAIN'S
SCATTERED
BODY.

SEEMS
LIKE THE
POLICE
MANAGED
TO GET
HIM INTO
CUSTODY.





AFTER
ALL, I'M
ALL MI-
KOFF!

SHAKING
THEM OFF
IS NOTHING
TO ME!!

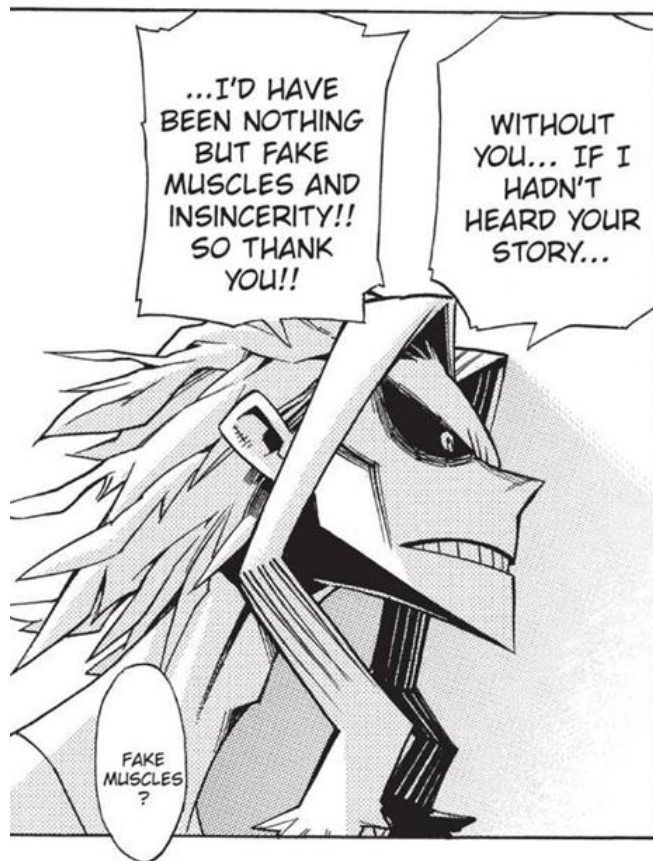
ESSHH

HA
HA
HA

ALL
MIGHT?!
WHY
ARE
YOU
HERE?

YOU WERE
SURROUNDED
BY
REPORTERS
...

AHH!!



...I'D HAVE
BEEN NOTHING
BUT FAKE
MUSCLES AND
INSINCERITY!!
SO THANK
YOU!!

WITHOUT
YOU... IF I
HADN'T
HEARD YOUR
STORY...

FAKE
MUSCLES
?



EXACTLY
!!

I GOT IN
YOUR WAY...
EVEN
THOUGH I'M
QUIRKLESS,
I DARED TO
ASK IF...

THAT... NO.
I MEAN, IT
WAS ALL MY
FAULT FROM
THE START!



I'VE COME TO
THANK YOU AND
REVISE WHAT I
SAID EARLIER...
I ALSO HAVE A
PROPOSAL.

KID.

HUH?



YOU
SPURRED
ME TO
ACTION!!

IT WAS
ONLY YOU,
TIMID AND
QUIRKLESS,
WHO
ACTED!!

OF
ALL THE
PEOPLE
AT THE
SCENE
...



...THEIR
BODIES
SIMPLY
MOVED
BEFORE
THEY COULD
THINK!!

BADUM

MANY
OF THEM
CLAIM
THAT...

MOST OF
THE TOP
HEROES
SHOW
SIGNS OF
GREATNESS
EVEN AS
CHILDREN...



...I RE-
MEMBERED
WHAT MY
MOM SAID.

FOR SOME
REASON...



BACK
THEN,
WHAT I
WANTED
YOU TO
SAY
WAS...

NO,
MOM...

...HAPPENED
TO YOU
BACK
THERE,
YES?!

THAT'S
WHAT...

I'M
SORRY,
IZUKU.
I'M
SORRY!

YES...



CIVILIAN CLOTHES

Birthday: 6/10

Height: 220 cm

Favorite Things: Yakushima cedars, movies

BEHIND THE SCENES

Drawing a single frontal shot of him uses up one or two pen nibs. He's terrible for my fuel economy.

I thought he was really cool when I first drew him, but at the meeting with the editorial department, they said, "Who'd look up to this old guy? I don't wanna be like him," and "Wouldn't he be better as a pretty boy?" My manga buddies said, "Who's this weird, cheerful old dude?" But their criticism only fanned my flames. Thanks to them, now I give it my all when drawing him. So thanks for that, guys.

THE SUPPLEMENT

The whites of his eyes are all black when in his True Form (skinny). He's so gaunt that they're perpetually in shadow. Only his pupils glisten, reflecting the true strength and dignity of this "symbol of peace." It's like everything that his Muscle Form represents is condensed into those pupils. But I'm really not a good enough artist to properly express that. Sorry.



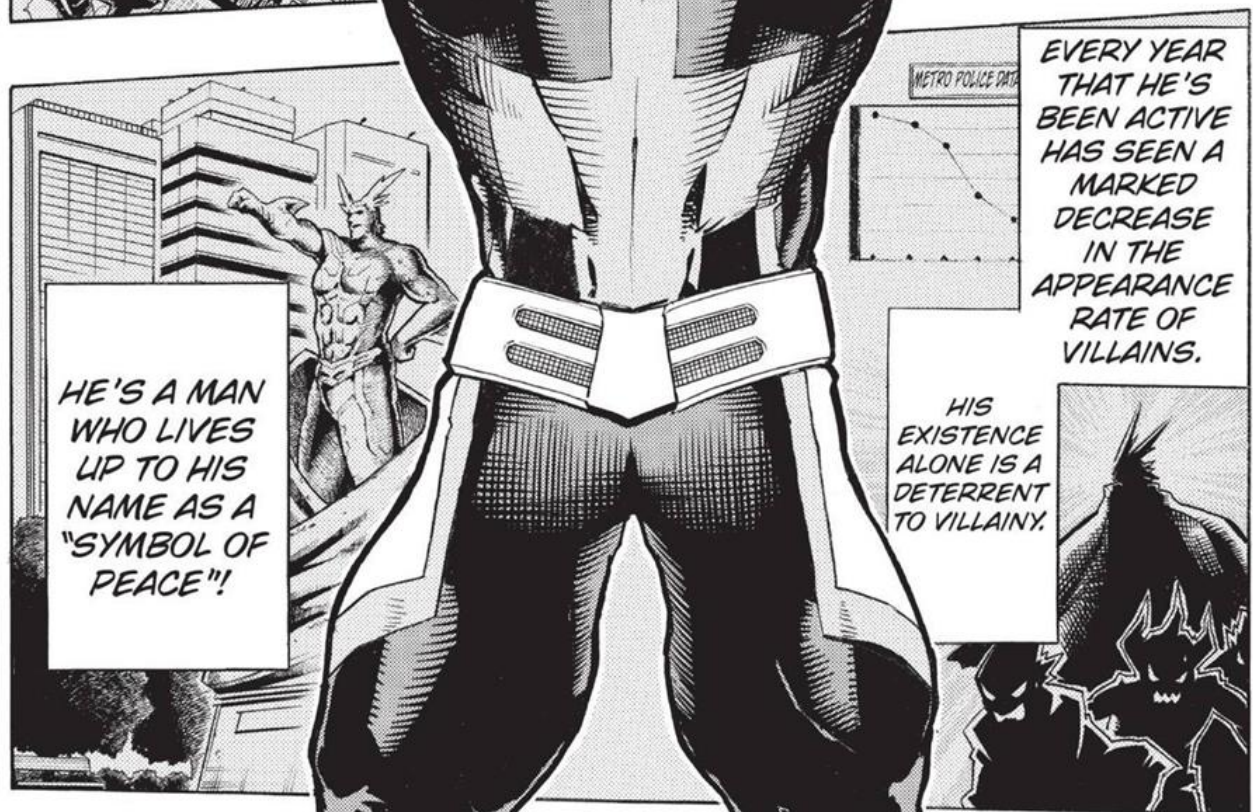


**JUMP
COMICS**

NO.2

ROARING MUSCLES







THERE'S
NO HOPE
FOR HIM.

HUH?!
MIDORIYA?!
NO WAY!!

YOU'RE
TOTALLY
QUIRKLESS
AND YOU THINK
YOU CAN RUB
SHOULDERS
WITH ME?!

I'M SORRY,
IZUKU. I'M
SORRY!!



AND MY
IDOL
SAID IT
TO ME!!

COULD I
WISH FOR
ANYTHING
MORE?!

NO. 1
HERO:
ALL /
MIGHT
(TRUE
FORM)

IT'S
WHAT I'D
ALWAYS
WANTED
TO HEAR.
FROM
ANYONE!





HIS
POWER...?



THIS
CONCERNS
MY QUIRK,
KID.

WHAT'S
ALL MIGHT
SAYING
!...?

?



FWOOSH

...HAS
TO COME
OFF
AS A
NATURAL-
BORN
HERO.

BECAUSE
ALL
MIGHT,
THE
"SYMBOL
OF PEACE"
...



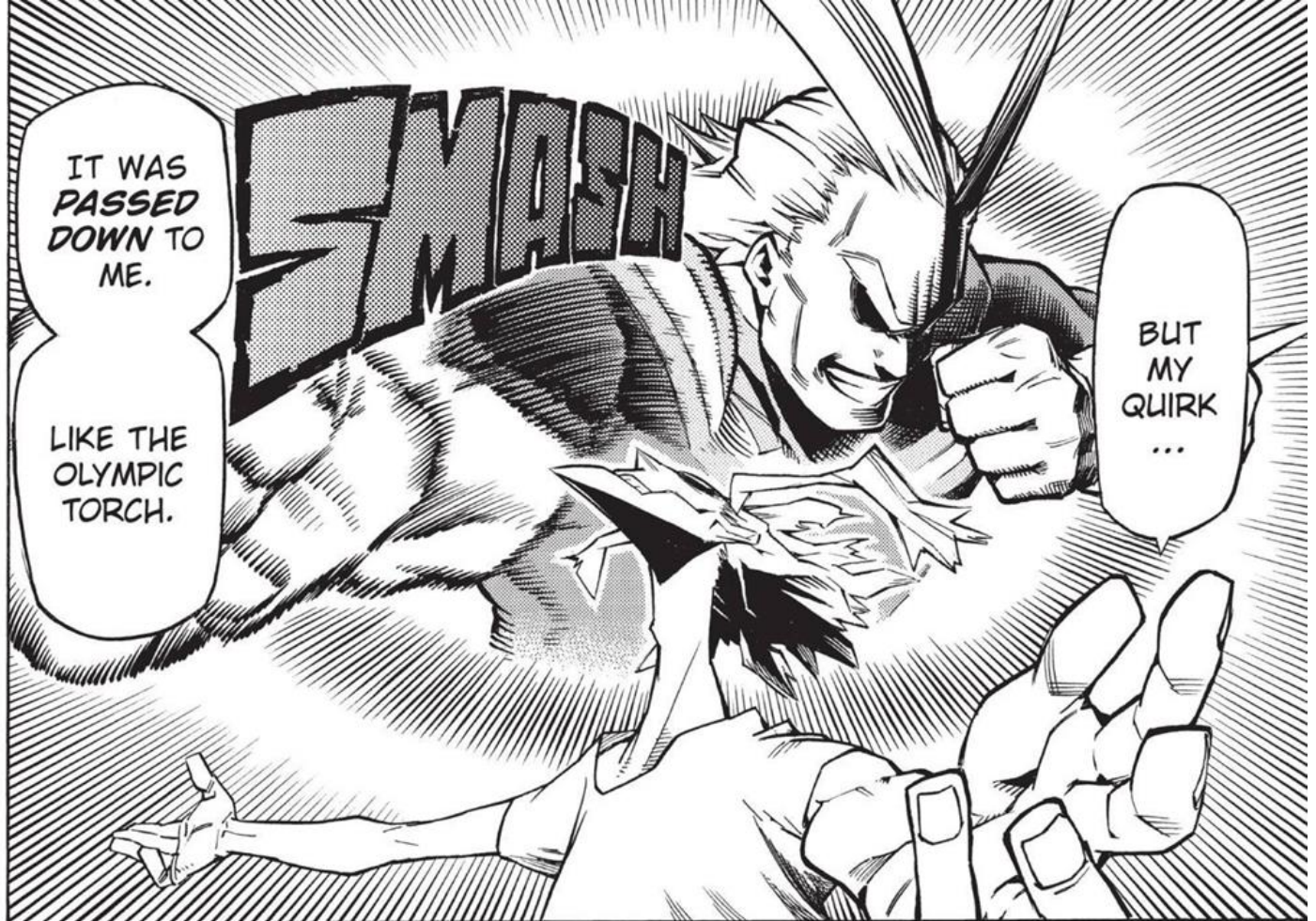
THE
TABLOIDS LIKE
TO GUESS
THAT IT'S
"SUPER
STRENGTH"
OR "BOOST
POWER."

AND I
AVOID THE
QUESTION IN
INTERVIEWS
BY MAKING
JOKES.



I'M
ASKING
YOU...

...IF YOU
WANT
TO *TRY*
ACCEPT-
ING
MY
POWER!



IT WAS
PASSED
DOWN TO
ME.

LIKE THE
OLYMPIC
TORCH.

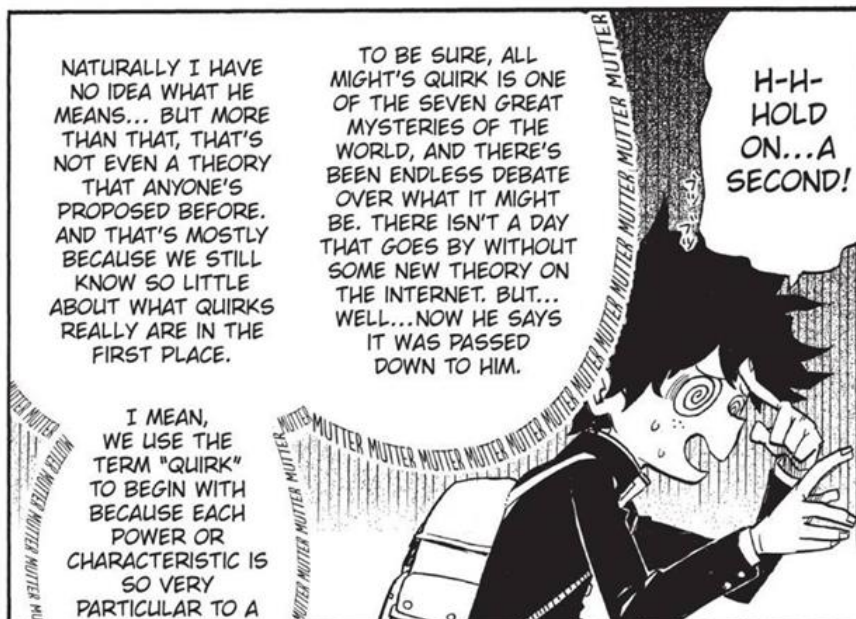
BUT
MY
QUIRK
...



...DOWN
TO
YOU...?

REALLY
?!

PASSED
...

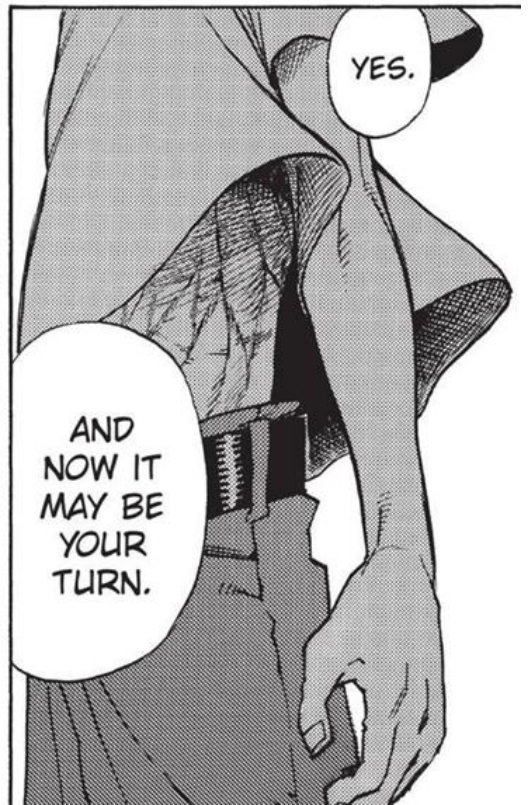


NATURALLY I HAVE
NO IDEA WHAT HE
MEANS... BUT MORE
THAN THAT, THAT'S
NOT EVEN A THEORY
THAT ANYONE'S
PROPOSED BEFORE.
AND THAT'S MOSTLY
BECAUSE WE STILL
KNOW SO LITTLE
ABOUT WHAT QUIRKS
REALLY ARE IN THE
FIRST PLACE.

TO BE SURE, ALL
MIGHT'S QUIRK IS ONE
OF THE SEVEN GREAT
MYSTERIES OF THE
WORLD, AND THERE'S
BEEN ENDLESS DEBATE
OVER WHAT IT MIGHT
BE. THERE ISN'T A DAY
THAT GOES BY WITHOUT
SOME NEW THEORY ON
THE INTERNET. BUT...
WELL...NOW HE SAYS
IT WAS PASSED
DOWN TO HIM.

H-H-
HOLD
ON...A
SECOND!

I MEAN,
WE USE THE
TERM "QUIRK"
TO BEGIN WITH
BECAUSE EACH
POWER OR
CHARACTERISTIC IS
SO VERY
PARTICULAR TO A
SINGLE PERSON,
BLAH BLAH BLAH
BLAH...



YES.

AND
NOW IT
MAY BE
YOUR
TURN.





...A
CRYSTALLINE
NETWORK
OF POWER!!

THOSE CRYING
OUT TO BE
SAVED AND
THOSE WITH
BRAVE AND
TRUE HEARTS
LINK TO
FORM...

IN
THIS
WAY
...

THE
NEXT
REFINES
IT AND
PASSES
IT ON
AGAIN
...

...AND
THEN
PASSES
IT TO
ANOTHER.

THE
FIRST
PERSON
CULTIVATES
THE
POWER...



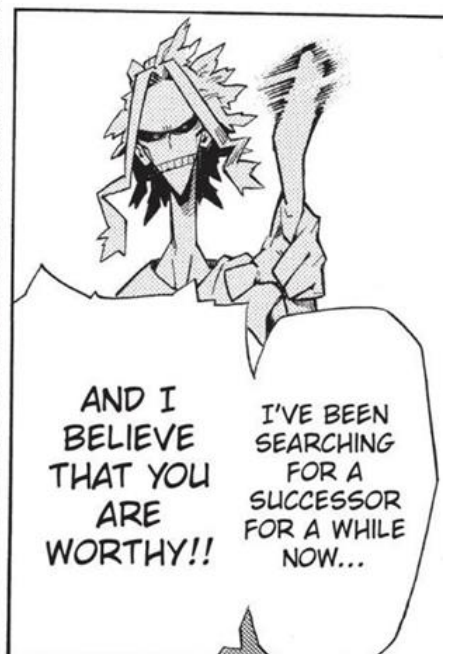
BUT...
BACK
THERE,
YOU WERE
MORE
HEROIC
THAN
ANYONE
ELSE!!

YOU MAY BE
QUIRKLESS.
A MERE
HERO
ADMIRER.



BUT ALL
THIS...
WHY...

WHY
ME...?



AND I
BELIEVE
THAT YOU
ARE
WORTHY!!

I'VE BEEN
SEARCHING
FOR A
SUCCESSOR
FOR A WHILE
NOW...



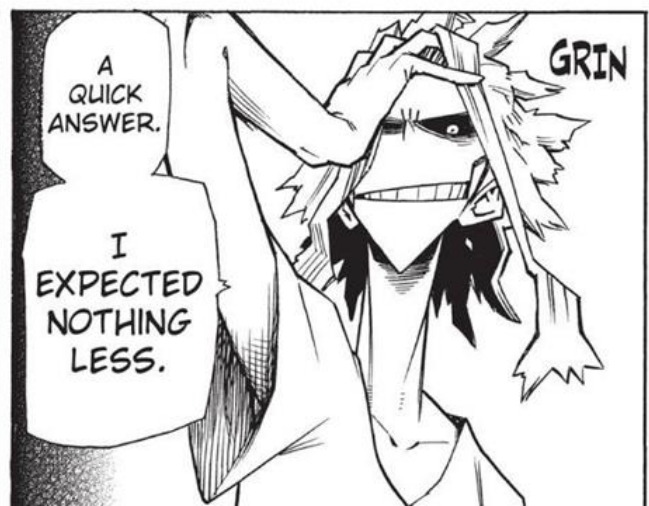
RISE

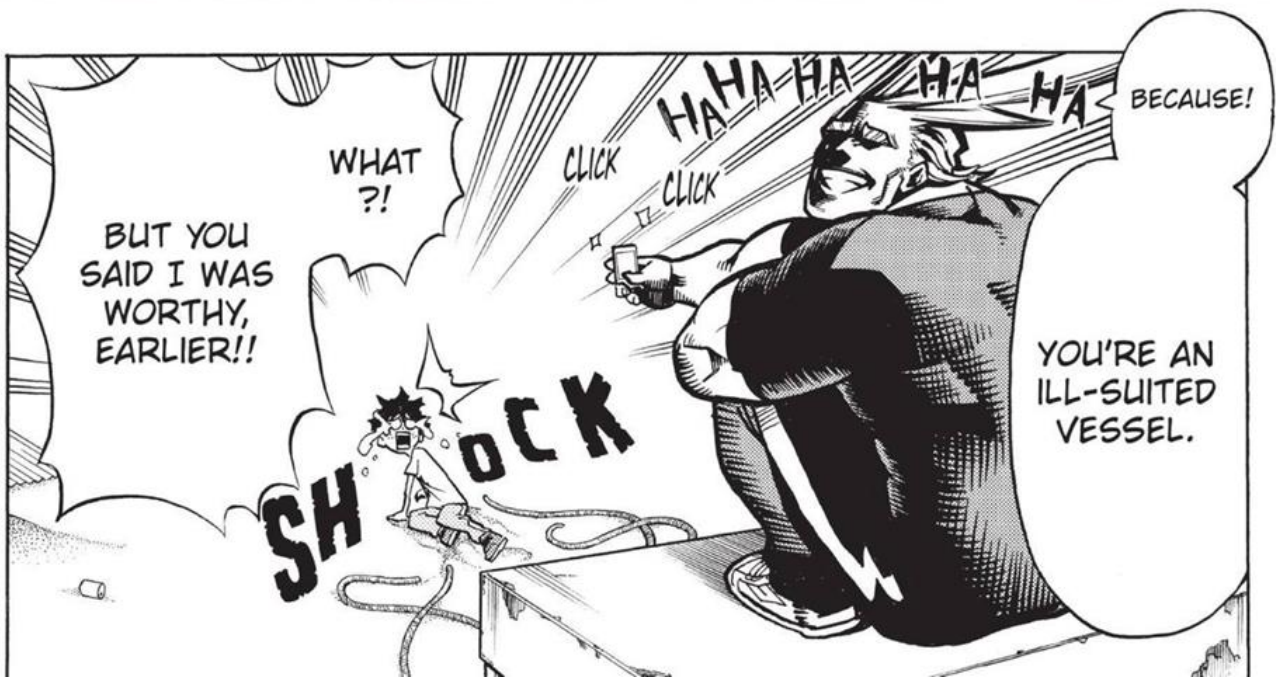


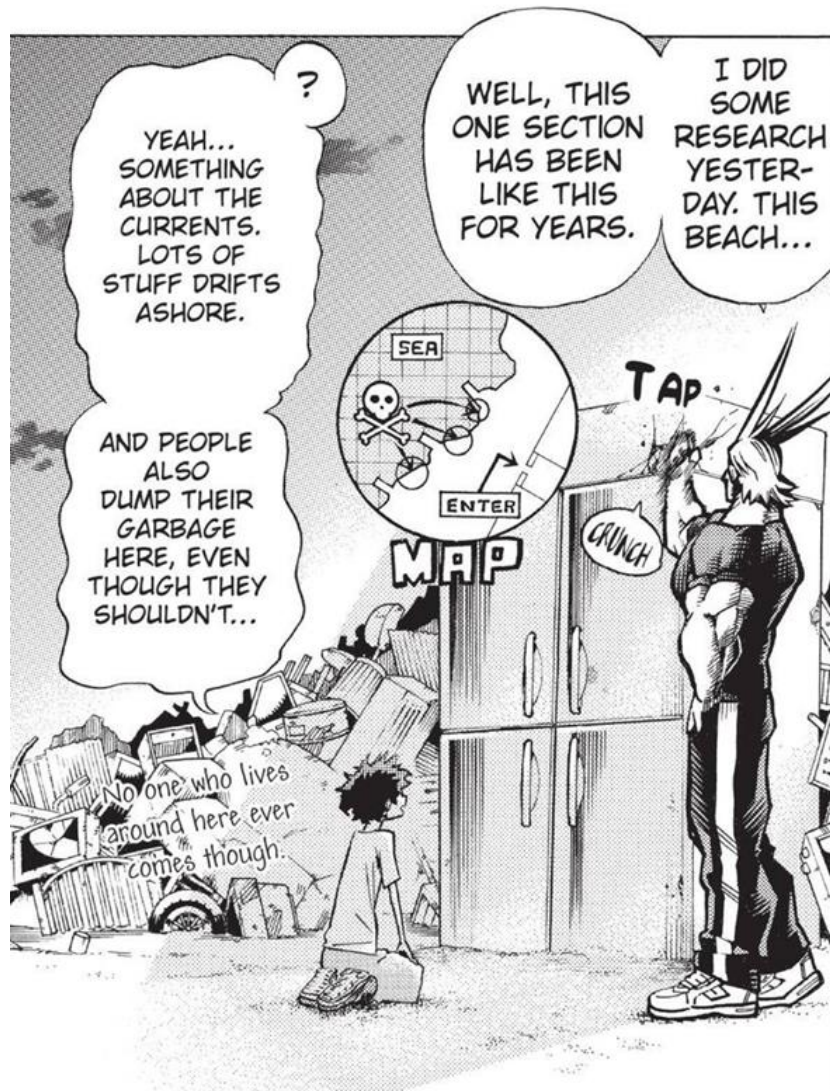
BUT OF
COURSE IT
DEPENDS
ON YOU!
WHAT DO
YOU SAY?

What
am I
saying?





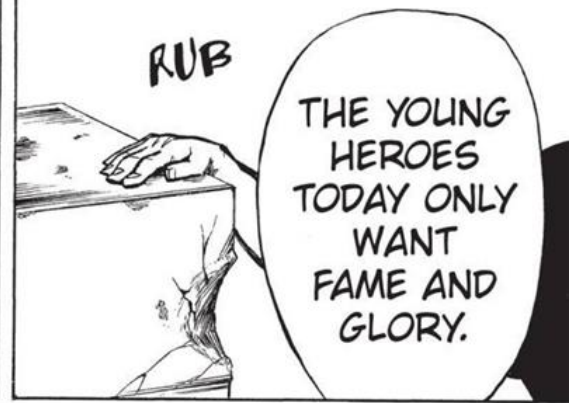






NO
MATTER HOW
UNGLAMOROUS!
NEVER FORGET
THAT...

BUT
BEING A
HERO IS
ALL ABOUT
VOLUNTEER
WORK!

