

The sound of loud chatter and laughter fill the hall between classes while students is getting to their next class.

Int. Mr. Kaplan's classroom. Day.

JERRY walks into class with his sunglasses on and a too cool for school attitude. He walks in and takes the first seat he finds. He immediately begins talking to everyone around.

The bell rings and class begins.

Mr. Kaplan wastes no time and begins to lecture of the content of his class.

Mr. Kaplan

Now, I will be going around to each of you and pairing you up. These will be your partners for the rest of the year.

He continues to pair the students up. When he comes to Jerry, he thinks with whom he can be paired and not is disruptive to the rest of the class.

Mr. Kaplan

Ok, I'm going to pair you up wi...

He was interrupted by ABGAIL, a student who enrolled late in his class. Abigail walks in with books in her hand and a confident air to her.

Mr. Kaplan

(Abruptly)

Great! Abigail meets Jerry. This will be your partner for the rest of the year.

Jerry thinks to himself. Seeing that his partner is a girl, he sits back in his seat and gets comfortable.

Jerry

(Murmurs in a relaxes voice)

This class is going to be kickback.

Abigail comes over, puts her things down and takes a seat across from Jerry.

Abigail

(Firmly)

If I have to be paired with you...you WILL do your share and, I will NOT let you screw up my grade!

The bell rings. Abigail gathers her things and leaves the class, leaving Jerry with a face of astonishment and disbelief to see that this girl unlike many others who would love to be paired with him does not care.

Ext. School yard. Day

Jerry walks out over to his friends and begins to talk to his best friends Mike.

Jerry
Man, there is something about the girl I was
partnered up with in chem.

Mike
Who Abigail? No dude she would never date a guy
like you. She's really focused on school, it
wouldn't work.

Jerry
What do you mean? I can get her, who wouldn't
want to date me?

Mike
Ok...go for it but I'm telling you it ain't gonna
work. Get ready to bit the dust!

Jerry
You'll see. I'm gonna get her to fall for me. Piece of
cake.

After speaking to Mike and hearing the comment of his friend, that he could not get the girl he becomes most determined to get her attention.

Int. Mr. Kaplan's classroom. Day

Jerry sits back in the chair in a very relaxed fashion. He awaits the moment in which they can be alone and he can make his move.

Abigail
So, we have to do some research this afternoon so
I will need you to be at the library after school so we
Can start this.

Jerry
Yeah...all right. I'll be there.

Jerry see's this as the perfect opportunity for his to make this move.

Int. Library. Day

Jerry and Abigail sit side by side. Abigail reads a book attentively looking for research while Jerry just looks at her just waiting.

As Abigail is reading he reaches over and begins to caress her leg. Abigail quickly brushes off his hand and turn to him.

Abigail

What are you doing?! Ok Lets set things straight I
Am not nor will I be interested in you! You are
Inconsiderate and immature sloppy and careless boy,
and I will not waste my time with you. So...
If you don't mind, we need to get back to work.

Jerry is left speechless just looks at her with a face of admiration. She really has her things down. Still Jerry will not accept this outcome.

Int. Jerry's bedroom. Night

Jerry lays on his bed with his hands folded under this head. He thinks about what happened and reevaluates his actions and what she said to him.

Jerry suddenly spring up from the bed.

Jerry

I got it! (Smirking) and this time it will work.

We as Jerry ruffles through his closet and the piles of laundry on the floor looking for a nice shirt.

Int. Mothers room. Night

Jerry without even saying a word enters his mother room, walks to the closet and takes the iron. His mother is left confused not knowing what is going on.

Mother

(Turning to his father)

What do you think he needs it for?

Father

(Still staring at the television)(Turns over)

He probably just...

Without an answer but a puzzled look stares an over for a minute then turns his attention back to the television.

Int. Jerry's room. Night

Jerry walks in, shuts the door. He adds volume to his music while moving a pile of laundry from one side of the room to the other to make space for the iron board and begins to iron his shirt.

Ext. front yard at school. Day

Jerry walks up, book bag in hand. His group of friends looks at him with a dazed look to see that he has looks nice.

Casey
Wow Jerry. You look nice today, care
To share why?

Jerry walking past them to enter the school.

Jerry
It's for a god cause.

Int. Mr. Kaplan's class. Day

Jerry walks into class and takes a seat. He talks to the people around him as they compliment him on his change. Abigail to hear so much commotion takes her gaze from her book and looks to Jerry. She smiles as she continues to read.

As class begins Jerry does not goof off as much as before he focuses and does his class work.

The bell rings

Int. classroom. Afternoon

As Mr. Kaplan grades work he comes across Jerry's paper, he begins to grade and is shocked to see that it is an excellent paper. He is amazed to see this work. It is almost too good to be true. He does not believe that this is in fact his work.

Int. Mr. Kaplan's room. Day

The class begins and Mr. Kaplan passes out the graded work. When he gets to Jerry he calls him out.

Mr. Kaplan

Jerry stay after class I have to talk to you about your
Work.

Jerry

Yeah ok.

After the class ended Jerry stayed after class he stays and talks to
Mr. Kaplan.