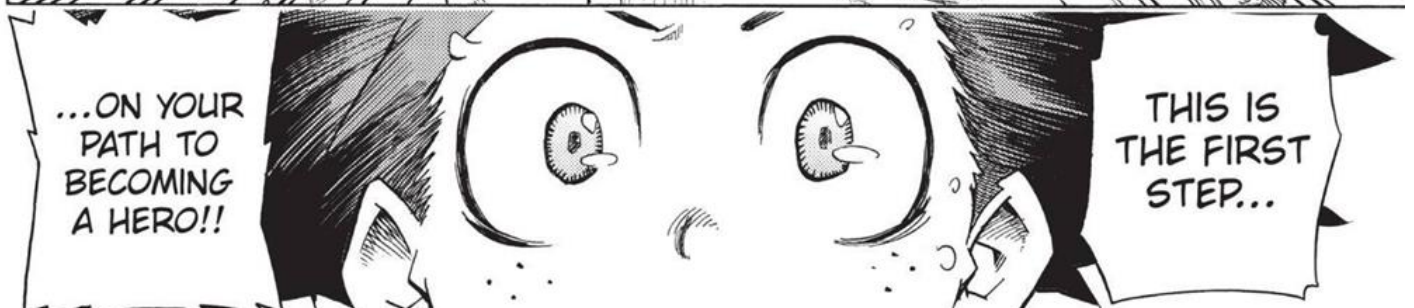


RUB

THE YOUNG
HEROES
TODAY ONLY
WANT
FAME AND
GLORY.



LET'S
BRING
BACK THIS
BEAUTIFUL
OCEAN
VIEW!!



...ON YOUR
PATH TO
BECOMING
A HERO!!

THIS IS
THE FIRST
STEP...



YOU WANT
TO GET
INTO U.A.,
RIGHT?

KID.
MIDORIYA.

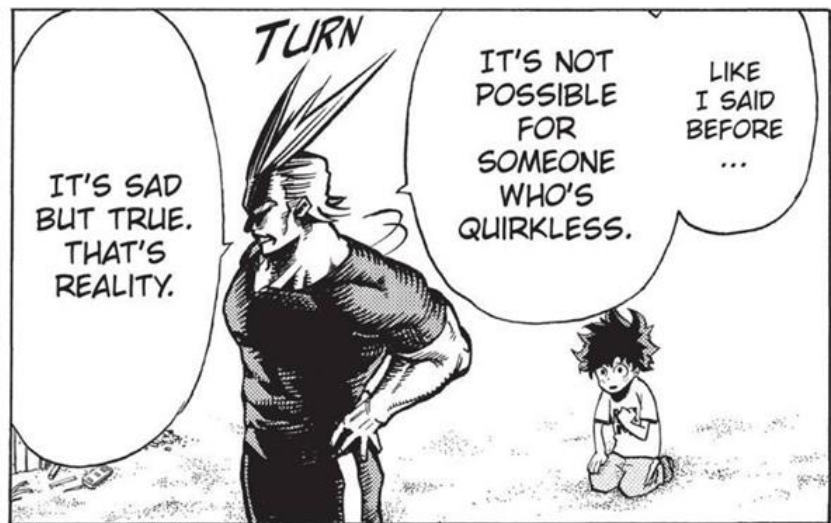


ALL
THIS
...?!



CLEANING
UP...?!

MY
FIRST
STEP
IS...!





I KNOW
I HAVE
TO
WORK
WAY
HARDER
THAN
ANYONE
ELSE TO
MAKE
IT...!!

WELL,
YEAH
...!!



Set Plan

Meal Plan

DAY 1

Schedule
Phase 1

4:00 AM- Get up

6:00 AM- Aerobics

Set A
Set B

School

YOU CAN
CHART
YOUR
ENTIRE
LIFESTYLE
WITH
THIS!!

180- Garbage cleanup
7:00- Go home

A TRAINING
REGIMEN TO
HELP YOU
CLEAN UP
THE
GARBAGE
AND THEN
SOME!



TO BE
FRANK,
THIS'LL BE
SUPER
TOUGH.

CAN
YOU DO
IT?!

YOU
EVEN
PLANNED
HOW
MUCH
SLEEP
I GET
...



RUN.
RUUUUNNN!!
TEN
MONTHS IS
RIGHT
AROUND
THE
CORNER!

LET'S
...

...
PUMP!
YOU!
UP!!



I
GET
IT.
THIS
IS...

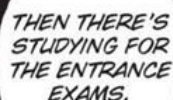
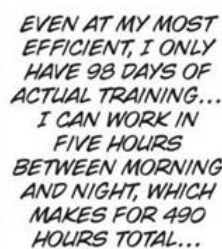
I'M USING
MUSCLES I
DIDN'T EVEN
KNOW I
HAD...

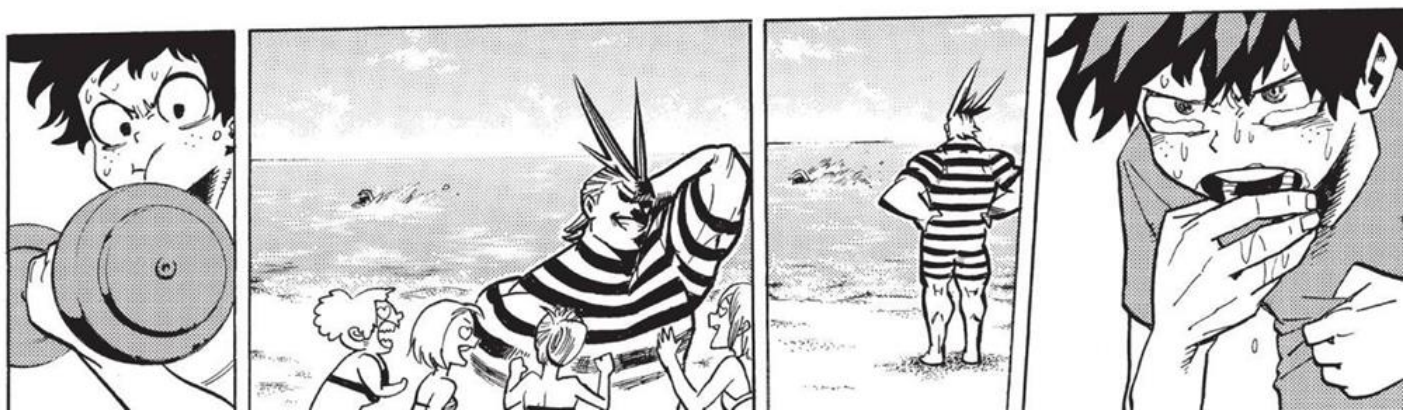
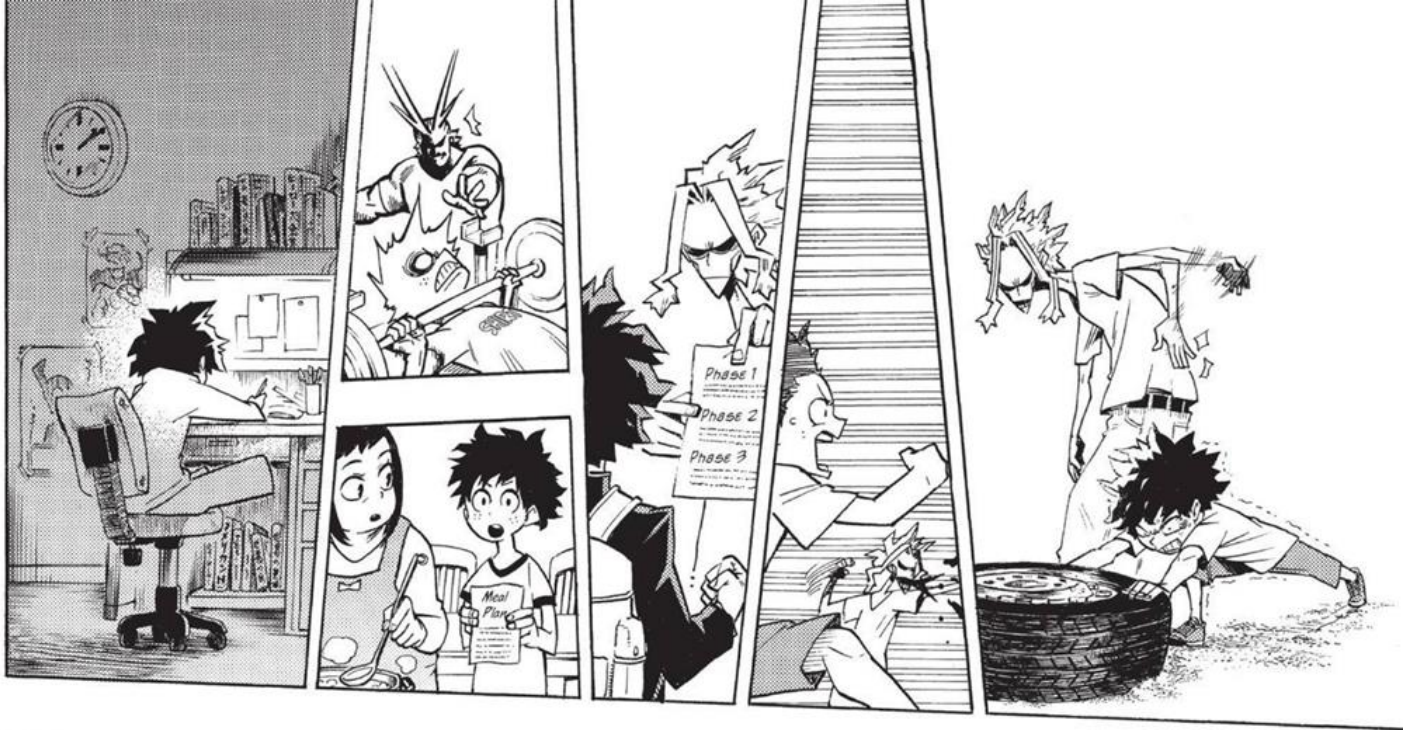


AND LOAD
IT INTO
THE
TRUCK!!

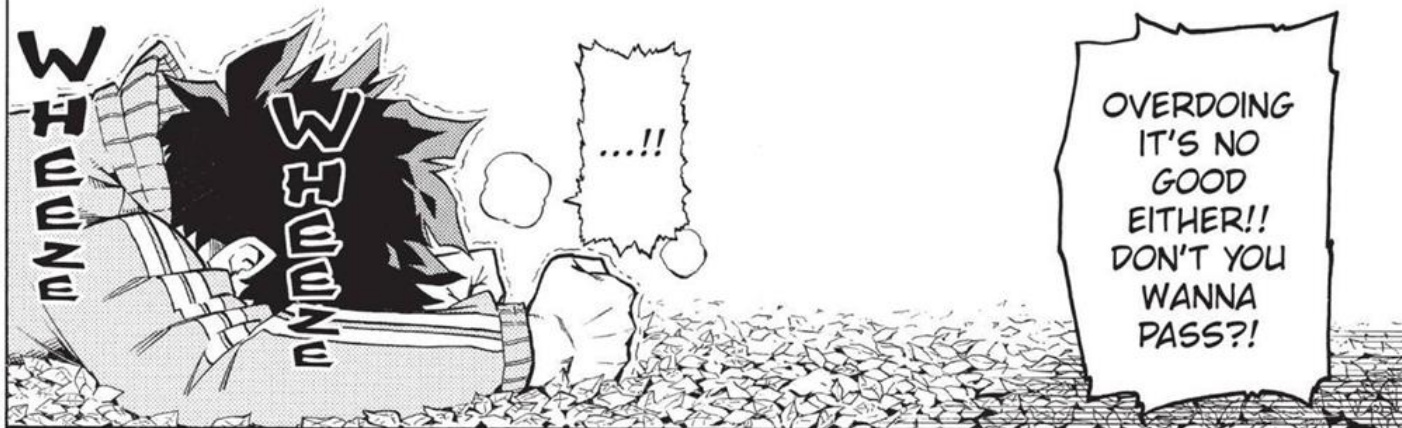
GET THIS
TO THE
PARK
ENTRANCE!

SO
BEGAN
TEN
HELLISH
MONTHS!











ON
THE FAR
FUTURE!!

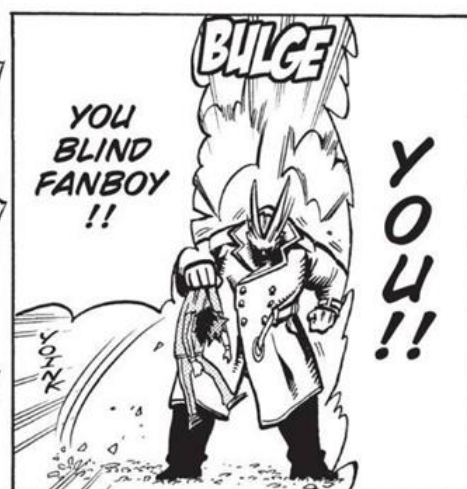
...I SEE!
HE'S GOT
HIS EYE...

FO

ON



THAT'S
EXACTLY
WHAT
I LIKE
TO
HEAR
!!



BULGE
YOU
BLIND
FANBOY
!!

YOU
!!



SUCH
DUMB
ZEAL...



HA HA HA H

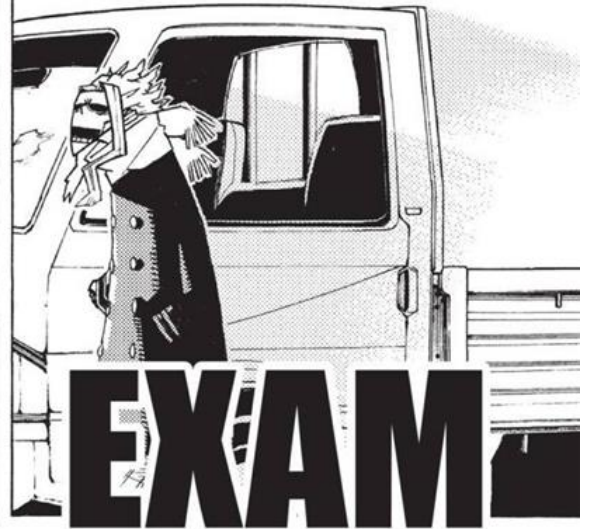
SO IT
WENT...

YOU'RE NOT
AN OLD MAN,
ALL MIGHT...

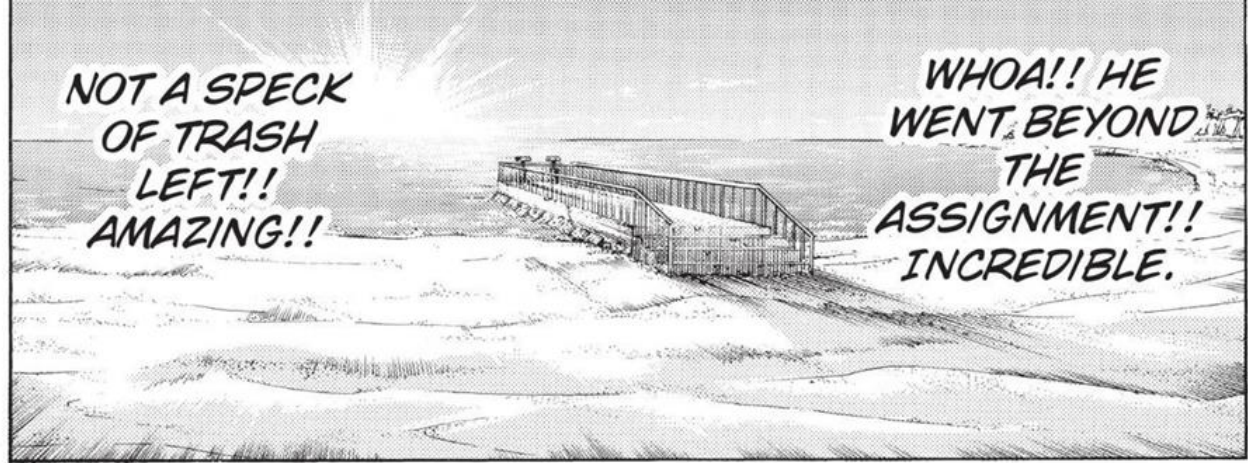
THIS OLD
MAN WILL
MODIFY
THE PLAN
FOR YOU!

I GET WHERE
YOU'RE
COMING FROM,
BUT THIS IS
NO TIME TO
PANIC!

6 A.M.







IT'S YOU,
TEN
MONTHS
AGO.



WHAT'S
THIS...?



FWOOSH

EXCELLENT
WORK.
TRULY!!



FEELS
LIKE...I
CHEATED...
THOUGH...



BUT
YOU'RE A
TRUE-BLUE
VESSEL
NOW!!



THE PATH
FORWARD IS
EVER-SO-
SLIGHTLY
CLEARER!





IT'S LIKE A
TWIST
RIGHT OUT
OF A COMIC
BOOK,
WITHIN MY
REACH...

CLENCH

TAKE
THIS TO
HEART,
KID.



DUR
?!



EAT
THIS.

Strand
of hair.

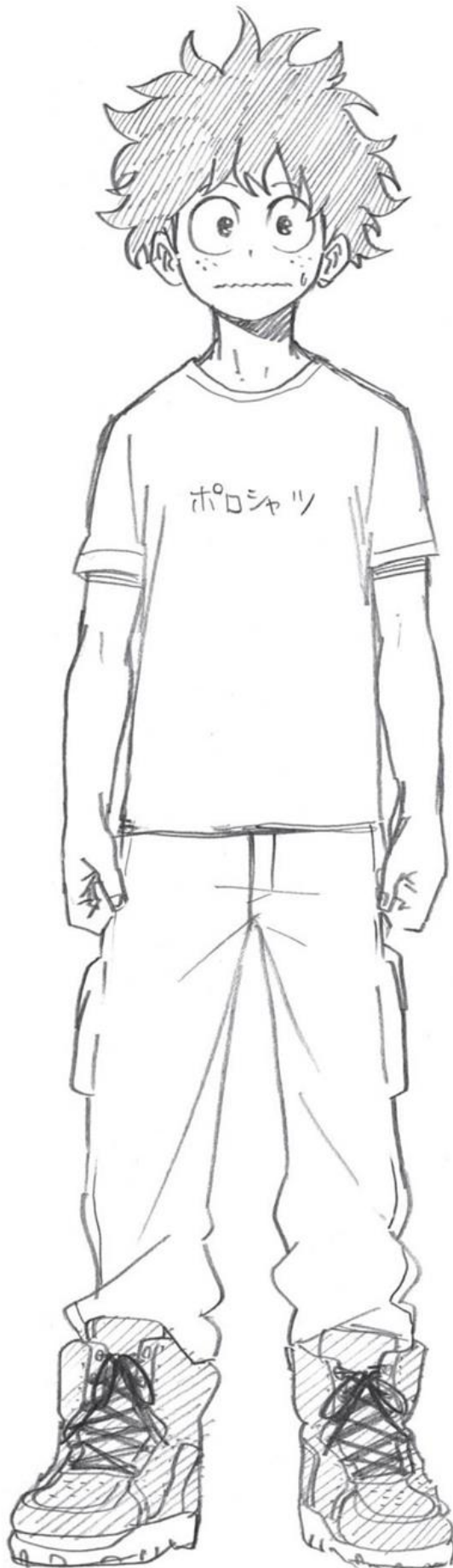
YOU'VE
EARNED
THIS
POWER,
FAIR AND
SQUARE.

THE
ENTRANCE
EXAM
BEGINS IN
THREE
HOURS!!

NOT
EXACTLY
HOW I
THOUGHT
THIS WOULD
GO...!!

REALLY
DOESN'T
MATTER
WHAT IT IS
YOU EAT. AS
LONG AS YOU
GET MY DNA!
NOW HURRY!

STREET CLOTHES



Birthday: 7/15

Height: 166 cm

Favorite Thing: Katsudon

BEHIND THE SCENES

This guy started out in a one-shot that didn't end up getting serialized, but I felt like using him again, so he's largely unchanged. He may look a little plain for a protagonist, but when I tried covering one eye with a lock of hair, all I could think was, "Get a damned haircut." So I kept him plain.

I honestly think that the plainer he looks, the better.

IT IS
WITHOUT
A DOUBT THE
TOUGHEST AND
MOST POPULAR
HERO COURSE IN
THE COUNTRY,
AND ONLY 1 IN
300 APPLICANTS
IS ACCEPTED!!

IT'S A COURSE
DESIGNED TO
GIVE STUDENTS
EVERYTHING
THEY NEED TO
GO PRO!

THE U.A.
HIGH
SCHOOL
HERO
COURSE!!

NO.3 - ENTRANCE EXAM

AND THE GUY
WHO'S WON
THE BEST
JEANIST
AWARD EIGHT
YEARS
RUNNING:
**BEST
JEANIST!**

IT SEEMS
GRADUATING
FROM U.A. IS
SIMPLY A
REQUIREMENT
FOR BECOMING
A GREAT
HERO!!

THEN,
THE MAN
WHO'S
STOPPED MORE
CRIMES THAN
ANYONE ELSE
IN RECORDED
HISTORY:
ENDEAVOR!!

THERE'S **ALL
MIGHT**, WHO
MAGNANI-
MOUSLY
DECLINED
THE PEOPLE'S
CHOICE
AWARD!!

ONE
FORTY-
MINUTE
SUBWAY
RIDE LATER
...

I RUSHED
HOME, TOOK
A QUICK
SHOWER
AND
PACKED
MY BAG.

U.A.

I FINISHED
MY TRAINING
WITH ALL
MIGHT ON
FEBRUARY
26TH.

NO. 3 - ENTRANCE EXAM



KATSUKI
BAKUGO
<AGE 15>

GET OUT
OF MY
WAY OR
YOU'RE
DEAD.

KACCHAN
!!

RUMBLE

SWF

M-MORNING.
LET'S BOTH
DO OUR
BEST...

WOBBLE

AND MOVE
FORWARD
...!!

Yeah!

BUT IT'S
NOT LIKE
BEFORE!!
JUST
REMEMBER
THE PAST TEN
MONTHS!

WOBBLE

ISN'T
THAT
BAKUGO?
FROM THE
"SLUDGE"
INCIDENT
...?

HEY
...

EVER SINCE
THAT DAY,
KACCHAN
NEVER
TORMENTED
ME AGAIN.

SURE
IS...

MY FIRST
STEP
TOWARDS
BECOMING
A HERO!!

TRIP

I GOTTA
STOP
FLINCHING
INSTINCTIVELY
...





...TO A
GIRL!*

I
TALKED...

*HE DIDN'T ACTUALLY TALK.



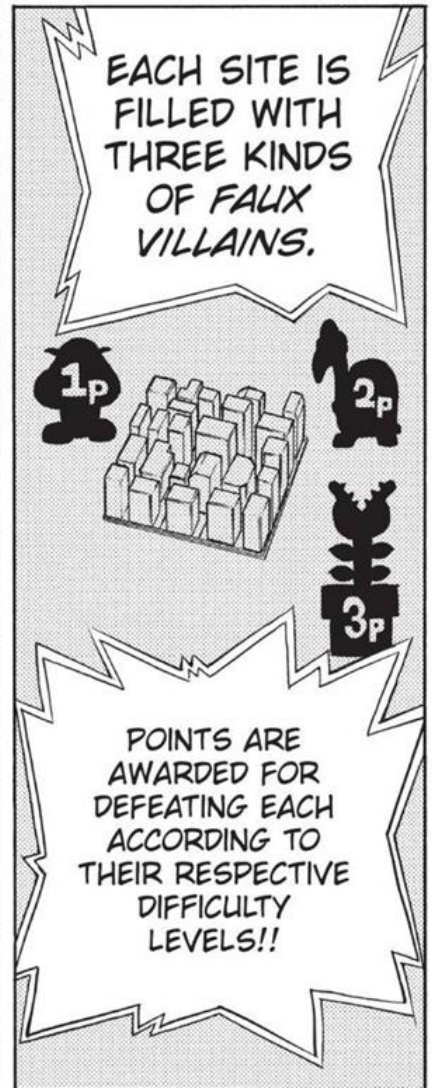
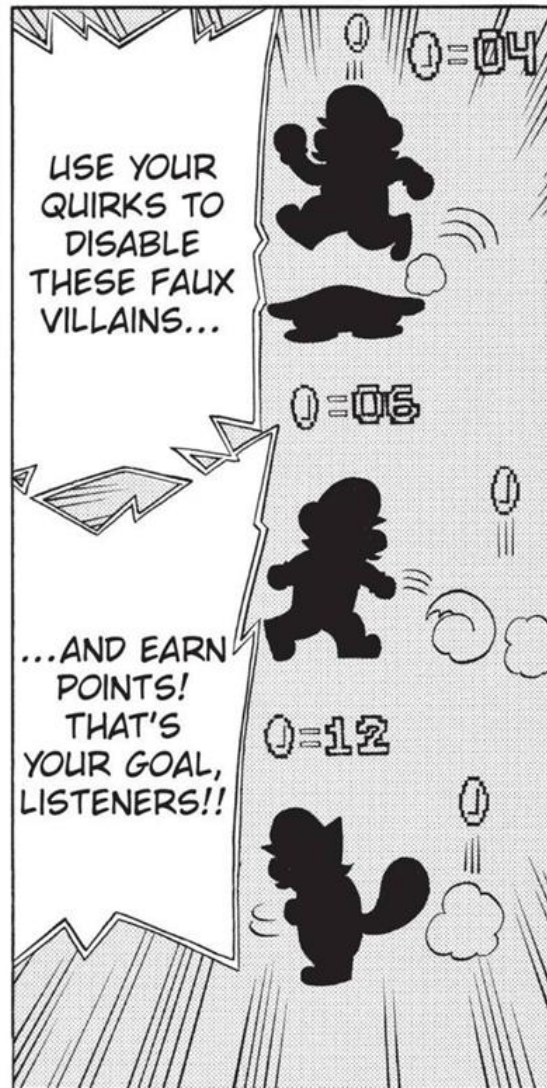
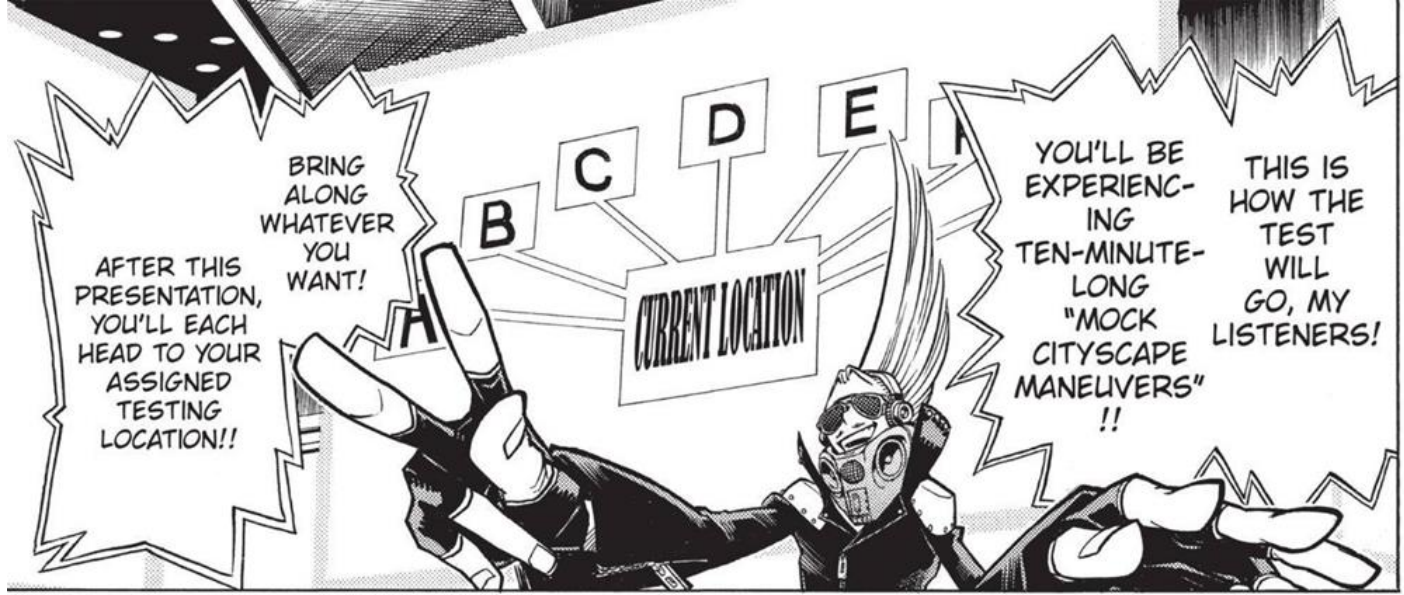
SILENCE

WELCOME...

EVERY-
BODY
SAY
"HEY"
!!

WELCOME
TO
TODAY'S
LIVE
PERFORM-
ANCE!!





SUCH A BLATANT
ERROR, IF IT IS
ONE, IS HIGHLY
UNBECOMING FOR
U.A., JAPAN'S
TOP ACADEMY!!

WE'RE ALL HERE
TODAY IN THE
HOPES OF BEING
MOLDED INTO
MODEL HEROES!!

THERE
APPEAR TO
BE NO FEWER
THAN FOUR
VARIETIES OF
FAUX VILLAIN,
ON THIS
HANDOUT!



IF THIS IS
SOME SORT
OF GAME TO
YOU, THEN
PLEASE
LEAVE
IMMEDIATELY!

YOU'VE BEEN
MUTTERING
THIS WHOLE
TIME... IT'S
DISTRACTING!!

?!
JOLT

AND, YOU,
WITH THE
CURLY
HAIR!

BUT THE
FOURTH FAUX
VILLAIN VARIETY
GETS YOU ZERO
POINTS! HE'S
MORE OF AN
OBSTACLE!

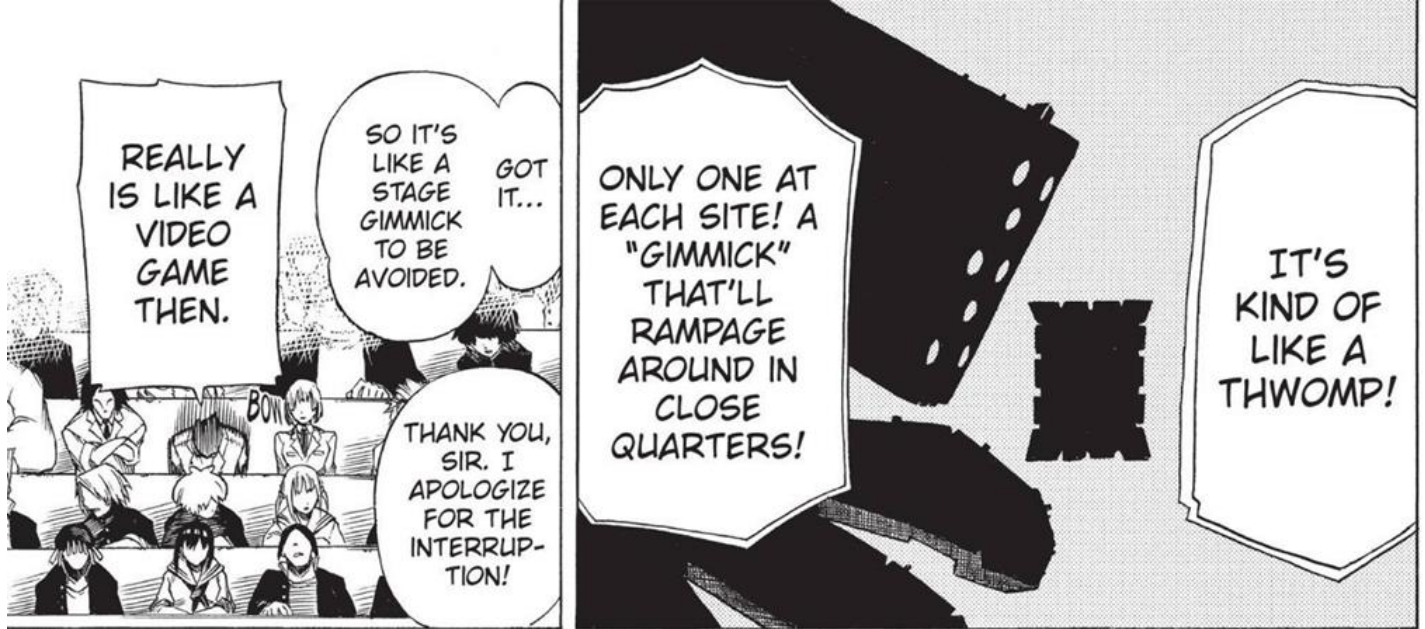
HAVE YOU
ALL PLAYED
SUPER
MARIO
BROTHERS?!

The old, retro
game.

ALRIGHT
ALRIGHT.

EXAMINEE
7111, NICE
CATCH.
THANKS!

SORRY
...



REALLY
IS LIKE A
VIDEO
GAME
THEN.

SO IT'S
LIKE A
STAGE
GIMMICK
TO BE
AVOIDED.

GOT
IT...

ONLY ONE AT
EACH SITE! A
"GIMMICK"
THAT'LL
RAMPAGE
AROUND IN
CLOSE
QUARTERS!

IT'S
KIND OF
LIKE A
THWOMP!

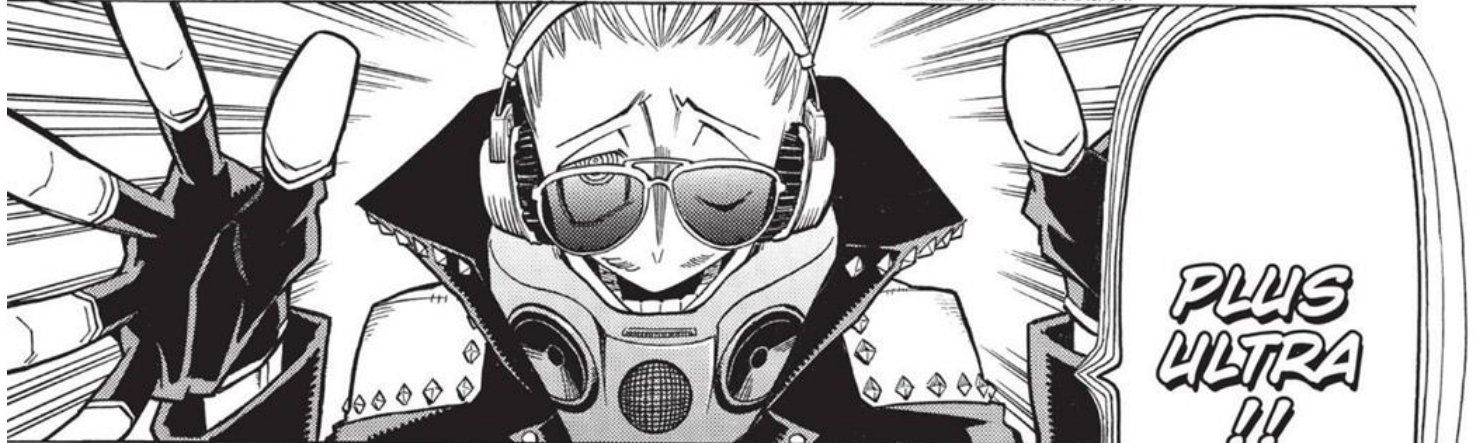
THANK YOU,
SIR. I
APOLOGIZE
FOR THE
INTERRUPTION!



"TRUE
HEROISM
CONSISTS
IN BEING
SUPERIOR TO
THE ILLS OF
LIFE."

THE
GREAT
HERO
NAPOLEON
BONAPARTE
ONCE
SAID...

THAT'S ALL
FROM ME!! I'LL
LEAVE MY
LISTENERS WITH
OUR SCHOOL
MOTTO.



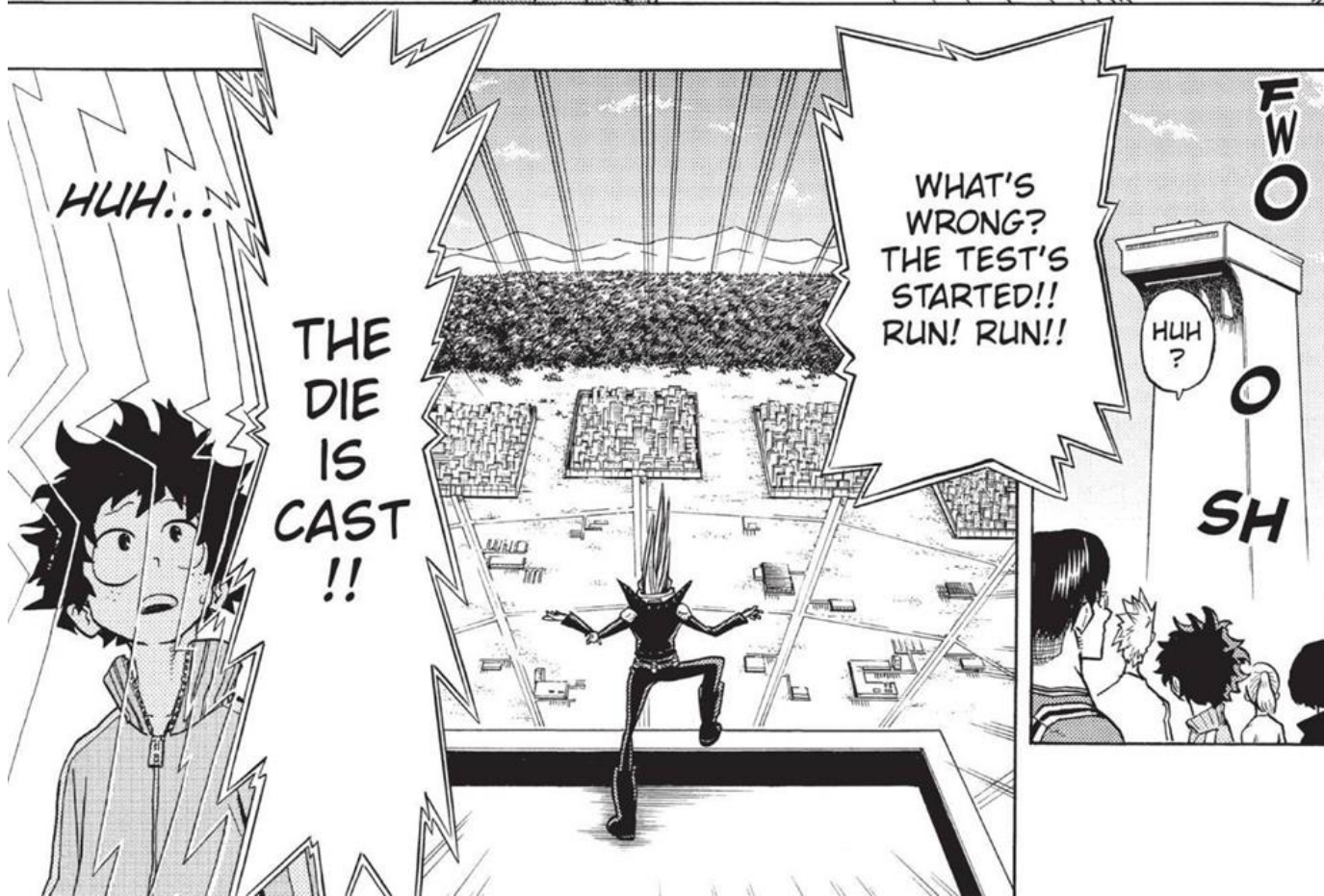
**PLUS
ULTRA
!!**

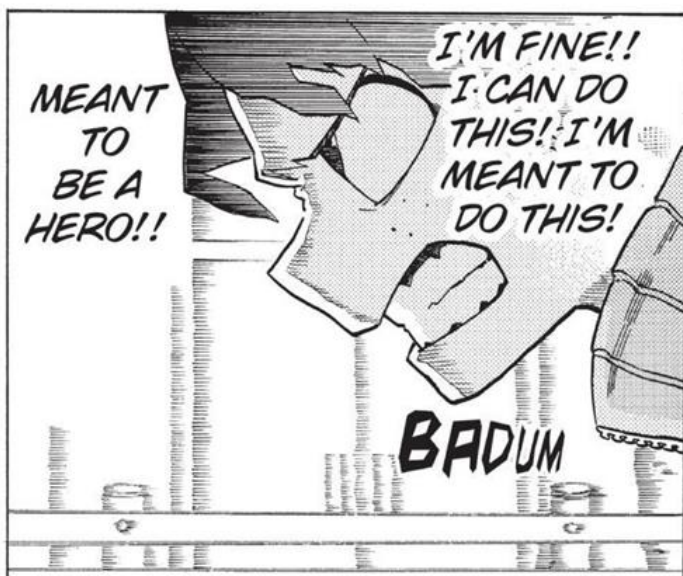
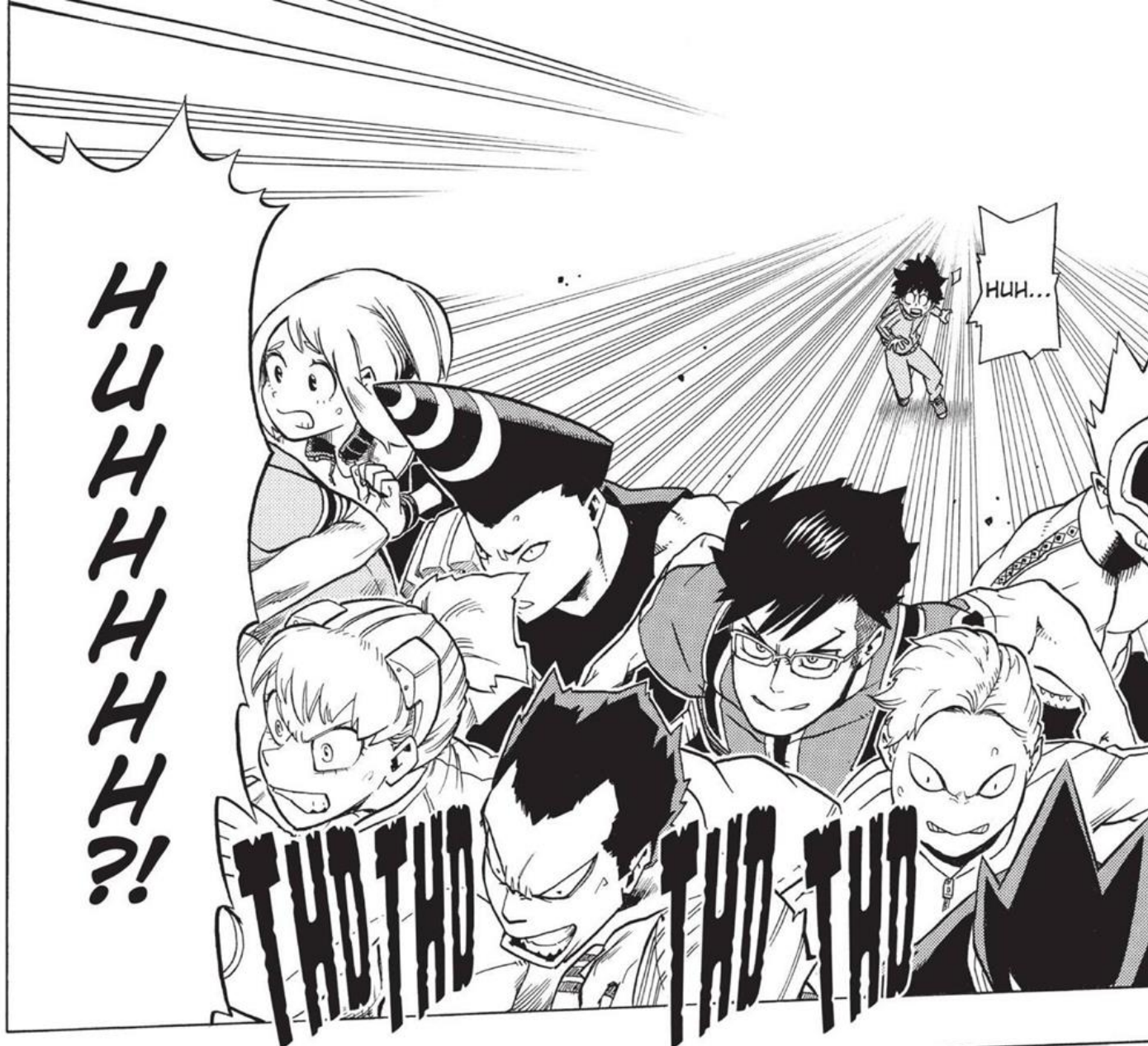


**BREAK
A LEG,
EVERY-
ONE!!**

BOW







OKAY! I
ATE THE
HAIR!

ALL MIGHT IS
BACKING ME
UP!!

G
U
P

GOTTA GET
HOME. TAKE
A SHOWER.
EAT SOME
BREAKFAST...

GAHH.
I'M SO
NERVOUS
...

FLAIL FLAIL FLAIL

OF COURSE
NOT!! YOU
NEED TIME
TO DIGEST!

YOU'LL
START TO
FEEL
SOMETHING
IN A FEW
HOURS.

HAHAHAHA

I DON'T
FEEL
MYSELF
TRANS-
FORMING...

CLENCH UP
YOUR BUTT
AND LET YOUR
HEART CRY
OUT, SAYING...

WHEN YOU
USE ONE
FOR ALL...

YOU'VE HAD NO
TIME TO GET
USED TO YOUR
POWER...
PREPARE FOR
SOME REAL
KICKBACK.

! YOU MAY BE
A PROPER
VESSEL NOW,
BUT... YOU
WERE PUT
TOGETHER
IN A HURRY.

NO TIME FOR
A DETAILED
EXPLANA-
TION, BUT
KNOW
THIS...

TURN



...
**CAN'T
I
MOVE?**

WHY
...

**IDIOT.
WHY...!!**

**I'M JUST
TERRIFIED
ON
INSTINCT...**



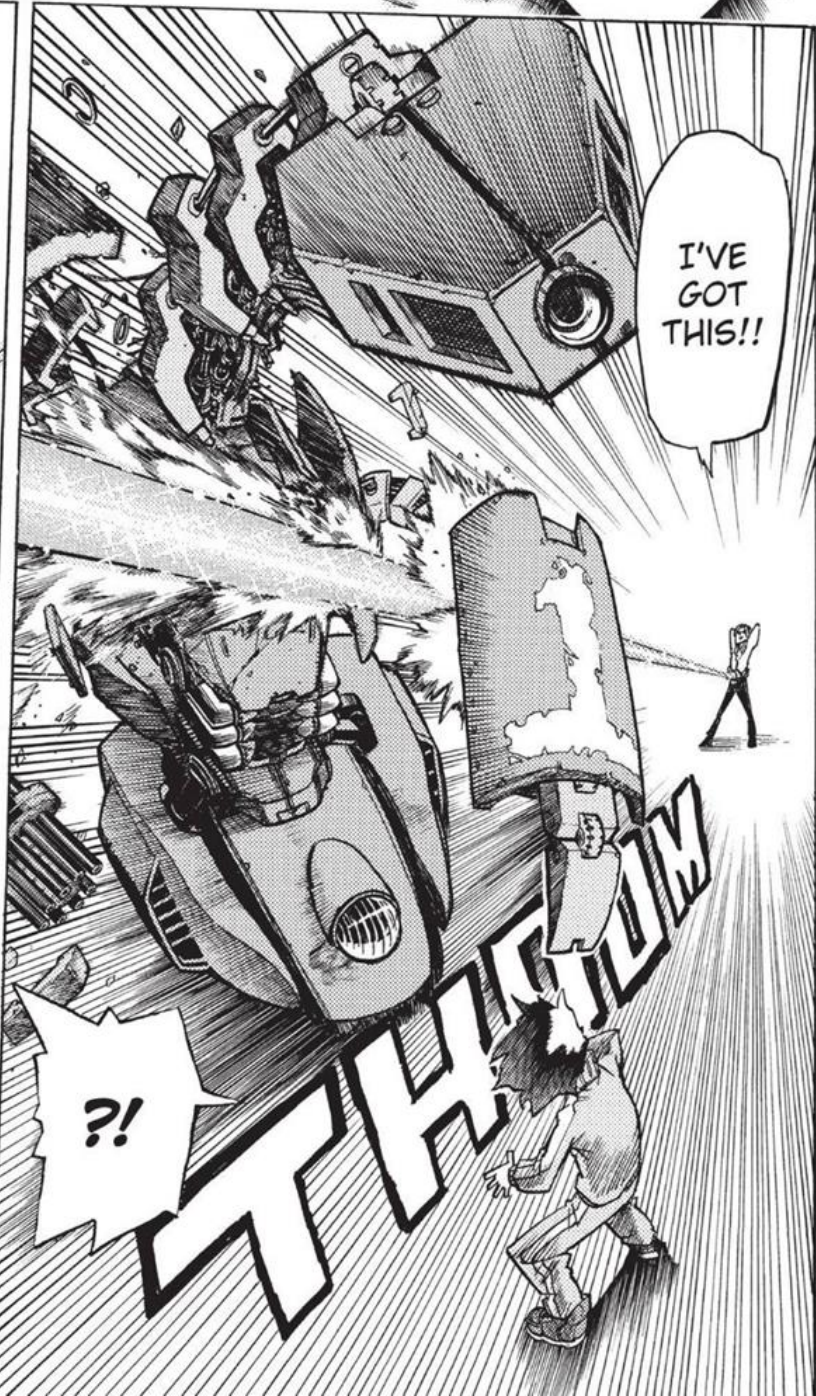
MERCI!

**A
LASER
?!**

**I
APPRECIATE
THE
ASSIST!**



**BUT I
DOUBT
WE'LL
MEET
AGAIN.**



**I'VE
GOT
THIS!!**

?!

THUD





THE
ENEMIES...
THERE'RE
BARELY ANY
LEFT!!

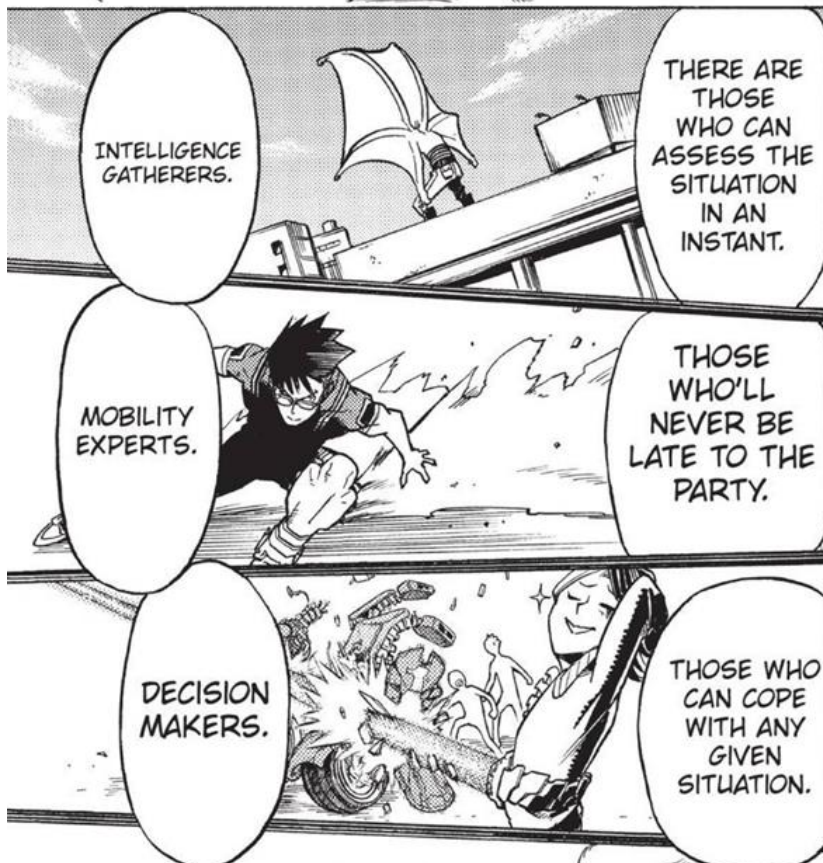
SKRIT!

32!



WE DON'T TELL
THEM HOW
MANY VILLAINS
THERE ARE OR
HOW THEY'RE
PLACED.

THIS
IS
BAD!!



INTELLIGENCE
GATHERERS.

THERE ARE
THOSE
WHO CAN
ASSESS THE
SITUATION
IN AN
INSTANT.

MOBILITY
EXPERTS.

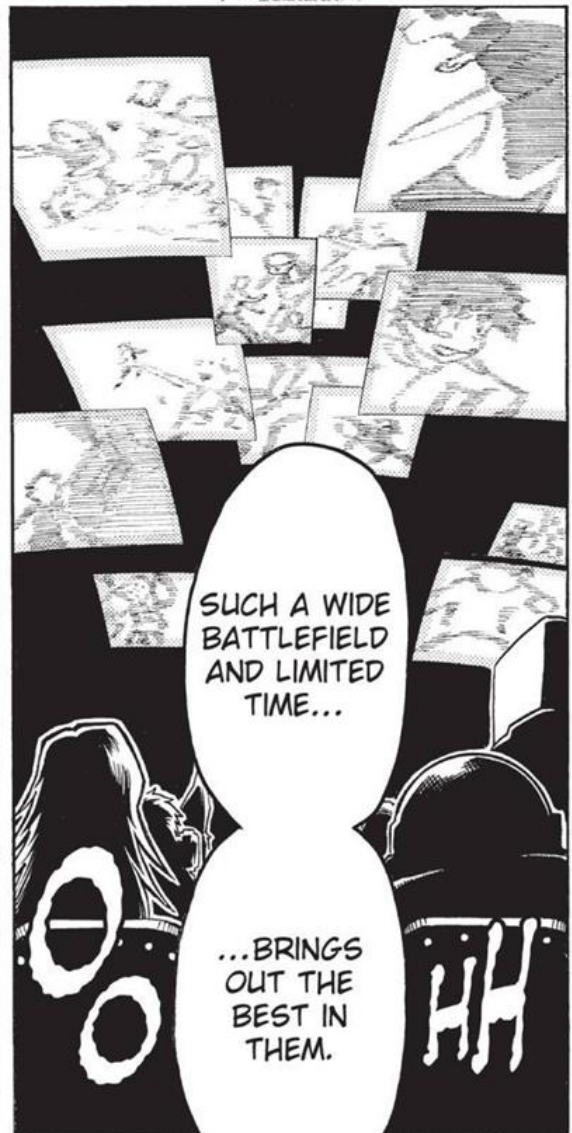
THOSE
WHO'LL
NEVER BE
LATE TO THE
PARTY.

DECISION
MAKERS.

THOSE WHO
CAN COPE
WITH ANY
GIVEN
SITUATION.



AND THEN
THERE ARE
THE NATURAL-
BORN
WARRIORS...



SUCH A WIDE
BATTLEFIELD
AND LIMITED
TIME...

...BRINGS
OUT THE
BEST IN
THEM.

THOOM

IT
BEGINS
NOW!!

...ARE
JUDGED
BY THE
POINTS
THEY
EARN.

THE
ABILITIES
NEEDED TO
PRESERVE
PEACE IN
OUR
CITIES...



NAH. NO
WAY TO
KNOW
YET.

THIS
YEAR'S
QUITE
THE
BUMPER
CROP,
HUH?

BUT
THIS
SHOULD
TELL US
MORE...

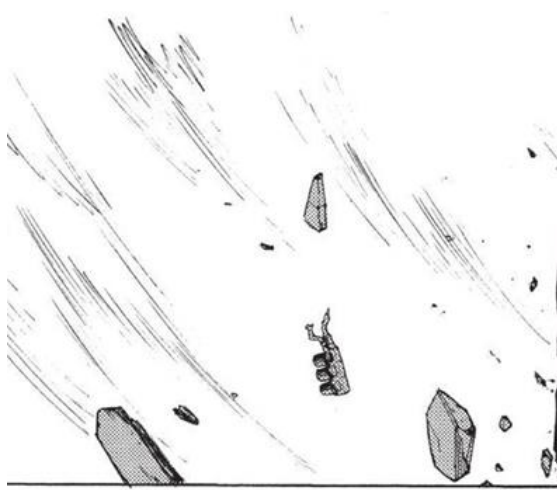
YARUKI
SWITCH

THAT'S
WAY
TOO
BIG!!

RUMBLE

A "GIMMICK"
THAT'LL
RAMPAGE
AROUND IN
CLOSE
QUARTERS!





IT'S
COMPLETELY
OVER-
WHELMING.



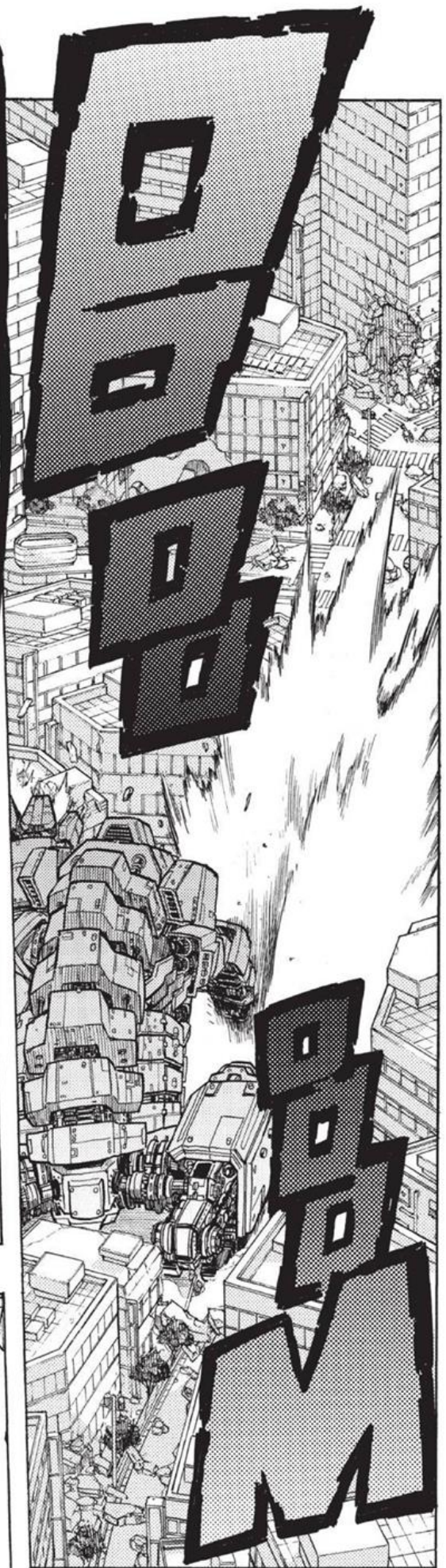
PEOPLE SHOW
THEIR TRUE
COLORS WHEN
THEY FACE
THAT THING...



DAMN DAMN
DAMN. I'M
STILL AT
ZERO!!
THIS'LL ALL
BE FOR
NOTHING!!

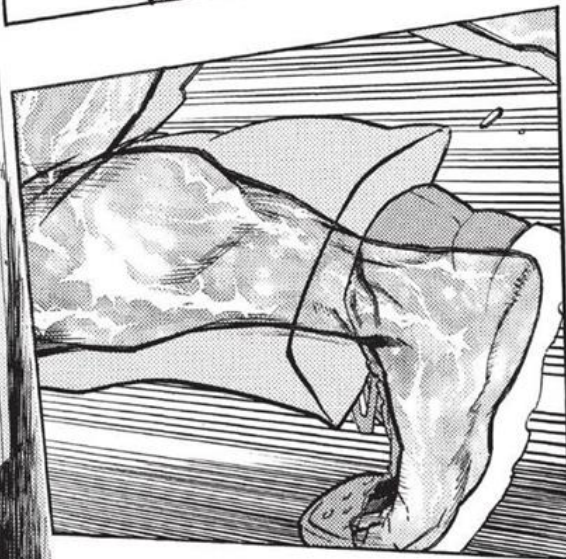
THIS
ISN'T
FUNNY!!

I GOTTA
RUN!! RUN,
AND
SOMEHOW
GET SOME
POINTS....!!





...OF
A
TRUE
HERO
!!



Ohh.



RISING
TO THE
CHALLENGE
AT THOSE
TIMES...

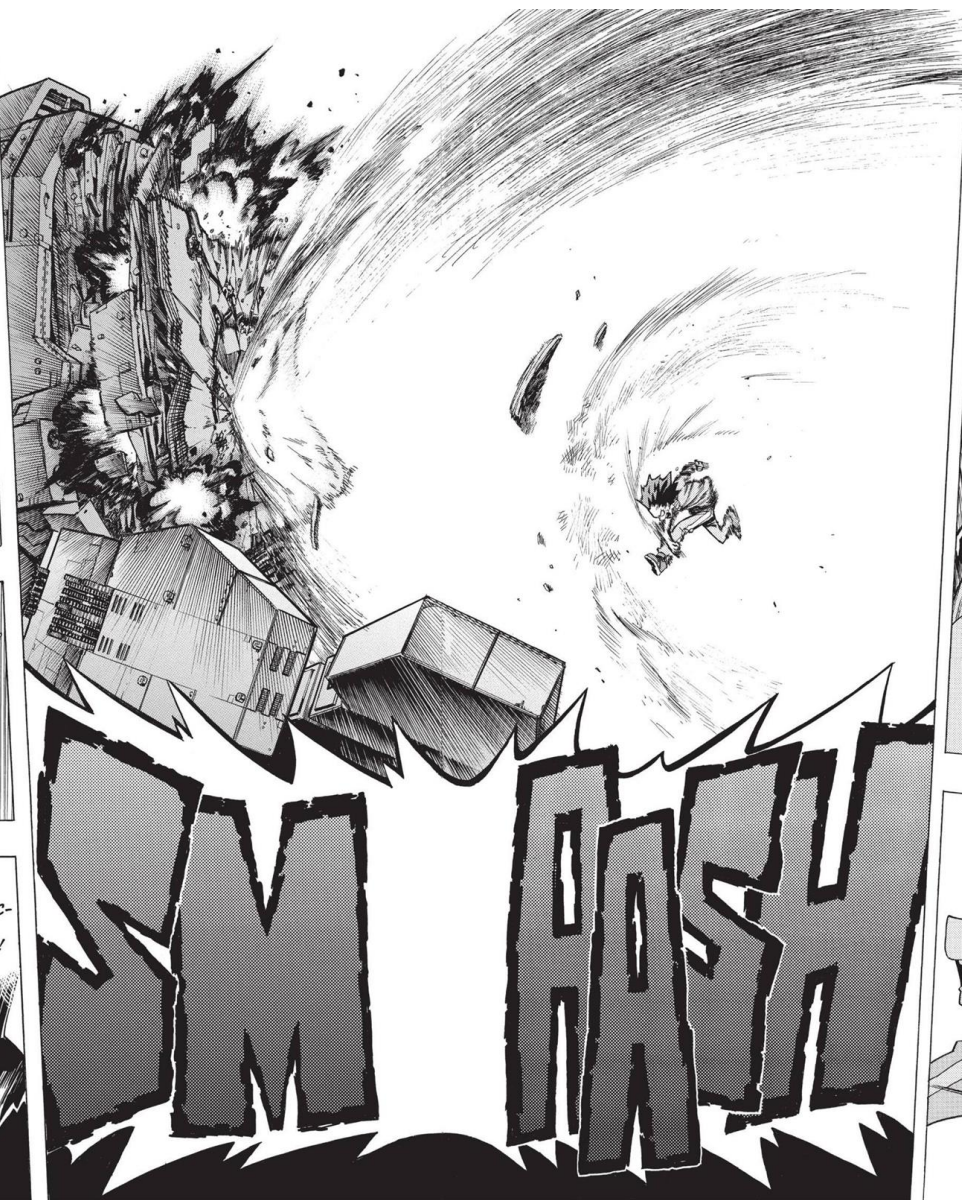
EH...



...IS
SURELY
THE
MARK...

WHEN
THERE'S
NOTHING
TO BE
GAINED!!





STREET CLOTHES



Birthday: 4/20

Height: 172 cm

Favorite Things: All spicy food,
mountain climbing

BEHIND THE SCENES

At first, I made him a natural-born genius who would inadvertently insult people, but that got pretty boring. So I went the other route and turned him into a nasty guy with an explosive personality. I'm glad he came out so unlikable.

His face just screams "I'm a rotten thief."



He was like this at first. This version just made me angry though.



WHOOH

OWWWWWWWWW?!?



?!

THROB
THROB
THROB

FLAP



FLAP

SPLATTER?

ONLY
BARELY...
THIS
BORROWED
POWER!

I GOT
CARRIED
AWAY IN
THAT
MOMENT!!

I CAN
ONLY
BARELY
CONTAIN
IT!

IT'S ONLY
BEEN TEN
MONTHS!!

THIS
IS ALL
MIGHT'S
POWER
WE'RE
TALKING
ABOUT!!



THIS MUCH
THOUGH...?!
WELL,
DUH...! I'M
AN IDIOT!!

YOU MAY BE
A PROPER
VESSEL NOW,
BUT... YOU
WERE PUT
TOGETHER
IN A HURRY.

YOU'VE HAD
NO TIME TO
GET USED
TO YOUR
POWER...
PREPARE FOR
SOME REAL
KICKBACK.



...ONLY
BEEN GIVEN
A PLACE AT
THE
STARTING
LINE!
THAT'S ALL!

I'VE
ONLY...!



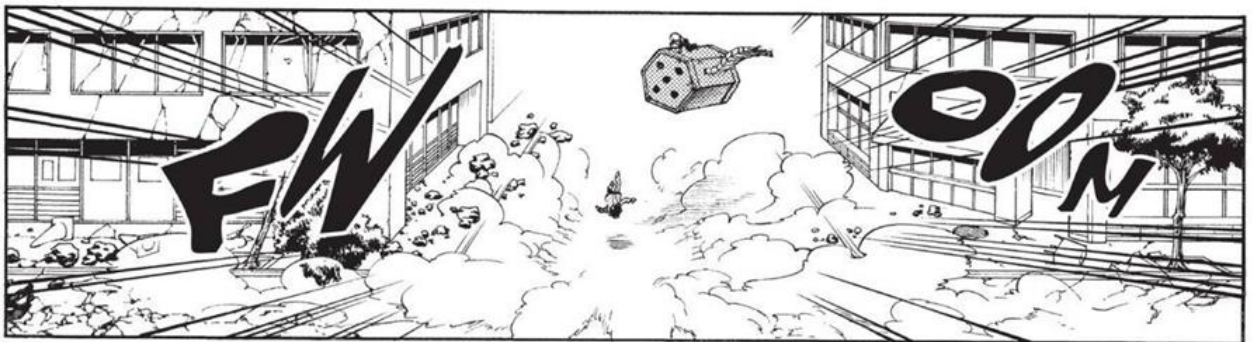
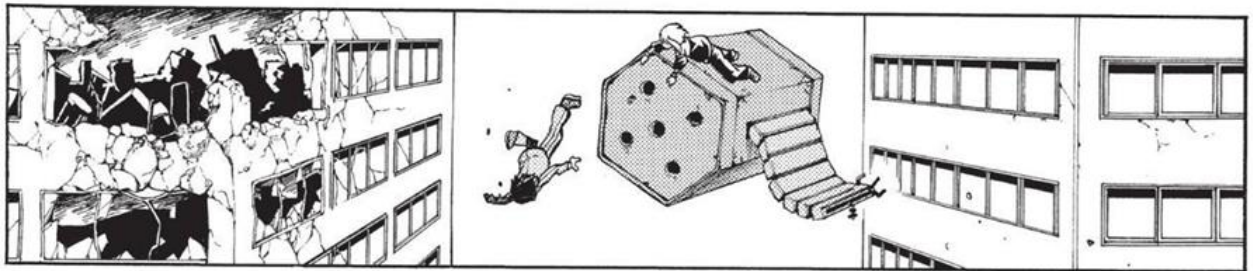
WAAAAAGH!!

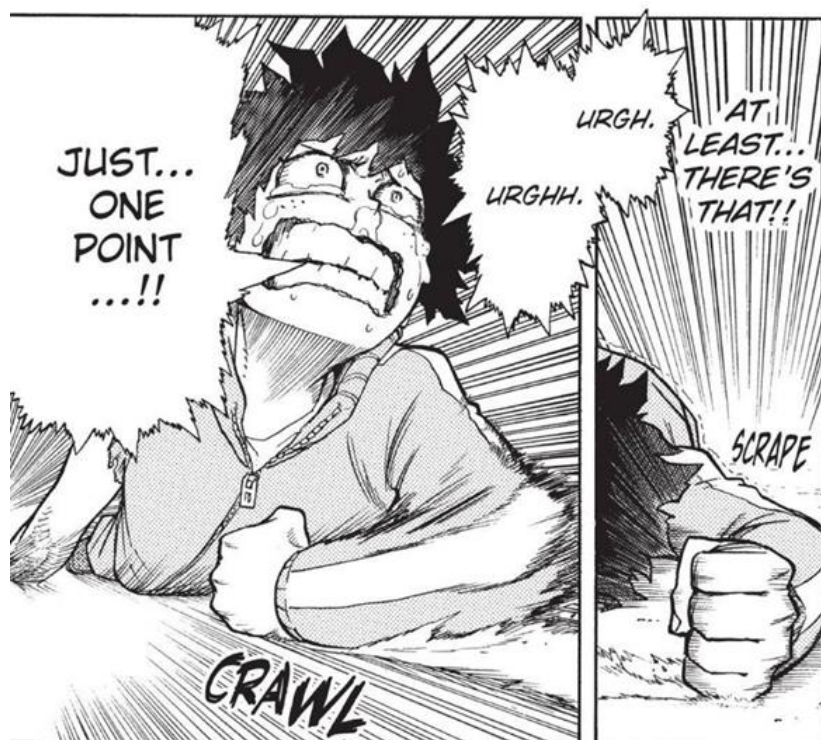


TOO EARLY OR
TOO LATE AND
I'M DEAD! EVEN
IF I PULL IT OFF,
I'VE STILL GOT
NO POINTS!!
AND WITH MY
LEFT ARM
BROKEN...

BUT MY LEGS AND
RIGHT ARM ARE
SHOT!! GOTTA BE
THE LEFT ARM!!
IF I CAN AIM AT
THE GROUND...!
BUT TIMING IS
EVERYTHING!!







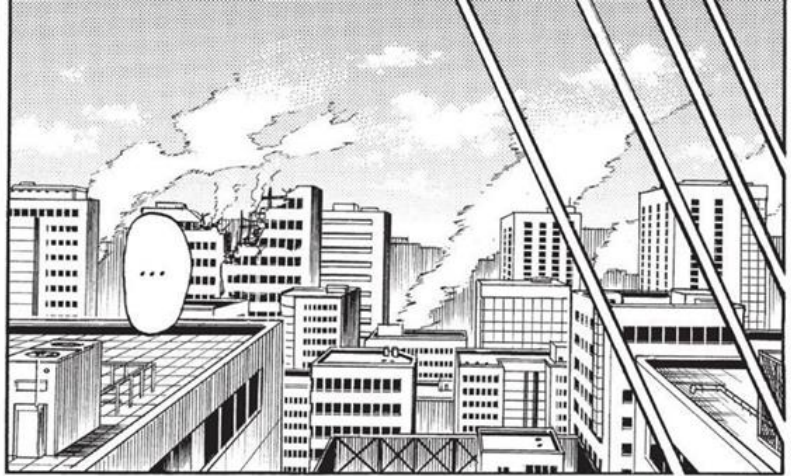


**IT'S
ALL...**



**...
OVER
!!**





CAN'T
SEE HOW
IT HELPED
HIM
THOUGH...

WAS IT ALL
AN ACT TO
THROW US
OFF?

CHATTER

HOW'D THIS
KID GET TO
BE SUCH A
SCAREDY-
CAT?

BUT WITH
A QUIRK
LIKE
THAT...

MUST
HAVE A
STRENGTH-
ENHANCING
QUIRK, BUT...
THAT WAS
SOMETHING
ELSE.

CHATTER

HE JUMPED
RIGHT AT
THAT
GIMMICK...

EITHER WAY,
HE'S
SOMETHING
SPECIAL.



THERE WAS
A LOT TO
CONSIDER...

A total
mess!

WHAT HE
NEEDED TO
PASS.

He's all
busted
up!

THE
REMAINING
TIME...
HIS OWN
SAFETY
...

HE
JUMPED
IN TO
SAVE
THE
GIRL!!

HE...

THAT'S
NOT IT.
WEREN'T
THEY
EVEN
WATCHING
?!



BUT HE
DIDN'T
HESITATE.

NOT AT
ALL!

I WOULD
HAVE
DONE THE
SAME!!

GLAD

I MEAN,
SURE, IF
THIS
WEREN'T
AN EXAM!!

YES, YES.
HARIBO
CANDY FOR
ALL. EAT
UP.

Thanks...

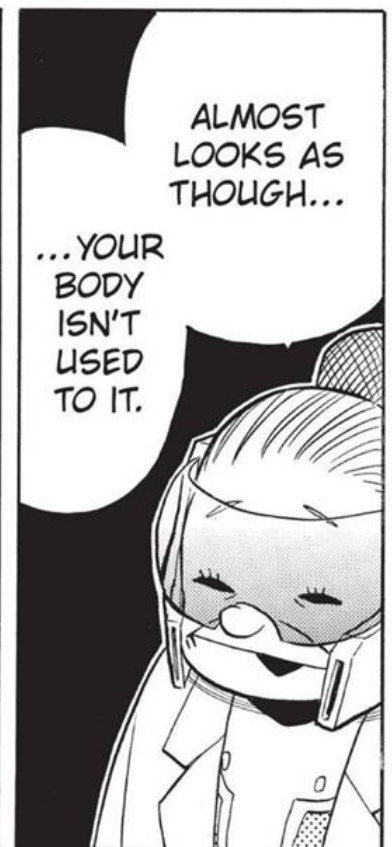
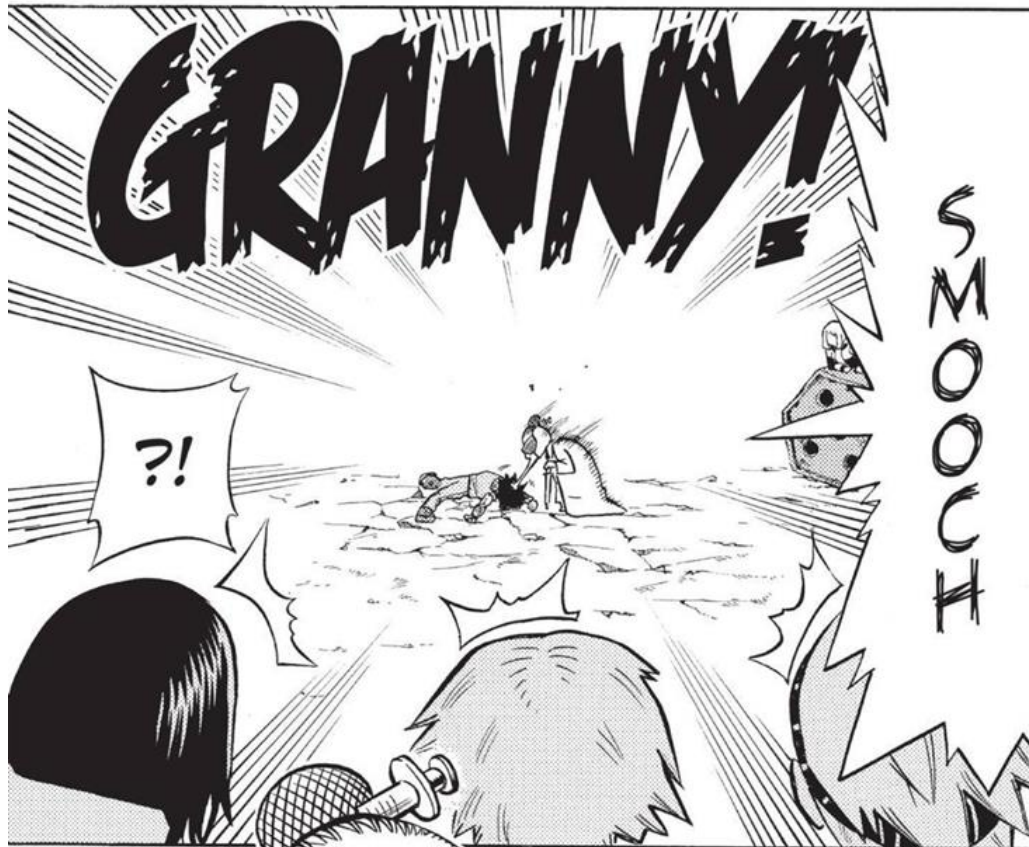
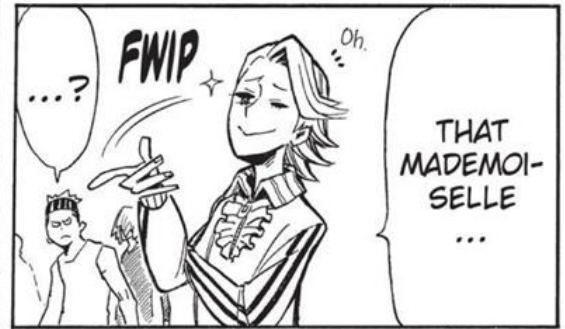
WELL
DONE.
GOOD
WORK.

OH?! THE
EXAM... OF
COURSE...!!
COULD IT
BE...?!

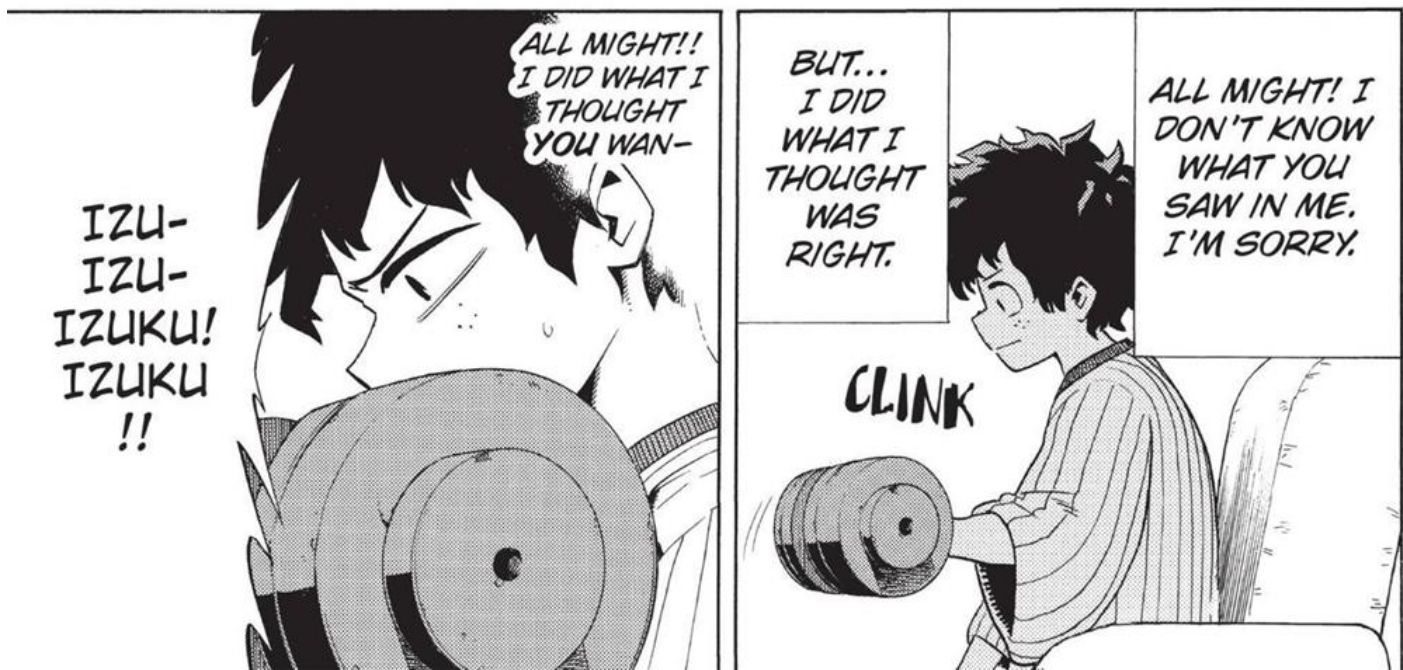
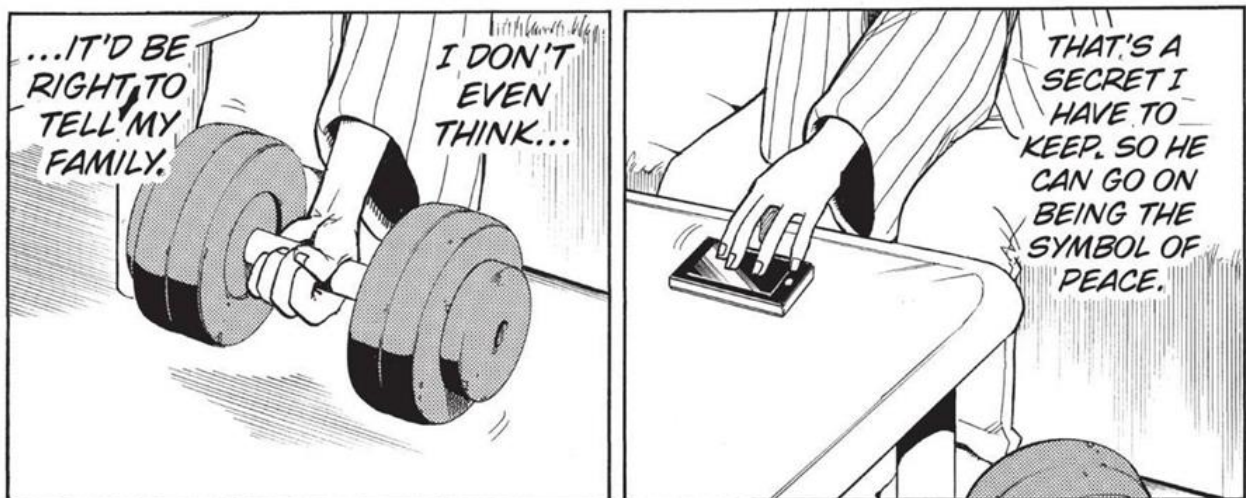
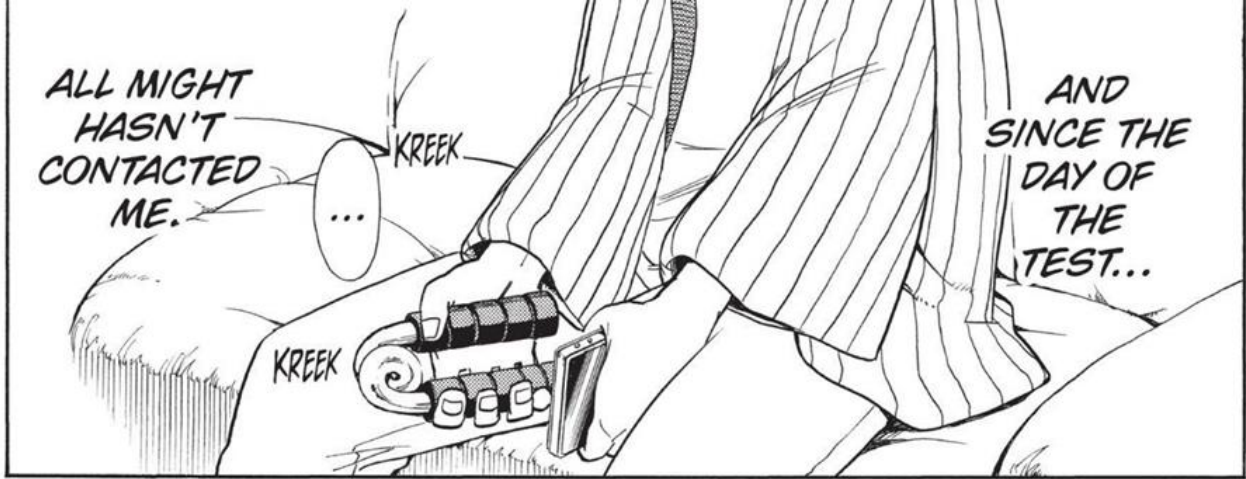
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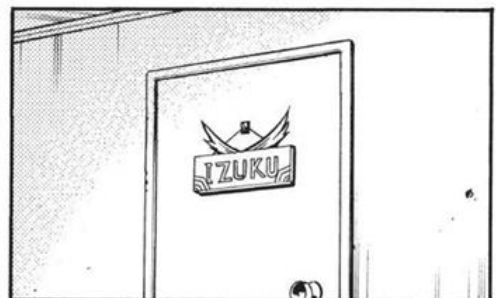
SHF

YES,
WELL
DONE.











ALL
MIGHT
?!

THIS
IS A
PRO-
JECTION
!!



APOLOGIES
!!

AHEM.

IT'S BEEN
A WHILE.
THERE'S
BEEN MUCH
TO DELIBERATE
ON.

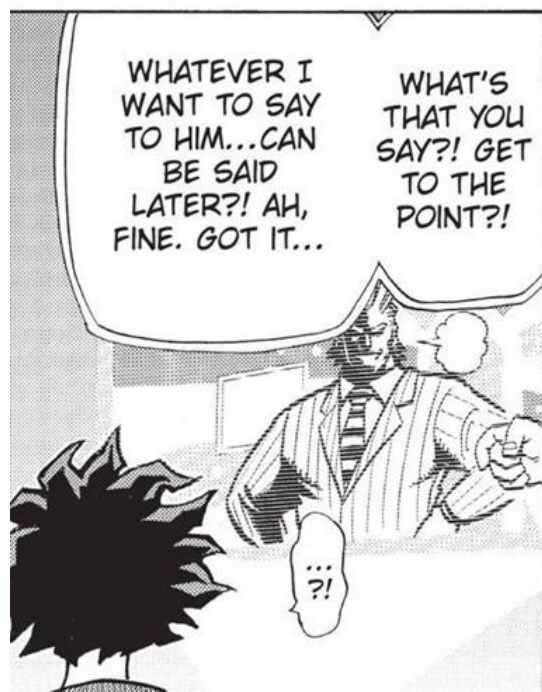


HUH
?!

FWIP

FWIP

HUH?! I
THOUGHT
THIS WAS
FROM
U.A.?!



WHATEVER I
WANT TO SAY
TO HIM...CAN
BE SAID
LATER?! AH,
FINE. GOT IT...

WHAT'S
THAT YOU
SAY?! GET
TO THE
POINT?!

...?
?!



AT U.A.!!
ALL
MIGHT!!

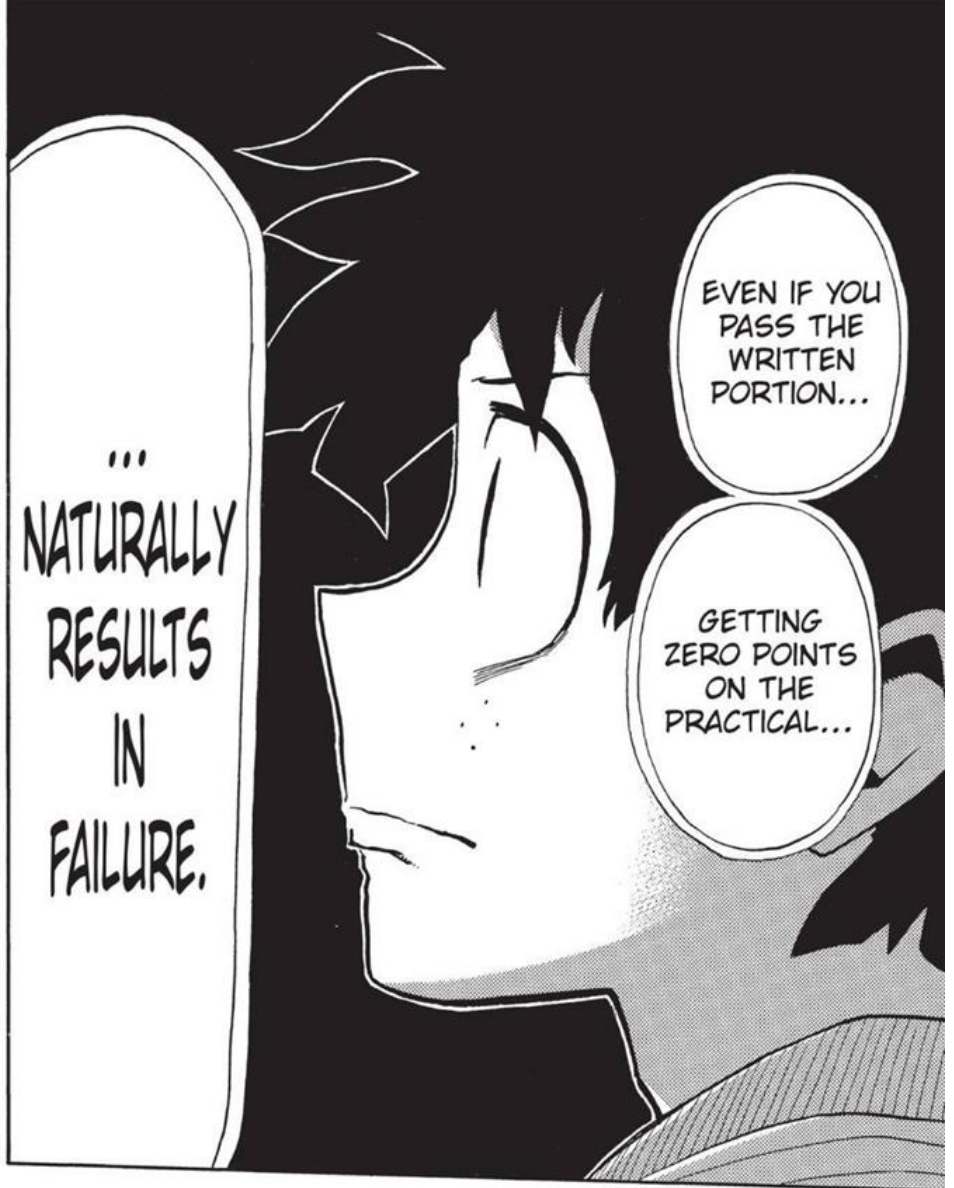


I'M IN TOWN
FOR ONE
REASON
ONLY.

I'VE COME
TO TEACH
AT U.A.



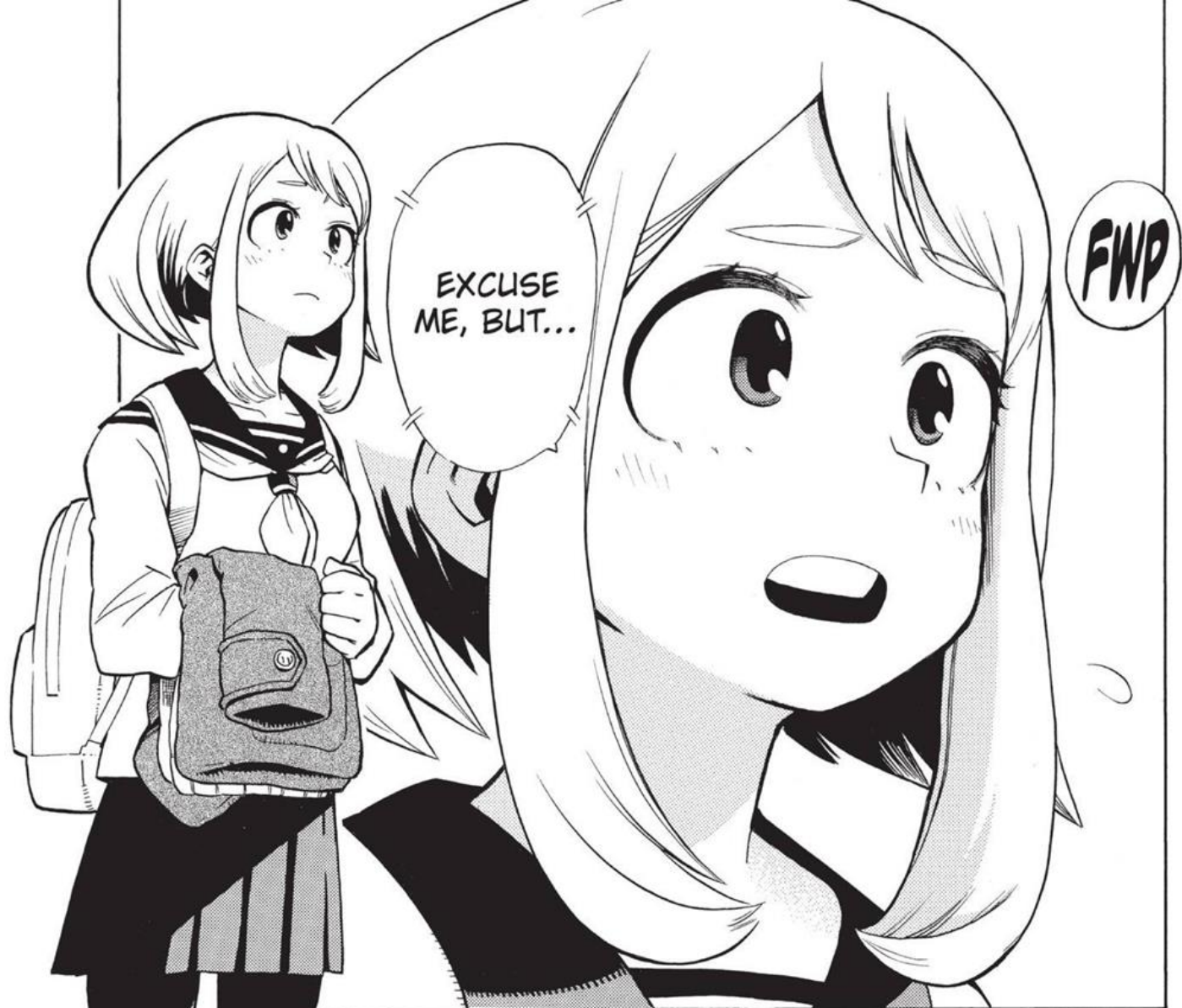
...
NATURALLY
RESULTS
IN
FAILURE.



EVEN IF YOU
PASS THE
WRITTEN
PORTION...

GETTING
ZERO POINTS ON THE
PRACTICAL...







I HEARD HIM!
THAT MEANS
HE DIDN'T GET
ANY POINTS,
RIGHT...?

AT
THE END,
HE WAS
SAYING,
"JUST...ONE
POINT!"



WHAT
CAN YOU
EVEN
DO?!



AT LEAST
HOWEVER
MANY POINTS
HE GAVE UP
TRYING TO
SAVE ME...!



THERE WAS
ABSOLUTELY
NO NEED FOR
YOU TO PUT
YOURSELF IN
DANGER!!



AND YOU'VE
MOVED
OTHERS
WITH YOUR
ACTIONS.

YOU'VE
ACQUIRED
YOUR
QUIRK.



CAN YOU
GIVE HIM
SOME OF
THE POINTS
I EARNED?!

HE
SAVED
MY
LIFE!!

KLUNK

THAT
BOY...



THIS EXAM,
YOU SEE...!!
WE WEREN'T
JUST
WATCHING
FOR VILLAIN-
BASED
POINTS!!



THINK THIS IS
ALL FOR THE
CAMERAS?!
THINK WHAT
YOU WANT!!

IN THIS JOB,
YOU RISK YOUR
LIFE AND PUT
YOUR MONEY
WHERE YOUR
MOUTH IS!!



A HERO
COURSE
THAT
REJECTS
THOSE
WHO DO
THE
RIGHT
THING...

...IS NO
HERO
COURSE
AT ALL!!

BUT THERE
SHOULDN'T
BE A NEED
FOR IT, MY
LITTLE
LISTENER!!

I'M AFRAID
WE CAN'T
GIVE HIM
YOUR
POINTS...



PAT



I
NEVER
THOUGHT
...
I...

SIXTY
POINTS
FOR
IZUKU
MIDORIYA!



RESCUE
POINTS
WERE ALSO
A FACTOR
HERE!!



YOU'RE
IN.



AND WHILE
WE'RE AT IT,
45 FOR
OCHAKO
URARAKA!!



ANOTHER
FUNDA-
MENTAL WAY
FOR U.A. TO
EVALUATE
YOU!!

THIS WILL
BE YOUR
HERO
ACADEMY!



COME
NOW,
MIDORIYA!



SO BEGAN
THE HIGH
SCHOOL
CAREER I'D
DREAMED OF!!

Y
E
A
H
H
!!!



...!! RUB
RUB

ALL THE
HELP I
GOT...
IT'S
CHANGED
MY LIFE.





Birthday: 12/27

Height: 156 cm

Favorite Things: Starry skies,
Japanese food

BEHIND THE SCENES

I'd planned to have her appear with Izuku a lot, so she needed to be cheery enough to drive their conversations.

She's unexpectedly brazen and frank. Proof that there's no hidden side to her, if you catch my drift.

Early on, Mt. Lady (who appeared in chapter 1) was going to be the heroine, but when it comes to a girl whose only power is growing... Taking that to its logical conclusions just brought about all sorts of problems, and the character started getting pretty dark. So I changed her.

The moment when I came up with her name was the first time in my manga career when I thought myself a true genius. It's such a nuanced name.

Editor's Note: Her name literally means "Tea-Girl Pretty-Day," with her last name being a homophone with one way to say "beautiful."

EXAMINATION RESULT

		VILLAIN	RESCUE			VILLAIN	RESCUE
1	KATSUKI BAKUGO	77	0	6	TENYA IDA	52	9
2	EIJIRO KIRISHIMA	39	35	7	IZUKU MIDORIYA	0	60
3	OCHAKO URARAKA	28	45	8	TETSUTETSU TETSUTETSU	49	10
4	IBARA SHIOZAKI	36	32	9	FUMIKAGE TOKOVAMI	47	10

SCORES FOR THE PRACTICAL ARE OUT.

YES, OTHERS HAVE STOOD AGAINST THE GIMMICK IN THE PAST, BUT...IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE WE'VE SEEN SOMEONE ACTUALLY TAKE IT DOWN.

AND ON THE OTHER END OF THE SPECTRUM, IN SEVENTH PLACE, WITH ZERO VILLAIN POINTS.

KID JUST MAKES ME WANNA GO "YEAH!"

IN FIRST PLACE, WITH ZERO RESCUE POINTS!!

HE'S ONE TOUGH COOKIE.

IN THE SECOND HALF, WHEN THE OTHER EXAMINEES WERE SLOWING DOWN, THIS GUY JUST KEPT GOING AT IT.

THE ONE-AND-TWO-POINTER FAUX VILLAINS WERE JUST ITCHING TO CAPTURE HIM.

NO.5 - SMASHING INTO ACADEMIA

WHO CARES ABOUT THE DETAILS! I LIKE HIM!!

...JEEZ. WHAT A RACKET...

KID MAKES ME GO, "YEAH!"

LIKE A CHILD GETTING A FIRST GLIMPSE OF HIS POWER.

BUT HE WAS CONSIDERABLY DAMAGED BY HIS OWN ATTACK...

A STRANGE ONE, FOR SURE. HE LOOKS LIKE A TYPICAL FAILURE IN EVERY OTHER WAY.





STOP
IT.

EVEN
THOUGH
YOUR OFFICE
IS LOCATED
IN TOKYO'S
MINATO
WARD,
ROPPONGI
6-12...

THAT'S WHY
WE'RE
MEETING
HERE...
I GET IT.

SO YOU'RE A
TEACHER AT
U.A., ALL
MIGHT?
THAT WAS A
SHOCKER.

RIGHT...! HE
WAS GONNA
CHOOSE FROM
AMONGST THE
STUDENTS!



I'VE BEEN
SEARCHING
FOR A
SUCCESSOR
FOR A WHILE
NOW.

I FIGURED I
COULD TAKE
THE JOB AT
U.A. WHILE
SEARCHING
FOR MY
SUCCESSOR.



I COULDN'T
TELL ANYONE
UNTIL THE
SCHOOL MADE
IT PUBLIC
KNOWLEDGE.



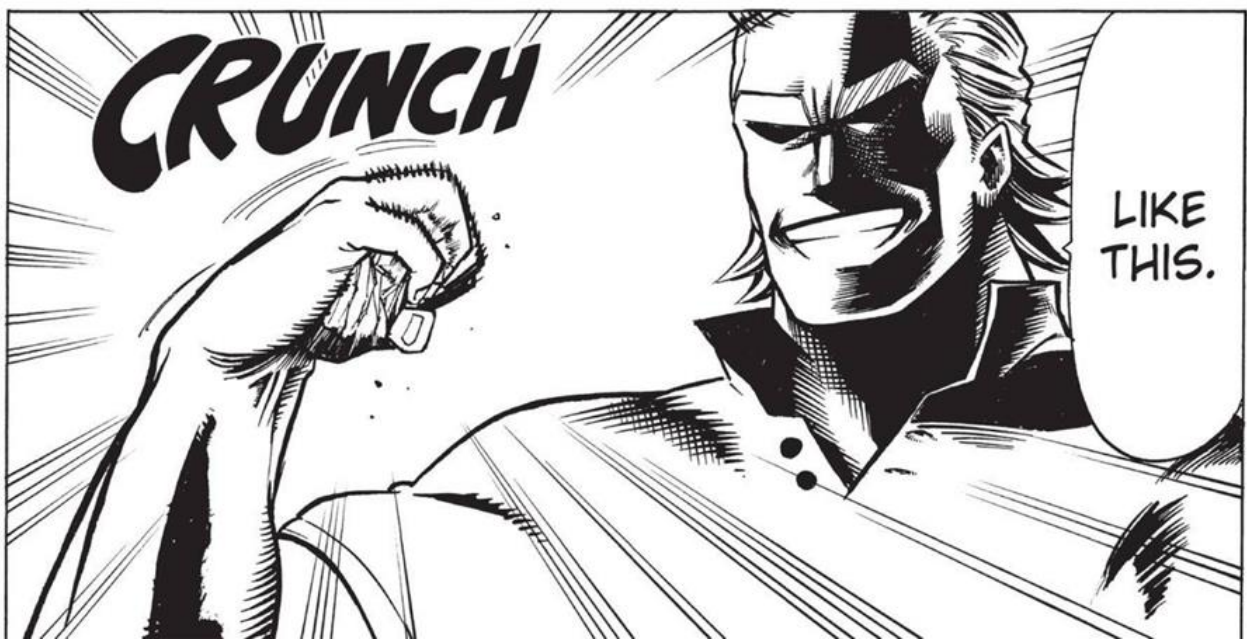
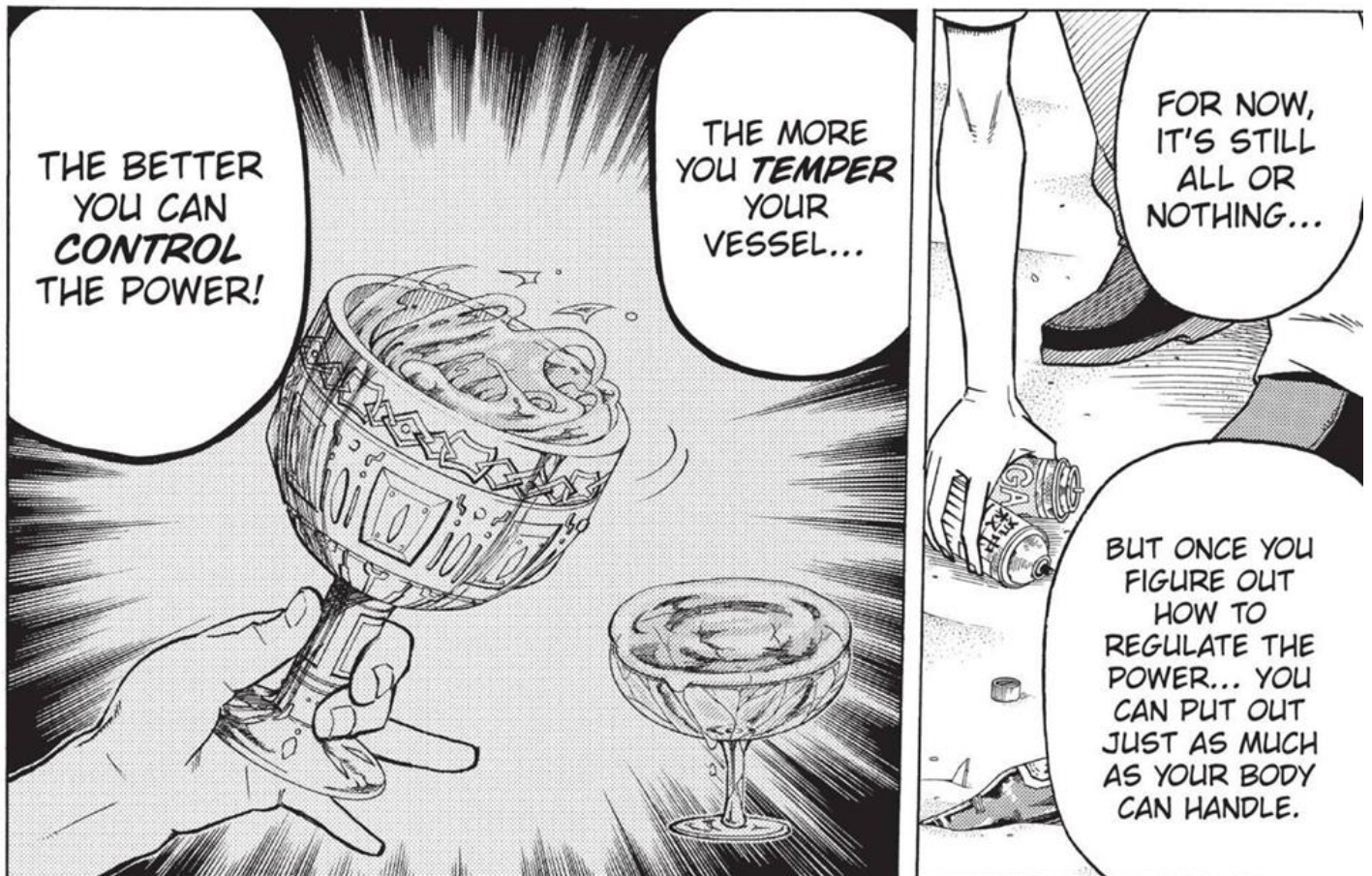
WITH
THEIR
AMAZING
QUIRKS...
AND RAW
TALENT...

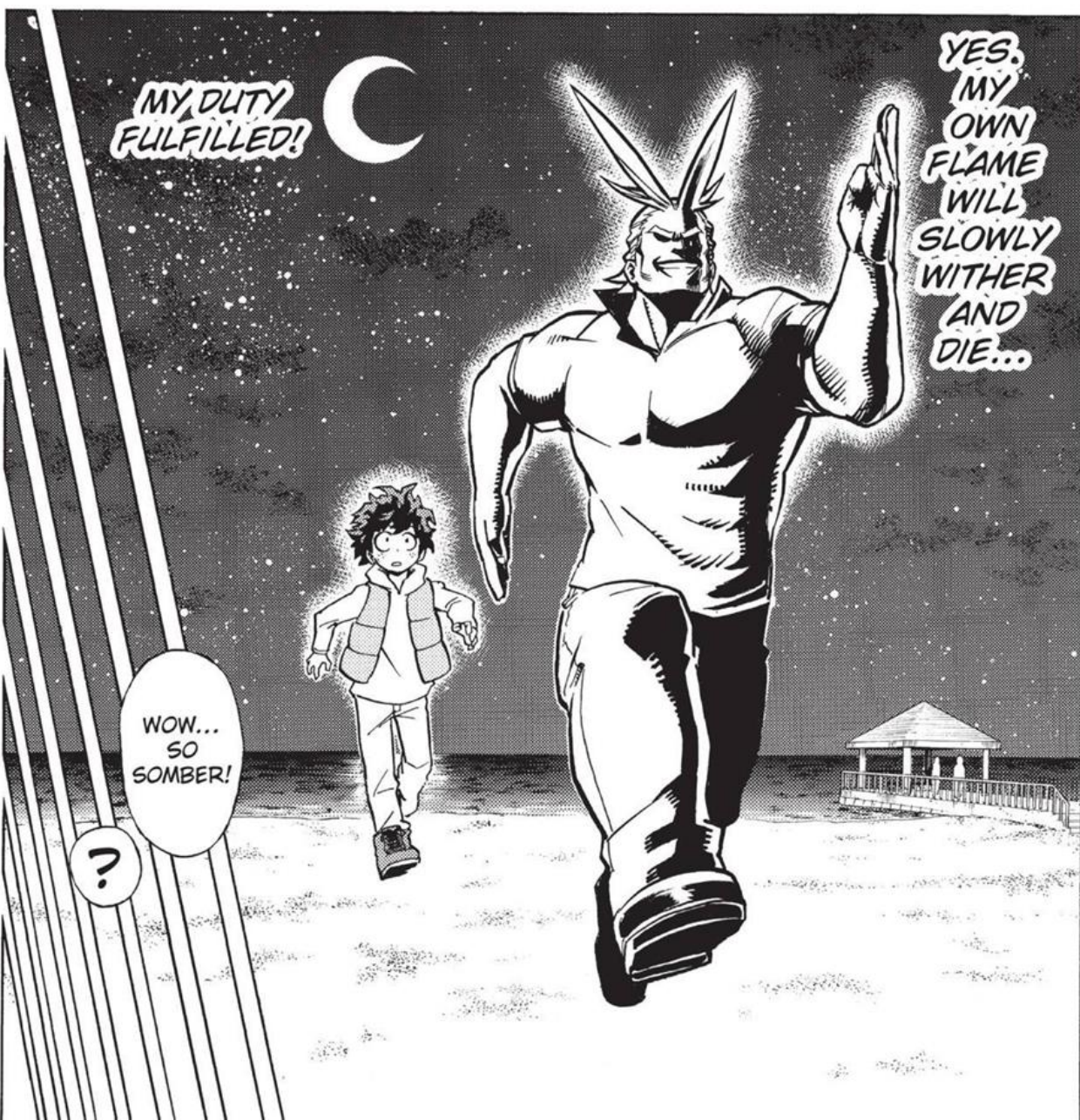
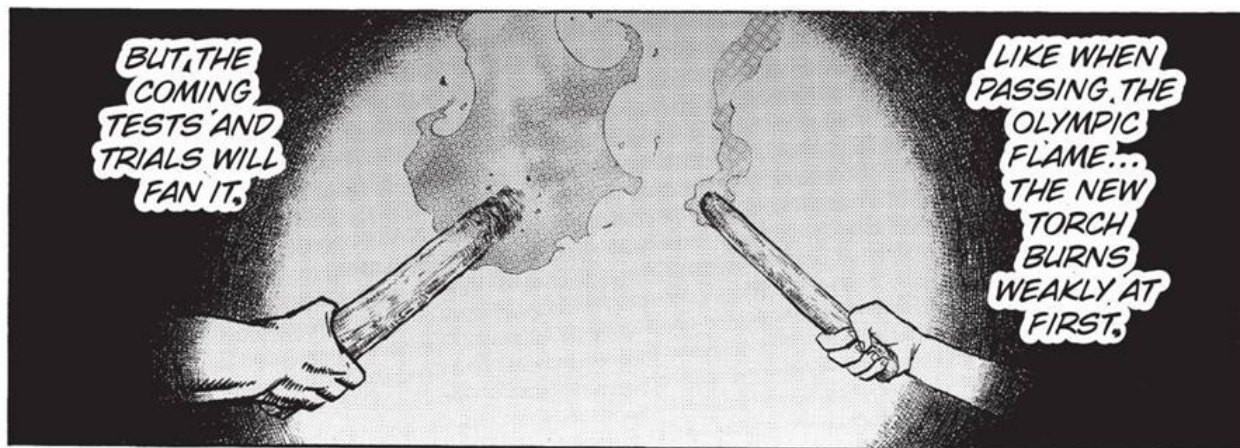
I JUST...
CAN'T
WIELD IT.



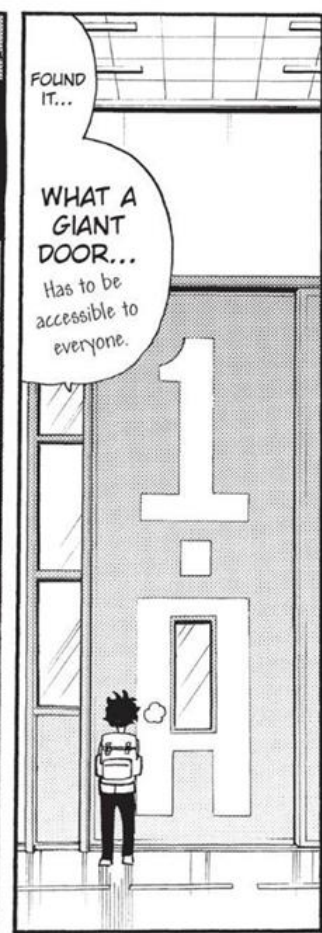
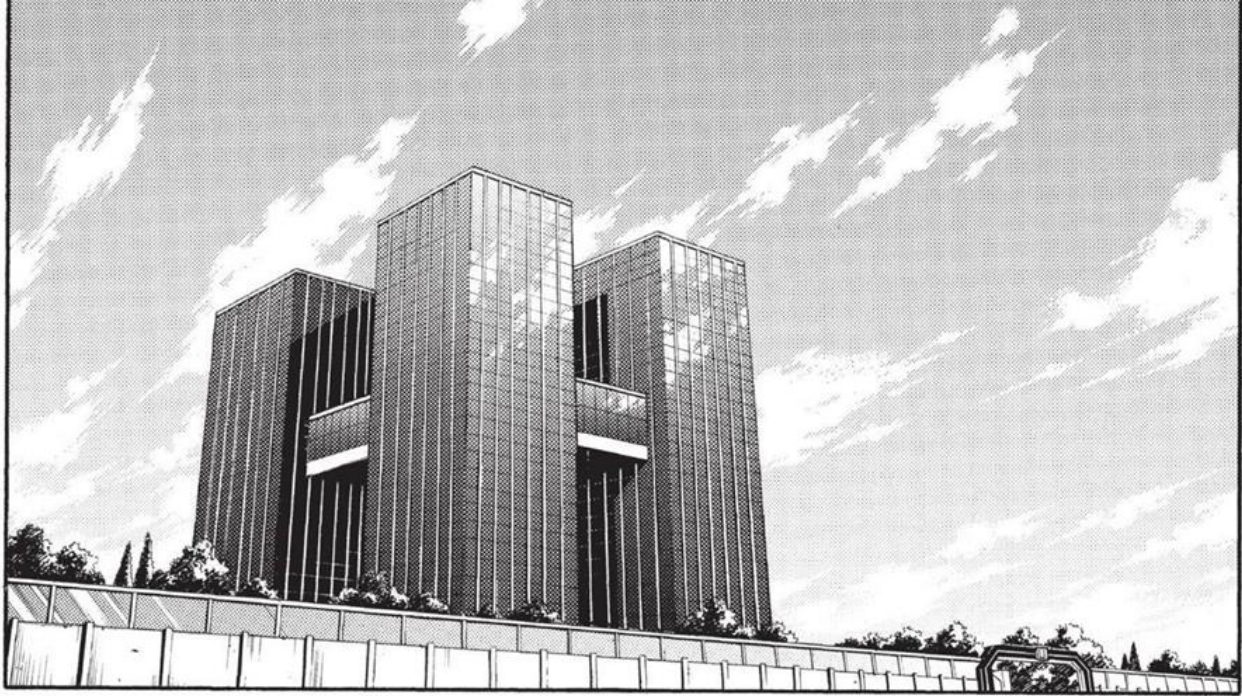
MY BODY IS
BROKEN...
AFTER A
SINGLE
PUNCH OR
KICK...

ONE
FOR
ALL...

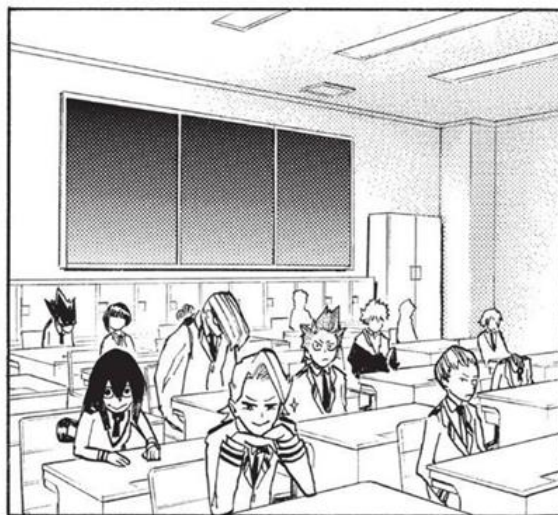
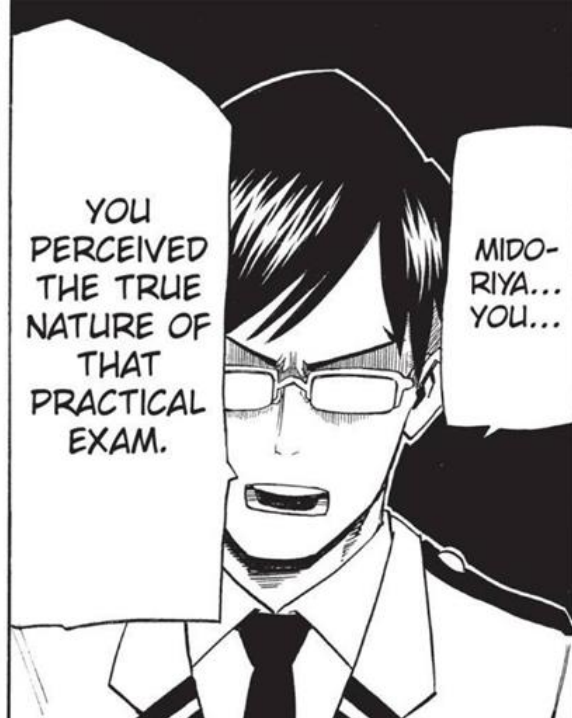














HUH?
HOW DO
YOU
KNOW
ABOUT
THAT?

HOW
WONDERFUL
THAT TWO
OF OUR
STUDENTS
HAVE MADE IT
INTO U.A.!

...



Present
Mic

Smash!!
Smash!!

YOU GOT
IN! JUST
LIKE
PRESENT
MIC SAID!!

MAKES
SENSE
THOUGH!!
THAT
PUNCH WAS
AWESOME
!!

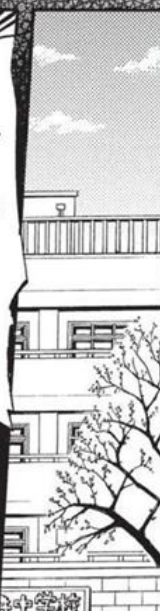
NO! I MEAN...!
I HAVE TO
THANK YOU FOR
SPEAKING ON
MY BEHALF...
I...WELL...



WHAT DIRTY
TRICKS DID
YOU USE TO
DO IT, YOU
QUIRKLESS
TWERP?

HUH?!

...!!



ESPECIALLY
YOU,
MIDORIYA!
THAT'S A
MIRACLE WE
NEVER
EXPECTED!



THOUGHT
I TOLD
YOU TO
GO
SOME-
WHERE
ELSE!!

G
R
A
B



MY
GRAND
PLANS...
YOU'VE
TORN
THEM TO
SHREDS!

I WAS
SUP-
POSED
TO BE
THE
FIRST
AND
ONLY!



TH-
THAT'S
WHY...

I'M...

I'M
GONNA
BE
HERE NO
MATTER
WHAT!



S-SOMEONE
TOLD ME...



...THAT I
COULD
BECOME A
HERO...!

KACCHAN
...!!

I
EARNED
THIS...!



So
close...

SO WE'VE GOT
OUR ENTRANCE
CEREMONY AND
GUIDANCE
SESSIONS
TODAY, YEAH?

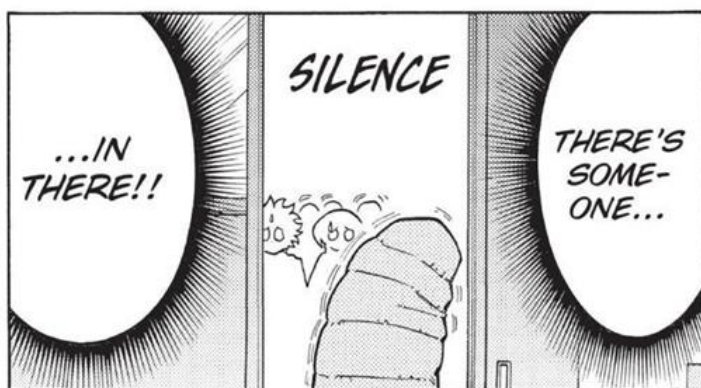
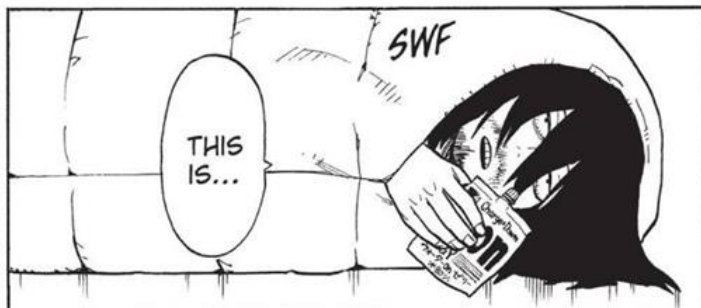
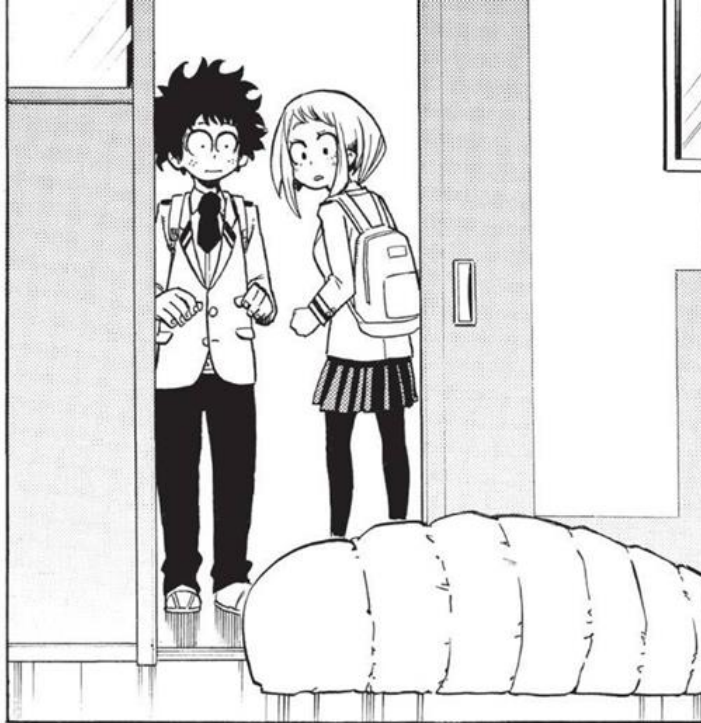
WONDER WHAT
OUR TEACHER'LL
BE LIKE? BOY,
I'M NERVOUS.



HE
ACTUALLY
STOOD UP
TO ME...!

DING
DONG
DING
DONG

THERE'S
SOME-
THING
FISHY
ABOUT
ALL THIS.



OUR
TEACHER?!

TIME IS A
PRECIOUS
RESOURCE.
YOU LOT
AREN'T VERY
RATIONAL,
ARE YOU?

LOOM

IT TOOK
EIGHT
SECONDS
FOR YOU
TO QUIET
DOWN.

BUT...HE
DOESN'T
LOOK
FAMILIAR.
THIS
HAGGARD-
LOOKING
GUY...

SO
HE'S A
PRO
HERO
TOO...?

HOME-
ROOM
TEACHER
?!

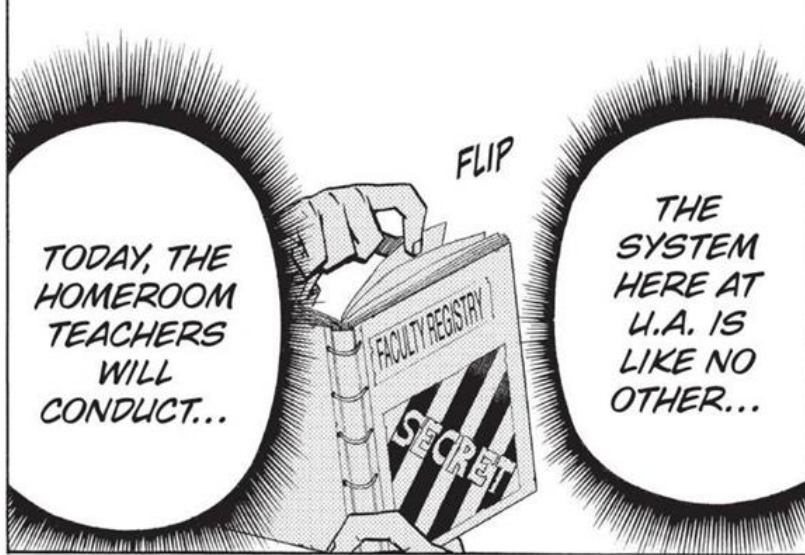
I'M YOUR
HOMEROOM
TEACHER,
SHOTA
AIZAWA.
PLEASED TO
MEET YOU.

CHANGE INTO
YOUR GYM
CLOTHES
AND HEAD
OUT TO THE
GROUNDS.

THRUST

QUICKLY
NOW.

RUSH
RUSH
RUSH



TODAY, THE
HOMEROOM
TEACHERS
WILL
CONDUCT...

THE
SYSTEM
HERE AT
U.A. IS
LIKE NO
OTHER...



NO TIME
TO WASTE
ON THAT
STUFF IF
YOU WANT
TO
BECOME
HEROES.

WHAT
ABOUT THE
ENTRANCE
CEREMONY?!
OR
GUIDANCE
SESSIONS?!

...?!



A
TEST...
OF
OUR
QUIRKS
?!



...?

THAT
APPLIES
TO US
TEACHERS
AS WELL.



U.A. IS
KNOWN
FOR ITS
"FREESTYLE"
EDUCATIONAL
SYSTEM.

YOUR
STANDARD
NO-QUIRKS-
ALLOWED
GYM TESTS.

YOU DID
ALL THESE
IN MIDDLE
SCHOOL,
YES?

SEATED
TOE
TOUCH.

UPPER-
BODY
TRAINING.

SIDE-
TO-SIDE
STEP-
PING.

GRIP
STRENGTH.

EN-
DUR-
ANCE
RUN-
NING.

THE
50-
METER
DASH.

THE
STAND-
ING
LONG
JUMP.

SOFT-
BALL
THROW-
ING.

DO
WHATEVER
YOU NEED
TO. JUST
DON'T
LEAVE THE
CIRCLE.

GREAT.
NOW TRY
IT WITH
YOUR
QUIRK.

HOW FAR
COULD YOU
THROW IN
MIDDLE
SCHOOL?

BAKUGO.

SIXTY-
SEVEN
METERS.

THE DEPART-
MENT OF
EDUCATION IS
JUST PRO-
CRASTINAT-
ING.

THIS COUNTRY
STILL INSISTS
ON
PROHIBITING
QUIRKS WHEN
CALCULATING
THE AVERAGES
OF THOSE
RECORDS. IT'S
NOT RATIONAL.

ILLEGAL USE
OF ABILITIES
DURING RUSH
HOUR AS
WELL AS
ROBBERY AND
ASSAULT?

BUT YOU
KNOW THAT
IT'S
AGAINST
THE RULES
TO USE
THEM IN
SCHOOL!

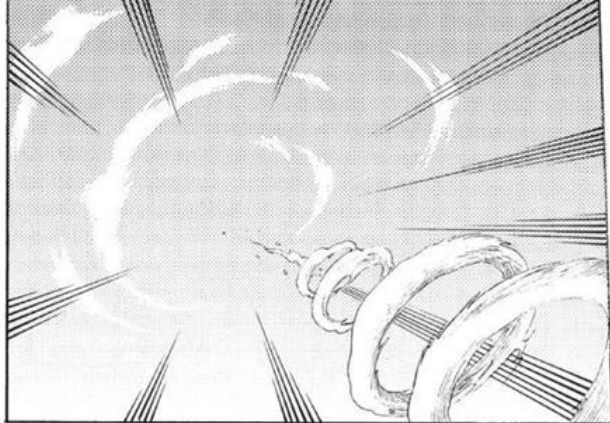
YES, YOU
ALL HAVE
WONDERFUL
QUIRKS.

...A BIT OF
BOOM TO
THIS PITCH!!

I'LL
ADD...

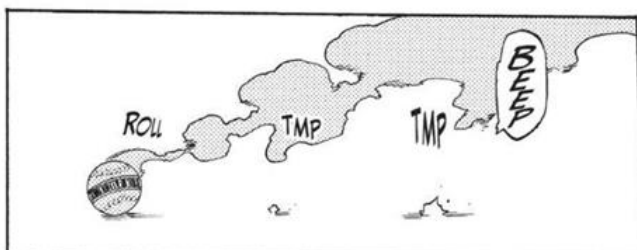
AWE-
SOME.

GIVE IT
ALL
YOU'VE
GOT.

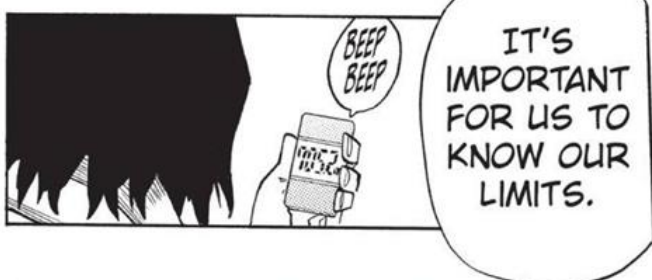


FWOOSH

DIE?



BEEP



BEEP
BEEP

IT'S
IMPORTANT
FOR US TO
KNOW OUR
LIMITS.



THAT'S THE
FIRST RATIONAL
STEP TO
FIGURING OUT
WHAT KIND OF
HEROES YOU'LL
BE.

005.2
105.2m



**DIE
!!**

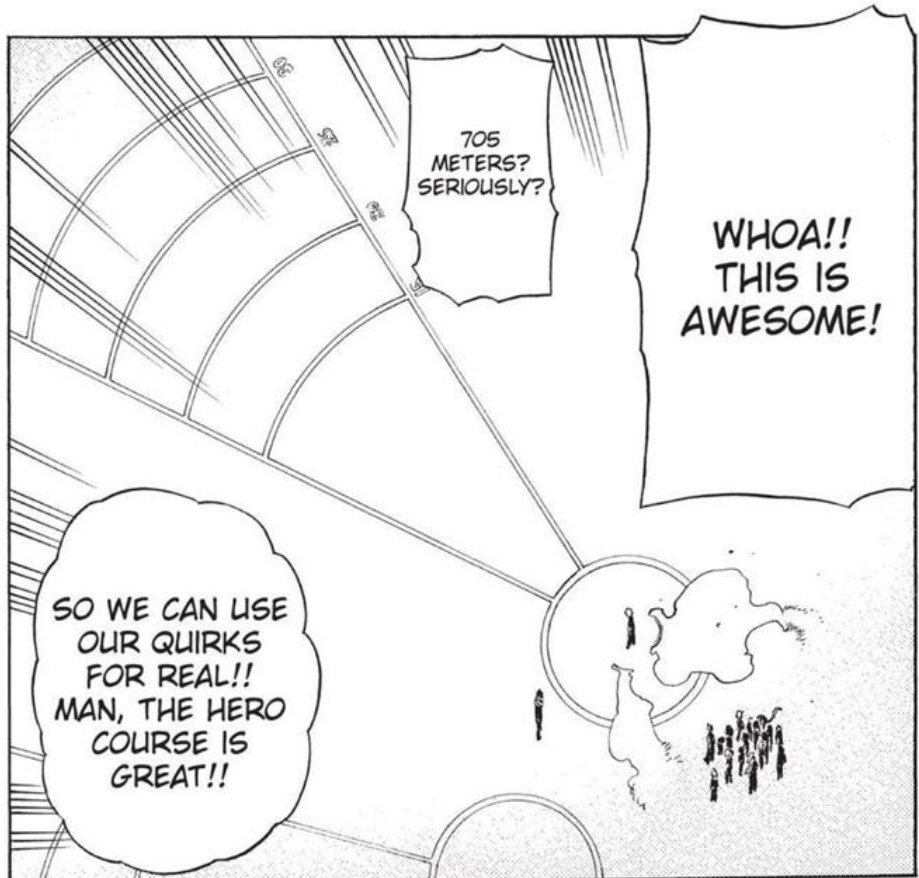
BOOM



I DIDN'T
KNOW
THIS WAS
COMING...
HOLD ON.
THIS IS
BAD.
THESE
EIGHT
EVENTS...



...
AWESOME...
YOU SAY?



705
METERS?
SERIOUSLY?

WHOA!!
THIS IS
AWESOME!

SO WE CAN USE
OUR QUIRKS
FOR REAL!!
MAN, THE HERO
COURSE IS
GREAT!!



AND YOU
THINK IT'LL
BE ALL FUN
AND GAMES?

YOU'RE
HOPING TO
BECOME
HEROES
AFTER THREE
YEARS
HERE...

?!
LOOM



WHAT,
THE...?!
THIS IS
BAD...
THESE
EVENTS
...!?

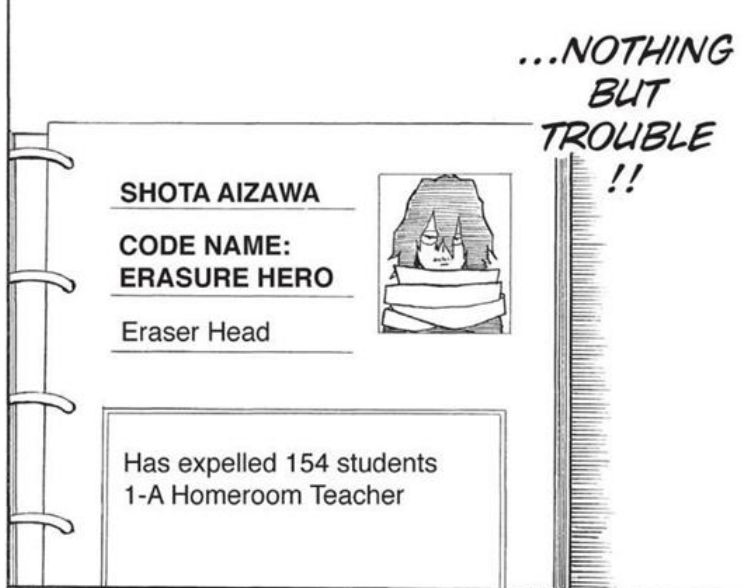
W
H
A
A
A
A
A
A
?!



...AND
WILL BE
EXPELLED.

RIGHT.

THE ONE WITH
THE LOWEST
SCORE
ACROSS ALL
EIGHT EVENTS
WILL BE
JUDGED
HOPELESS...





THE
TRIALS
OF THE
FIRST
DAY.



THE
HERO
COURSE
AT U.A.
HIGH!



WHAT
DO I
DO?!



CIVILIAN CLOTHES



Birthday: 8/22

Height: 179 cm

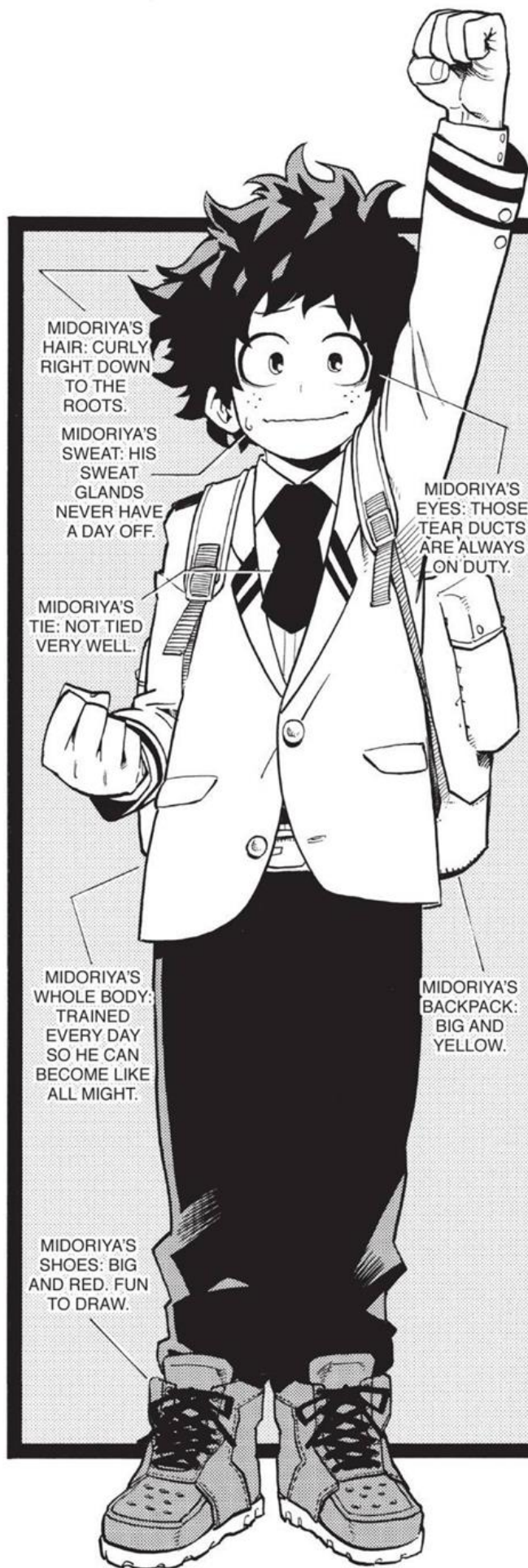
**Favorite Things: Studying,
beef stew**

BEHIND THE SCENES

A character created near the end of the serialization meeting.

I was more surprised than anyone when he started heading in a completely different direction than anticipated. I think he's the character I enjoy drawing most. Ida's Quirk originally belonged to a pro hero (in early drafts), but after a bit of consideration, I gave it to him. Go, Ida.

NO.6 - WHAT I CAN DO FOR NOW



MIDORIYA'S
HAIR: CURLY
RIGHT DOWN
TO THE
ROOTS.

MIDORIYA'S
SWEAT: HIS
SWEAT
GLANDS
NEVER HAVE
A DAY OFF.

MIDORIYA'S
TIE: NOT TIED
VERY WELL.

MIDORIYA'S
WHOLE BODY:
TRAINED
EVERY DAY
SO HE CAN
BECOME LIKE
ALL MIGHT.

MIDORIYA'S
SHOES: BIG
AND RED. FUN
TO DRAW.

MIDORIYA'S
EYES: THOSE
TEAR DUCTS
ARE ALWAYS
ON DUTY.

MIDORIYA'S
BACKPACK:
BIG AND
YELLOW.

U.A. FILE.01 CLASS No.1B IZUKU MIDORIYA

Quirk [TBD]

ONE FOR ALL

A crystalline power network containing the strength of many others! Allows for unbelievable bursts of strength, but only for an instant!

But Midoriya... Well, it's still too much for the kid to bear, so using 100 percent of the power would break him in two!

He's got to work on regulating it!

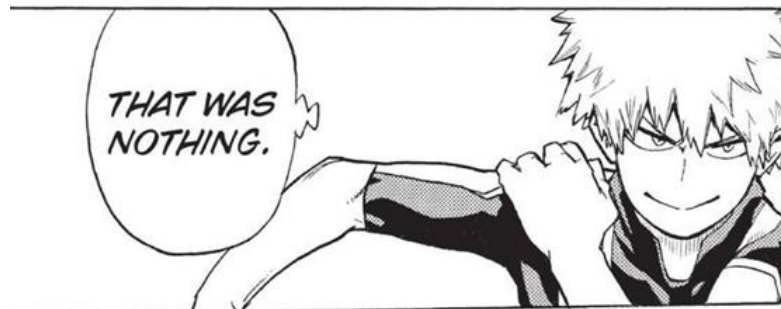
Good luck, kid!



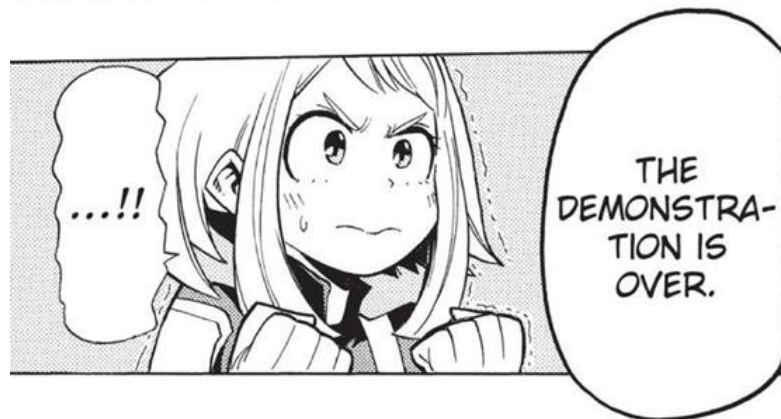


THIS
IS WHAT
IT'S LIKE
AT THE
TOP...
WE'VE
NO
CHOICE!

TRIAL BY
FIRE, I
SUPPOSE
...

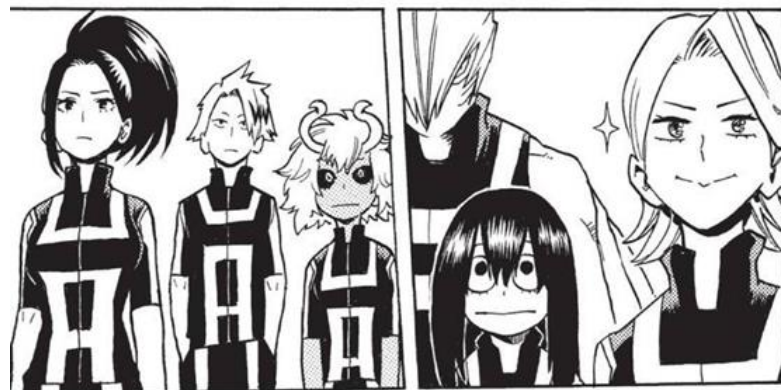


THAT WAS
NOTHING.



...!!

THE
DEMONSTRATION IS
OVER.



NOW
IT'S
FOR
REAL.

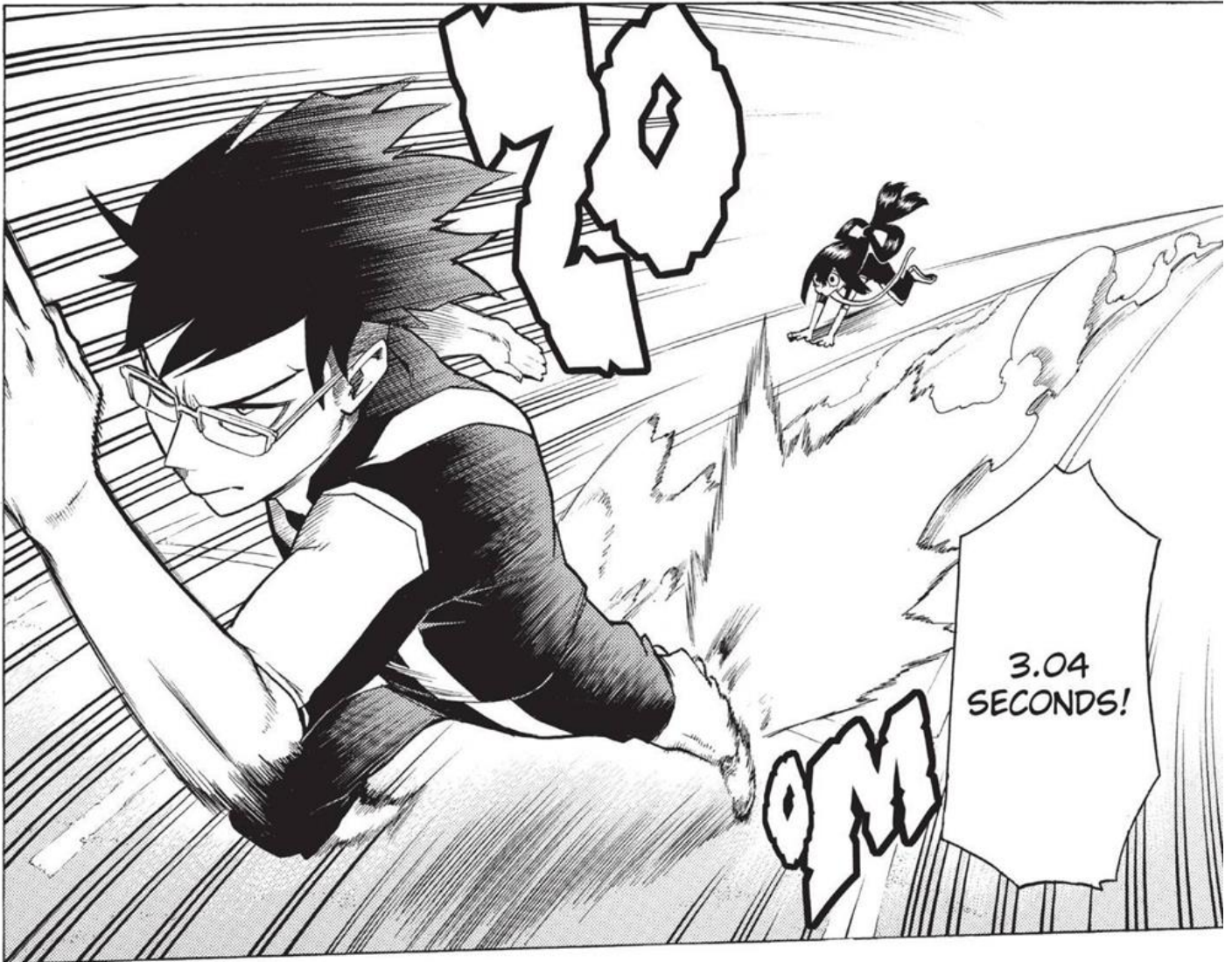


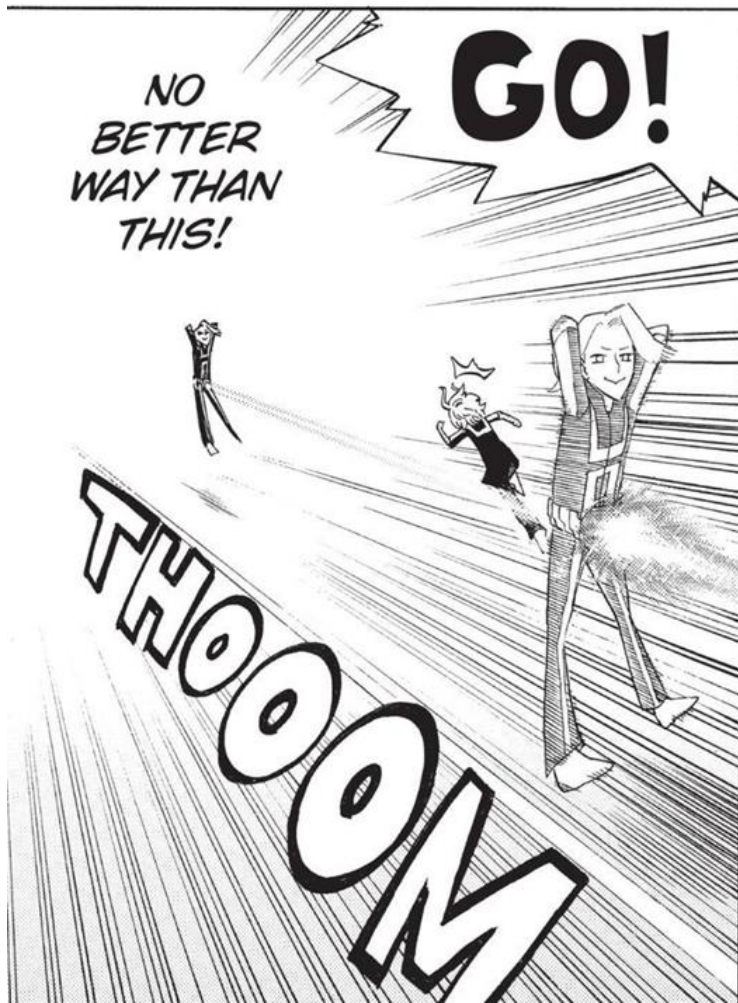
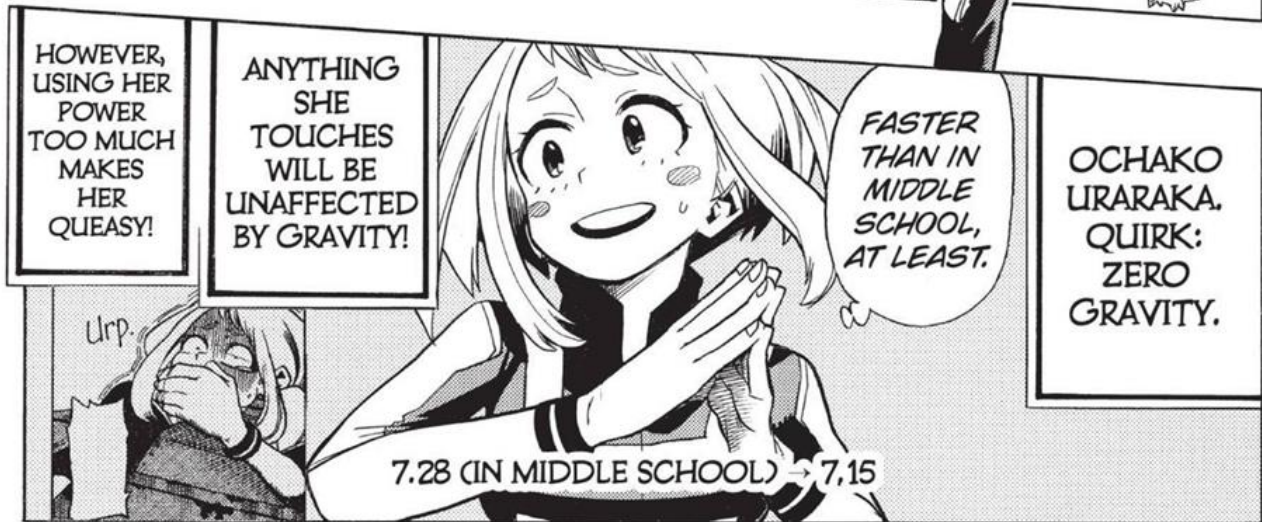
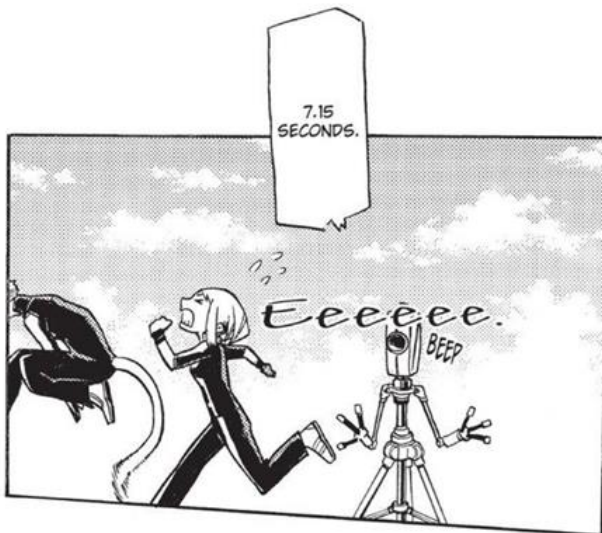
THAT'S PLUS
ULTRA.

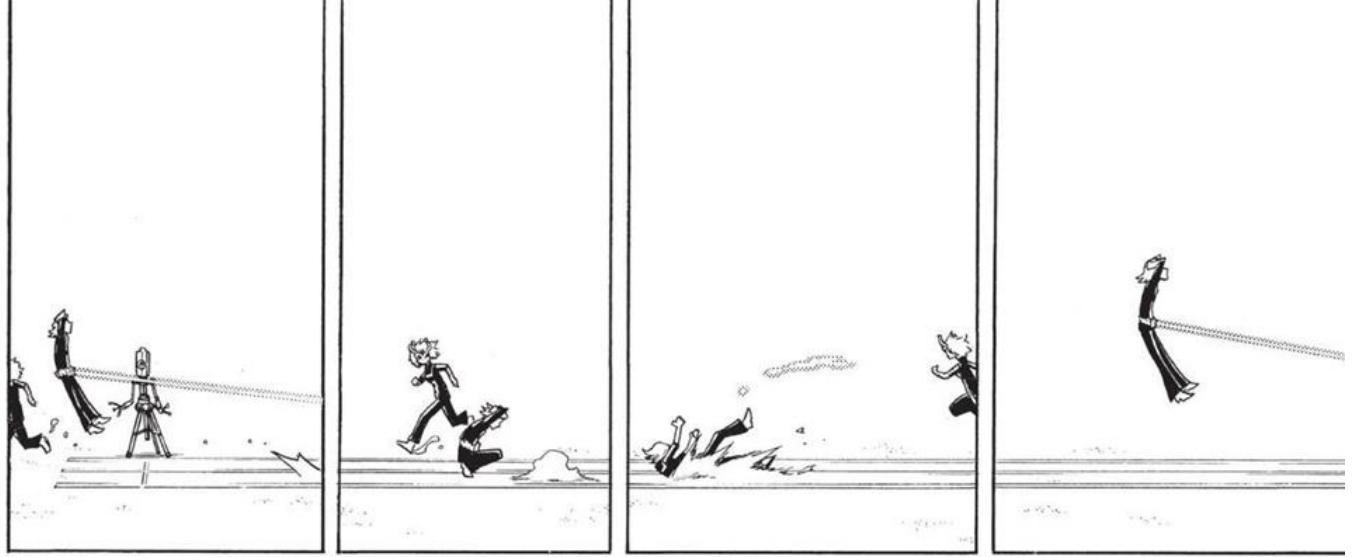
SO
BRING
IT.

USE YOUR
STRENGTH
TO
OVERCOME
IT ALL.

EVENT 1: 50-METER DASH







HEHEHEHEH
HEHEHEHEH.

HE SHOOTS A LASER FROM HIS BELLY BUTTON! HIS RECOVERY TIME IS RESTRICTIVE THOUGH!

YUGA AOYAMA.
QUIRK: NAVEL LASER.

8.25 (IN MIDDLE SCHOOL) → 5.51

...MY STOMACH WOULD HAVE EXPLODED.

IF I'D FIRED AN INSTANT EARLIER...

5.51 SECONDS !!

WHAT'S UP WITH HIM?

...TO HOW CREATIVELY THEY USE THEIR ABILITIES.

THIS IS INEVITABLY LINKED...

HUH?

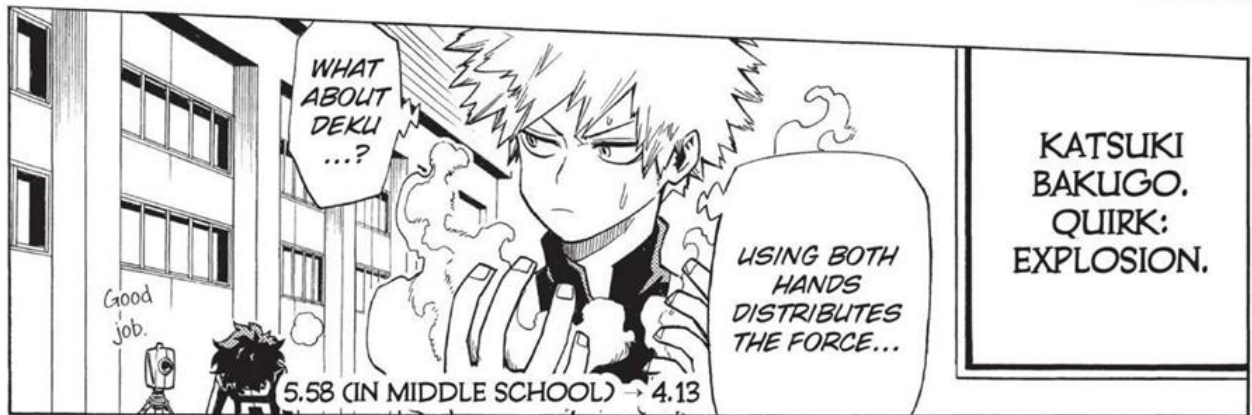
EXPLOSIVE SPEED !!

STUDENTS 17 AND 18.

THEY'RE PUSHING THEIR QUIRKS TO THEIR LIMITS.

BY SEEING HOW MUCH THEY'VE IMPROVED...

I CAN GUESS WHAT THEY'RE CAPABLE OF, AND WHAT THEY'RE NOT.





OF COURSE, ALL MIGHT!!

S E N S A T I O N !!



THE TRICK...TO REGULATION IS...



HOW WAS IT?!

THEN THIS SHOULD BE EASY! REMEMBER HOW THAT FELT?

AND IT REALLY MESSED ME UP...

THIP

THIP

YOU'VE ALREADY EXPERIENCED 100 PERCENT POWER.



DO WHATEVER YOU NEED TO DO SO THE EGG DOESN'T EXPLODE.

THEN REDUCE THE POWER. SHORTEN THE COOKING TIME...

IF THAT'S HOW YOU IMAGINE IT...

THINK ABOUT IT!!



LIKE AN EGG PLACED IN A MICRO-WAVE...

OR LIKE, "FOOM"...? UM... YEAH.

TINGLY, MAYBE?

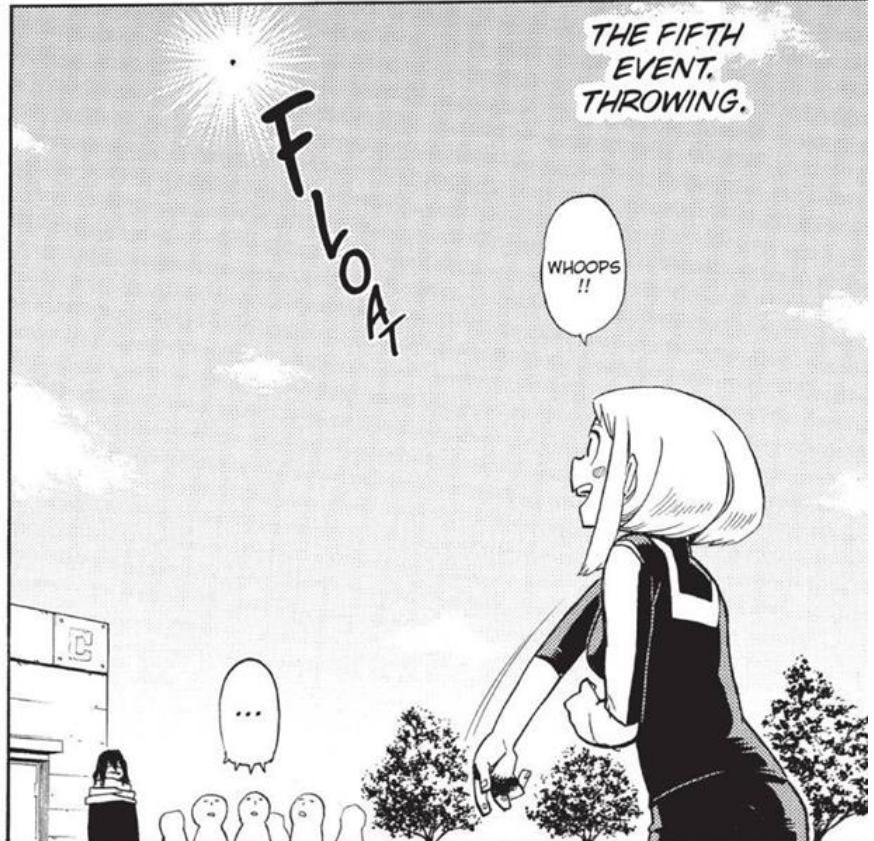
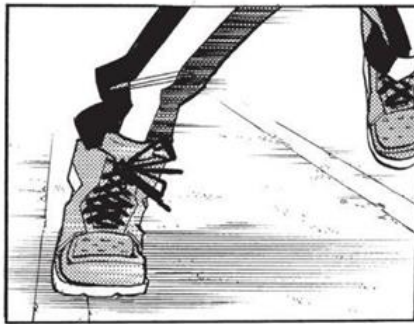
SO PLAIN. BUT UNIQUE !!

DING

HMM
HMM

HA HA HA
BURST



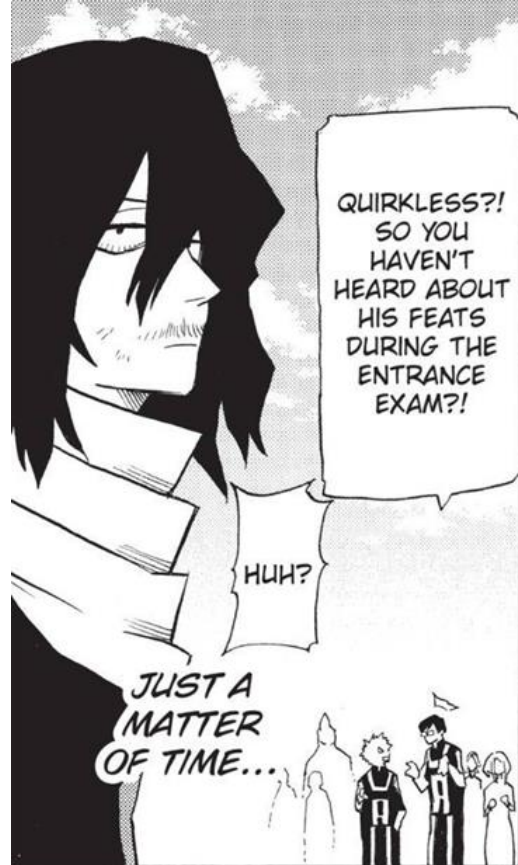


ALL THAT'S
LEFT IS THE
ENDURANCE
RUNNING,
UPPER-BODY
STRENGTH
AND SEATED
TOE TOUCH...
I'M OUT OF
OPTIONS....!!

THEY'VE...
THEY'VE
EACH GOT AT
LEAST ONE
AMAZING
RECORD....!!



NO GOOD!
THIS ISN'T
SOMETHING I
CAN PULL OFF
THIS SOON!



QUIRKLESS?!
SO YOU
HAVEN'T
HEARD ABOUT
HIS FEATS
DURING THE
ENTRANCE
EXAM?!

HUH?

JUST A
MATTER
OF TIME...



WELL DUH.
HE'S A
QUIRKLESS
RUNT!

MIDORIYA
ISN'T
DOING
VERY
WELL...



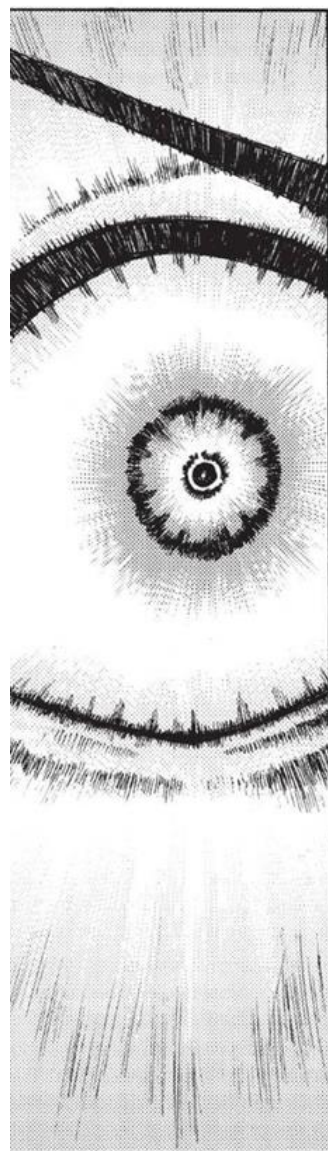
I'LL
HAVE
THE
LOWEST
SCORE
...

AT THIS
RATE...

ALL
MIGHT...!!



MOM...!



I
CAN
DO
IT!!



IZUKU,
YOU
LOOK
GREAT.

YOU CAN
BE A
HERO.



ERASED...?!
THOSE
GOGGLES...
OF
COURSE...!

COMPLETELY
IRRATIONAL
WHEN YOU
CONSIDER
SOMEONE
LIKE YOU
GOT IN.

THAT
RIDICULOUS
ENTRANCE
EXAM...

GLARE

HE'S THE
ERASURE
HERO,
**ERASER
HEAD!!**

HIS
QUIRK
NULLIFIES
OTHERS'
QUIRKS
JUST BY
LOOKING
AT
THEM!!

I THINK I'VE
HEARD HIS
NAME BEFORE!
HE'S AN
ANGLER-TYPE
HERO!

CHATTER

CHATTER

ERASER?
I'VE...
NEVER
HEARD
OF HIM.

WERE YOU
HOPING
SOMEONE
WOULD
STEP IN TO
HELP
AFTER-
WARDS?

SNF

I SAW IT...
HOW YOU CAN'T
CONTROL YOUR
QUIRK. YOU'D
JUST BE
INCAPACITATED
AGAIN.

WE
HARDLY
SEE
EYE
TO
EYE!!

HE HATES
MEDIA
APPEARANCES
...

...SAYS IT
INTERFERES
WITH HIS WORK.
THAT'S RIGHT,
MIDORIYA! ME
AND THIS GUY...

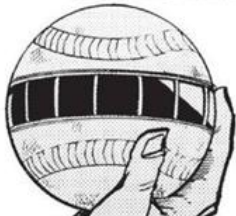




EITHER WAY, HE DOESN'T HAVE A CHANCE.



I'LL
NEVER BE
A HERO AT
THIS RATE.



NOT
YET...



NOT
YET!!





...WITH
FULL
POWER!!



COME
ON
NOW
!!



I'LL GIVE
IT MY
ALL...

...IN THE
SMALLEST
WAY...



NOT
YET!!



NOW.

BECAUSE I
HAVE TO
WORK WAY
HARDER
THAN
ANYONE
ELSE...IF I
WANNA
MAKE IT!



**THIS IS
WHAT I
CAN DO
FOR
NOW!!!**

SWASH



STREET CLOTHES

SHOTA AIZAWA [AGE:30]
(ERASER HEAD)



Birthday: 11/8

Height: 183 cm

Favorite Thing: Cats

BEHIND THE SCENES

A man who lives by the rule of rationality. I tried to think what sort of person one would become if every decision was made rationally, and this is what I came up with. Assuming one didn't care about social decency at all, of course.

THE SUPPLEMENT

I'm thinking his bedroom is completely bare.





W
A
H
H
H
!!

WHAT THE
HELL?
EXPLAIN
YOURSELF,
DEKU!!

BOOM
BOOM
BOOM

HE SAID,
"I EARNED
THIS"...!!

IT'S
IMPOSSIBLE
...

WHAT
THE...!
QUIRKS
NEVER
MANIFEST
PAST AGE
FOUR!

BUT IT
REALLY
HAPPENED!!

WHAT
THE...
THIS
CLOTH...
IT'S
STIFF!!

ARGH
...

STRAIN

NGGG!!

THWAP

GEEZ.
STOP
USING
YOUR
QUIRK
ALREADY
...

VOOP

IT'S A
"CAPTURE
WEAPON"
MADE OF
CARBON
FIBERS AND
A SPECIAL
ALLOY WIRE.

STRAIN

F
S
H



THAT
SUCKS.
CONSIDERING
HIS QUIRK
IS SO
AWESOME!!

GLARE

I'M
GETTING
DRY EYE
OVER HERE.

SHOTA AIZAWA. HE
CAN NULLIFY THE
QUIRK OF ANYONE
HE LOOKS AT! BUT
THE EFFECT WEARS
OFF IF HE BLINKS!



I
WON'T
LET
YOU.

Y'ALREADY
MADE HIM
CRY...
STOP IT!

ENOUGH
KACCHAN!

HE'S
SO LAME.
EVEN AS
A THIRD-
YEAR...

...HE STILL
CAN'T FACE
REALITY.

HE WAS JUST
ANOTHER
PEBBLE IN MY
PATH, BUT...

LIP UNTIL
NOW...



SIGH

WHAT A
WASTE OF
TIME.
PREPARE
FOR THE
NEXT EVENT.

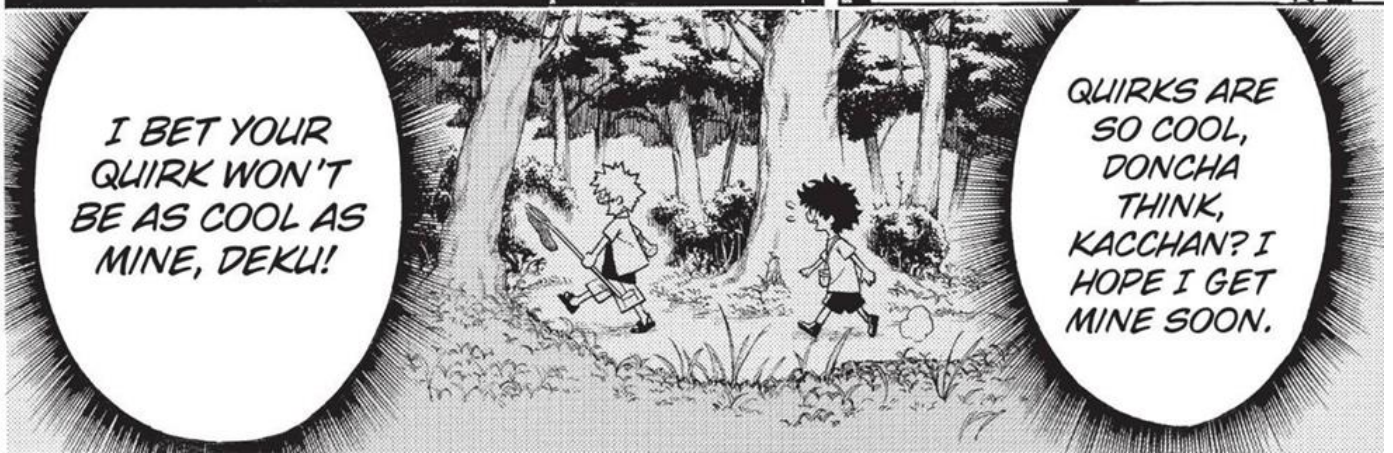


AH...
YEAH...

IS
YOUR
FINGER
OKAY?

TCH...

Uwahn...



I BET YOUR
QUIRK WON'T
BE AS COOL AS
MINE, DEKU!

QUIRKS ARE
SO COOL,
DONCHA
THINK,
KACCHAN? I
HOPE I GET
MINE SOON.

...THAN A
PEBBLE IN
MY PATH!!

HE WASN'T
SUPPOSED
TO BE
MORE...

THE
EVENTS
WERE
OVER...

I BATTLED
THROUGH THE
PAIN AND
PRODUCED A
FEW MORE
UNIMPRES-
SIVE
RECORDS.

EXPLAINING THE
PROCESS WOULD
BE A WASTE OF
TIME, SO ALL
YOU GET ARE
THE FINAL
RANKINGS.

YOUR TOTAL
SCORES
SIMPLY
REFLECT
YOUR PER-
FORMANCE IN
EACH OF THE
EVENTS.

THE LOWEST
SCORE GETS
EXPELLED...!
SO SOMEONE
HERE IS
GOING
HOME...

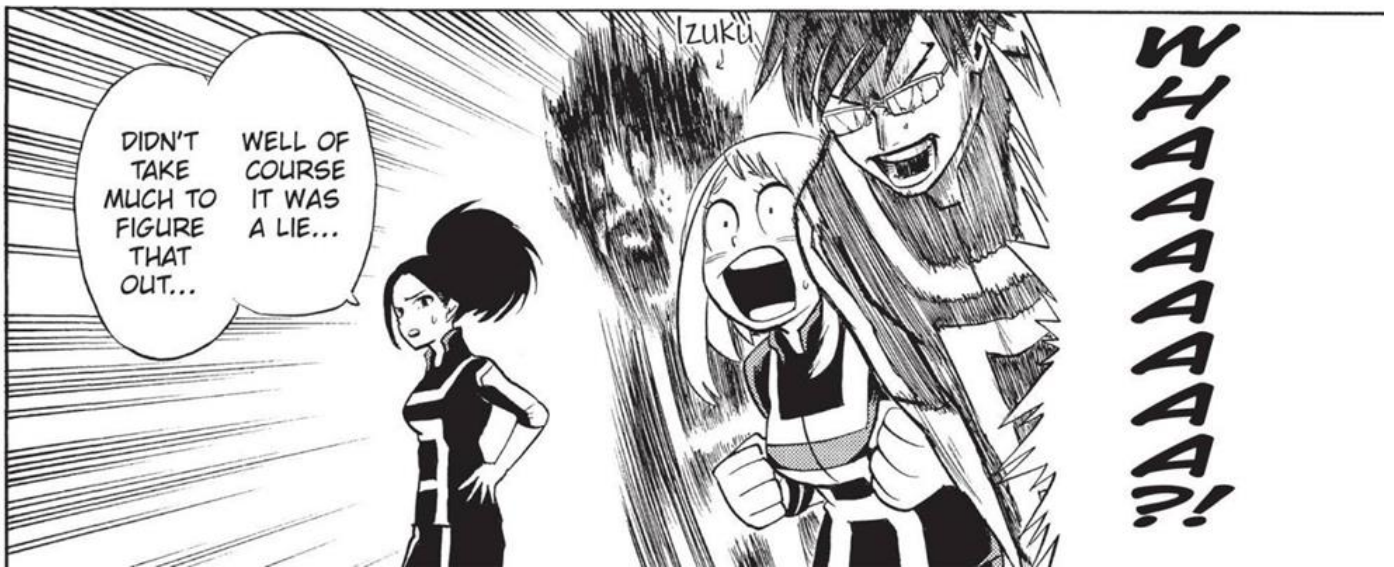
MOVING
ALONG.
TIME FOR
THE
RESULTS.

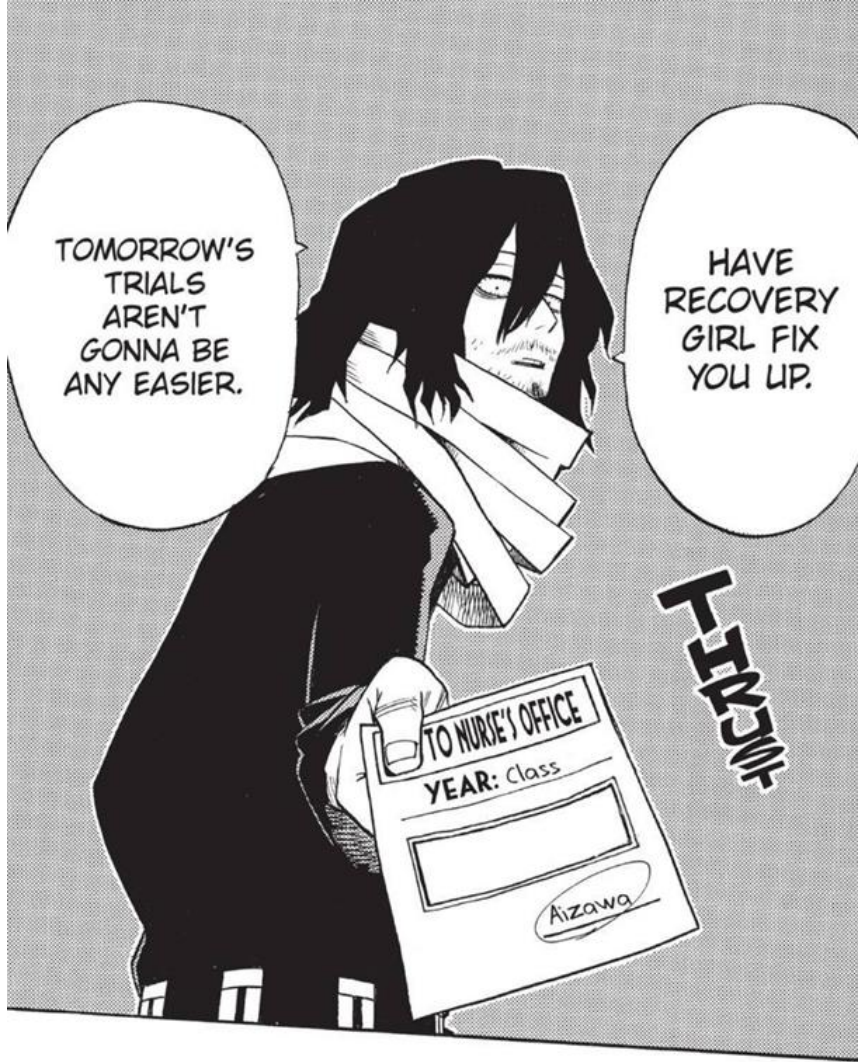
BAD M
BUT I SUCKED
AT EVERYTHING
ELSE...!
ESPECIALLY THE
ENDURANCE
RUNNING,
BECAUSE THE
PAIN WAS SO
BAD! I'M DONE
FOR...

BAD M
MY ONLY
RECORD
WORTH
MENTIONING
WAS THAT
THROW...

BAD M

U M







ALL MIGHT...
SO YOU WERE
WATCHING...

GOOD TO
KNOW YOU
DON'T MIND
WASTING
TIME.



APRIL
FOOL'S
DAY WAS
OVER A
WEEK AGO.

A
"RATIONAL
DECEPTION"
?!



LAST YEAR...
YOU EXPELLED
AN **ENTIRE**
CLASS OF
FIRST YEARS.



**AIZAWA,
YOU
BIG
FAT
LIAR!**



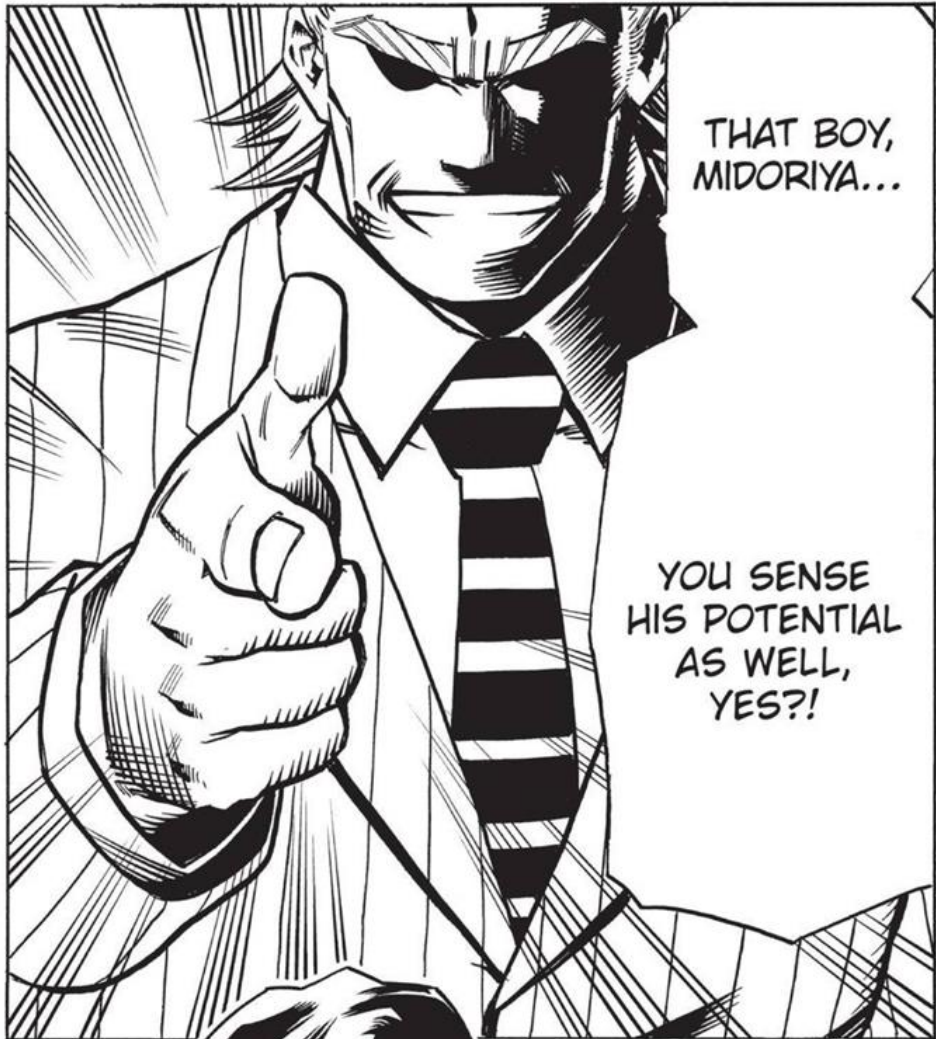
BUT NOW
YOU GO
BACK ON
YOUR
WORD?
COULD IT
BE...!

YOU
MERCILESSLY
DISCARD THOSE
WITH ZERO
PROSPECTS.



"AS
WELL"?

...



THAT BOY,
MIDORIYA...

YOU SENSE
HIS POTENTIAL
AS WELL,
YES?!



SHOCK

YOU WILL BE
SUPPORTING
HIM...? I
UNDERSTAND
THAT'S
USUALLY NOT
YOUR STYLE,
BUT...

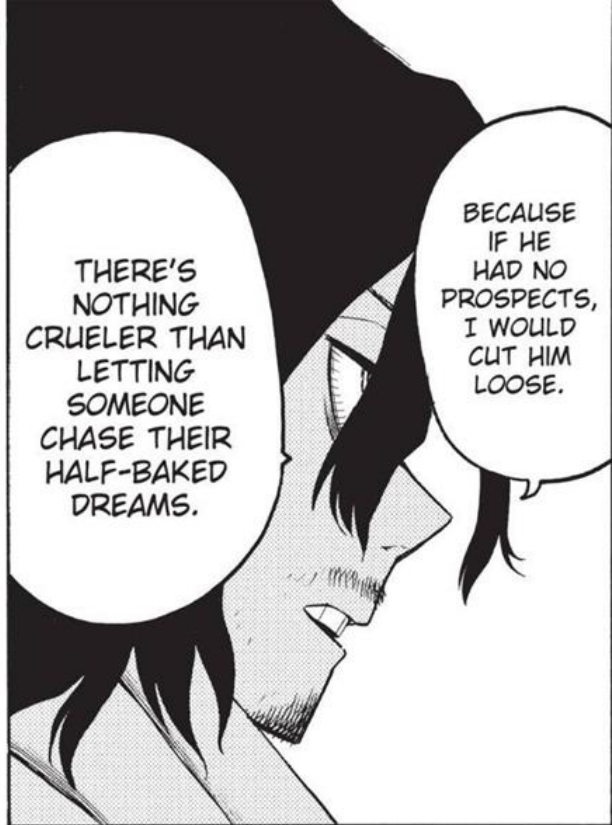


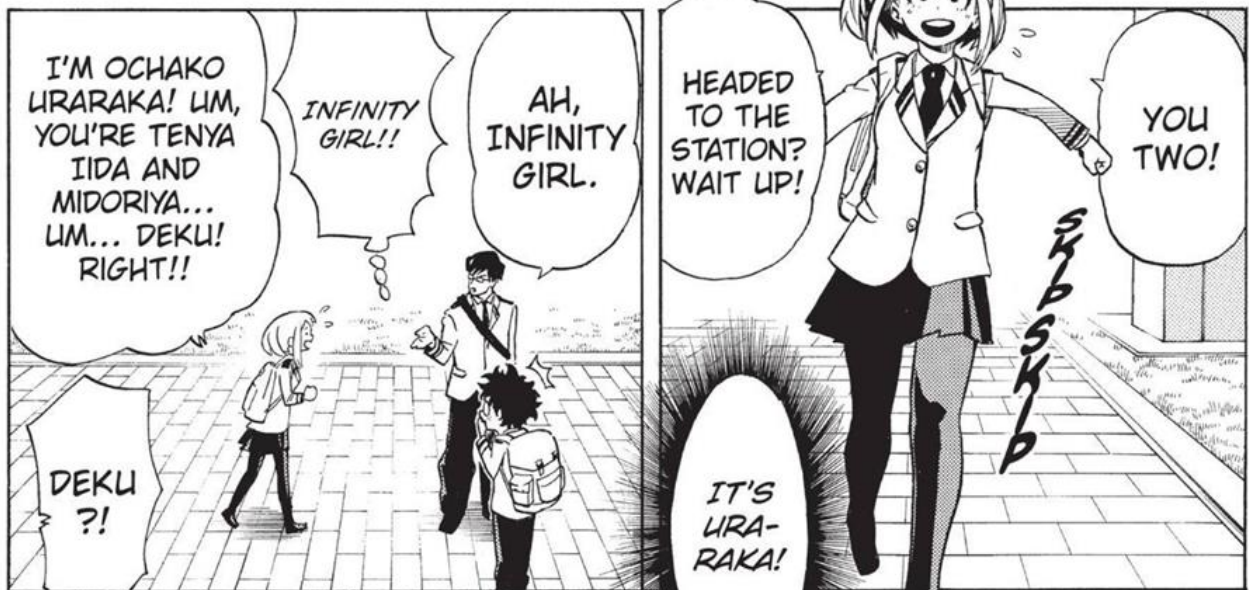
THAT'S
ALL I
CAN
SAY.

HE
DOESN'T
...

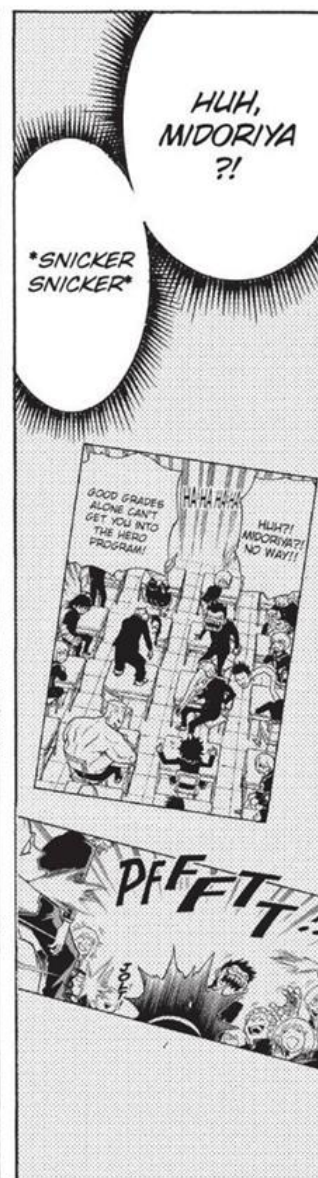
...HAVE
NO
CHANCE.

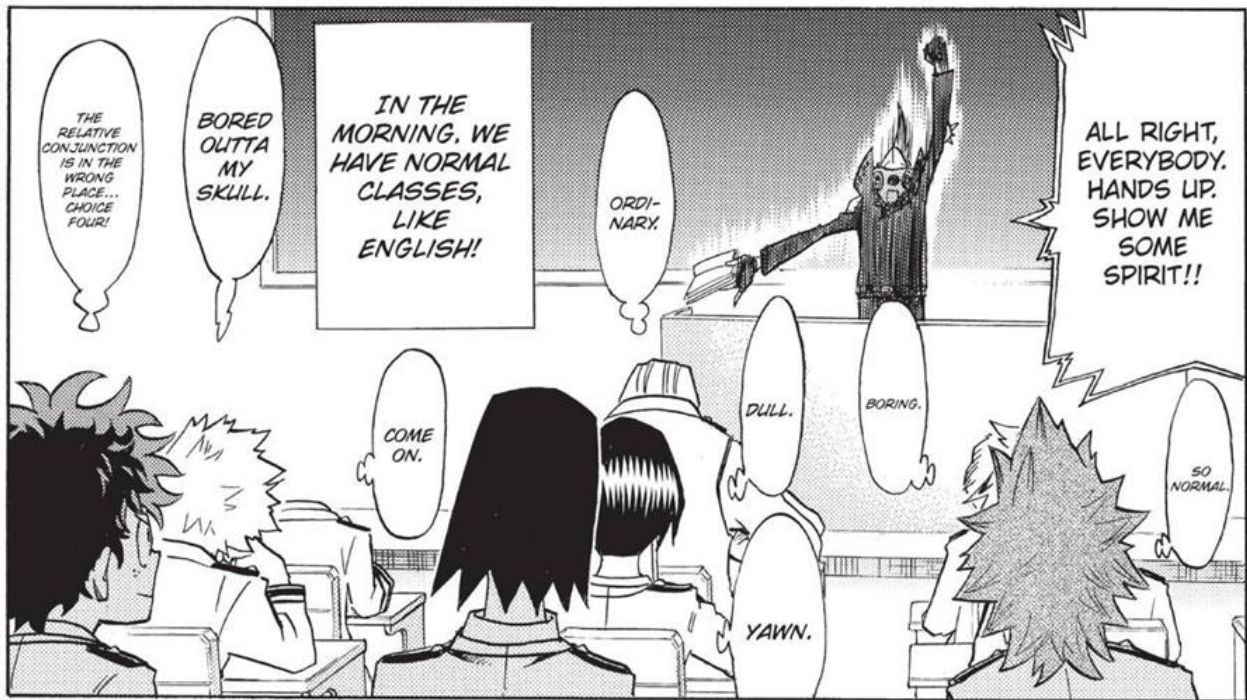
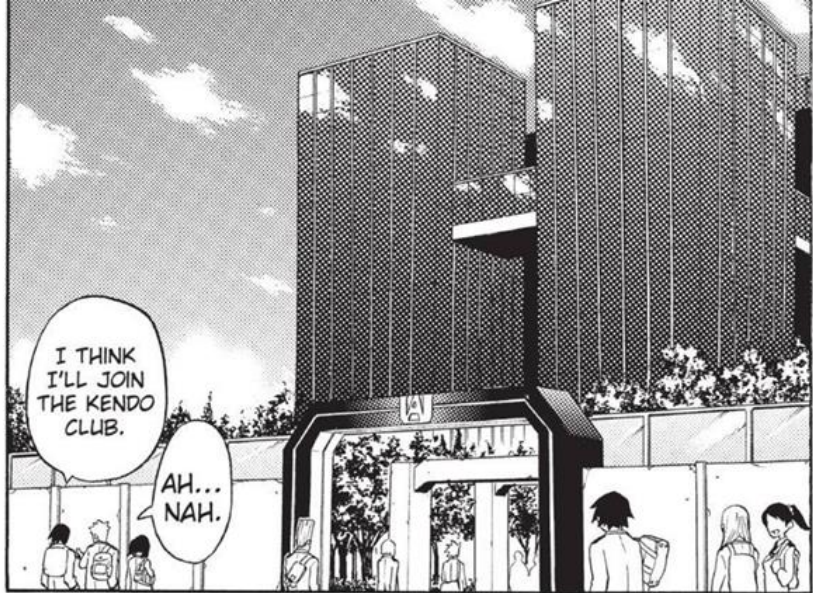
STAND













THE CLASS
THAT'LL PUT YOU
THROUGH ALL
SORTS OF
SPECIAL TRAINING
TO MOLD YOU
INTO HEROES!!

It also gives a
ton of credits.

GRI
GRI
GRI

HERO
BASIC
TRAINING!



**BATTLE
TRAINING!!**

NO TIME
TO DALLY.
TODAY'S
ACTIVITY
IS THIS!!

R U M B L E

IN ACCORDANCE
WITH THE
"QUIRK
REGISTRY" AND
THE SPECIAL
REQUEST FORMS
YOU FILLED OUT
BEFORE BEING
ADMITTED...

...
TRAIN-
ING...!

BATTLE
...

CLICK

AND FOR
THAT... YOU
NEED
THESE!!

?!



YEAHHHH!!

CLATTER

COSTUMES!!



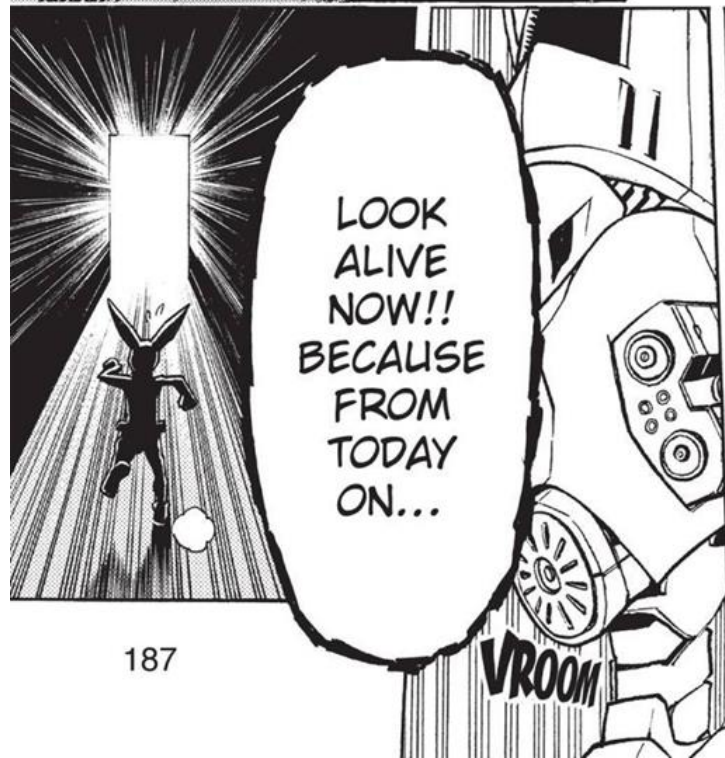
OKAY!!

AFTER YOU
CHANGE,
COME OUT IN
RANKING
ORDER TO
GROUND
BETA!!



SQUEEE

COS-
TUMES
...!!



LOOK
ALIVE
NOW!!
BECAUSE
FROM
TODAY
ON...

VROOM



LOOKING
GOOD IS VERY
IMPORTANT,
LADIES AND
GENTLEMEN!!

CLICK

SWF



I'M THE
LAST
ONE....!!

WELL!!

SHALL WE
BEGIN, MY
WARDS?!



YOU'RE ALL HEROES!!

AFTERWORD

THANK YOU FOR READING VOLUME 1.

THIS IS A STORY I'VE BEEN WANTING TO DO FOR A WHILE, SO I'M REALLY GLAD IT GOT SERIALIZED.

THE NEXT VOLUME IS GOING TO SEE AN EXPLOSION OF NEW CHARACTERS, AND I'LL KEEP WRACKING MY BRAIN AND ABUSING MY RIGHT HAND AT FULL THROTTLE TO MAKE IT A FUN EXPERIENCE FOR EVERYONE.



SASAI-SAN. WHEN I GIVE HIM A JOB TO DO, HE PRODUCES GREAT THINGS.

YOKOYAMA-SAN. SHE DOES THE LAUNDRY.

HORIE-KUN. A LOVELY SMILE BUT WREATHED IN DARKNESS.

FUJIYA. THE ULTIMATE MOOD MAKER.

NEDA-SAN. THE HOPE OF THE NO-GOOD DIMENSION.

HINACHIKU. SO DEPENDABLE IT'S SCARY.

TAKUO NAGOYA. REALLY GOOD AT THE JOB. FROM MY HOMETOWN.

MY EVER-SUPPORTIVE STAFF. THEY'RE ALL PERVERTS.

HORIKOSHI'S ASSISTANTS

HINACHIKU. SO
DEPENDABLE
IT'S SCARY.

HORIE-KUN. A
LOVELY SMILE
BUT WREATHED IN
DARKNESS.

TAKUO NAGOYA.
REALLY GOOD AT
THE JOB. FROM MY
HOMETOWN.

HORIKOSHI'S ASSISTANTS

PERVERTS.

שבת קודש