

AND THE GANG ARRIVES AT THE HOUSE IN THE EVENING.

HERE'S MY HOUSE, YOU WILL BE STAYING HERE FOR THE ENTIRE SUMMER.

YEAH, I LIVE VERY FAR FROM YOUR CITY. BUT THERE'S ALSO A BEACH NEARBY. SO, IT'S NOT THAT BAD.




AHHHHHHH, FINALLY. MAN, THAT WAS 6 HOURS RIDE, UGH. I THOUGHT YOU LIVE CLOSE BY.

HMM? WHAT'S THE MATTER?

ARE YOU SURE THIS IS THE HOUSE? I THOUGHT YOU OWN A BIGGER ONE, IF I REMEMBER IT CORRECTLY...

UMMM....



AHHH! I BOUGHT THIS HOUSE FOR MY DAUGHTER, BUT SHE MOVED AWAY TO ANOTHER COUNTRY. NO ONE LIVES HERE NOW.

DON'T WORRY, CHITOGÉ. YOU'LL BE STAYING AT MY HOUSE, ONLY RAKU-KUN WILL BE SLEEPING HERE.

AHHH.... THAT'S WHY...

YAYYY! NOW THAT IS GOOD NEWS! I THOUGHT I HAVE TO STAY IN THE SAME HOUSE WITH HIM.

HUH...? I THOUGHT YOU WILL BE MAD ABOUT NOT STAYING WITH YOUR BOYFRIEND?



I- I MEAN...



Y- YEAH!
THAT'S RIGHT!

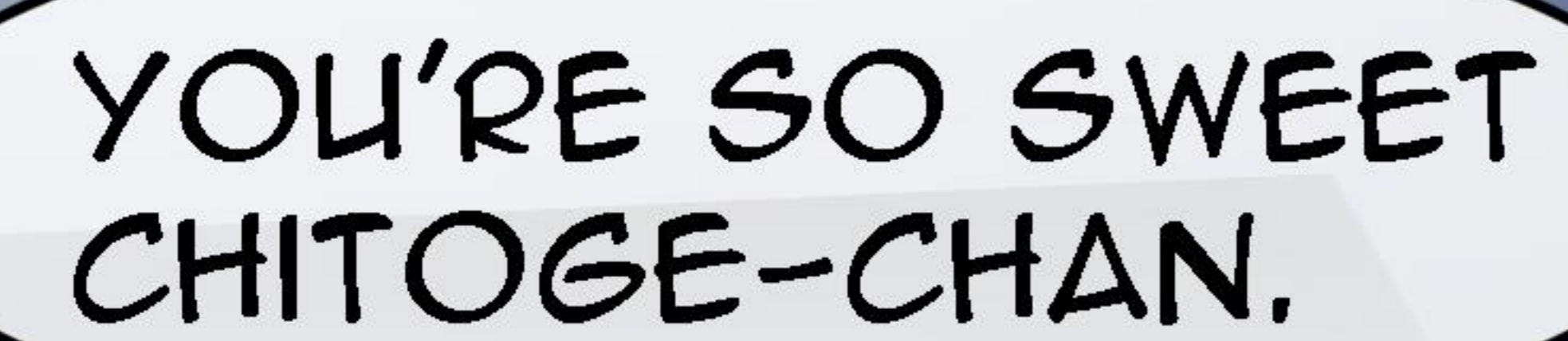


SIGH I KNEW SHE
WOULD SLIP UP
LIKE THIS.

I- I THINK SHE
MEANT TO SAY SHE
MISSED YOU SO
MUCH, AND SHE
WANTS TO STAY
WITH YOU.




OH, IS THAT SO?



YOU'RE SO SWEET
CHITOGÉ-CHAN.



NOW THEN,
RAKU-KUN
FOLLOW ME.



HEHE, YEAH.

I WILL SHOW
YOU AROUND THE
HOUSE.

OK, PLEASE
SHOW ME
WHERE EVERY-
THING IS.

CHITOGI, YOU
CAN GO AHEAD
AND WAIT IN MY
CAR.

WE WILL LEAVE
HERE AFTER I
SHOW HIM
AROUND.

OKAY, AUNT
AIKO.

5 MINUTES LATER...

AND LASTLY,
THAT'S YOUR
ROOM.

IT DOESN'T
HAVE A BUILT-IN
BATHROOM
THOUGH.

I SEE.

THAT'S FINE WITH
ME. I CAN
ALWAYS USE THE
ONE OUTSIDE.



NO PROBLEM. ALL I NEED IS A PLACE TO SLEEP.

AND SINCE IT'S MY DAUGHTER'S ROOM, THE ROOM IS A BIT GIRLISH. I HOPE YOU'RE OKAY WITH THAT.

HMM, I SEE.

WELL, NOW GO GET YOUR BAG, AND TAKE A SHOWER BEFORE SLEEP TOO.

I DON'T WANT MY DAUGHTER'S ROOM TO SMELL FUNNY. YOU GOT IT?

O- OKAY, I GOT IT.

SIGH I DON'T KNOW WHY SHE'S SO DEMANDING, BUT IT'S HER HOUSE, I GUESS.

ALRIGHT, LET ME GO GET MY BAG, AND THEN YOU CAN BE ON YOUR WAY.

SOUNDS GOOD?

HMPH, DON'T GET SO COCKY, BOY.

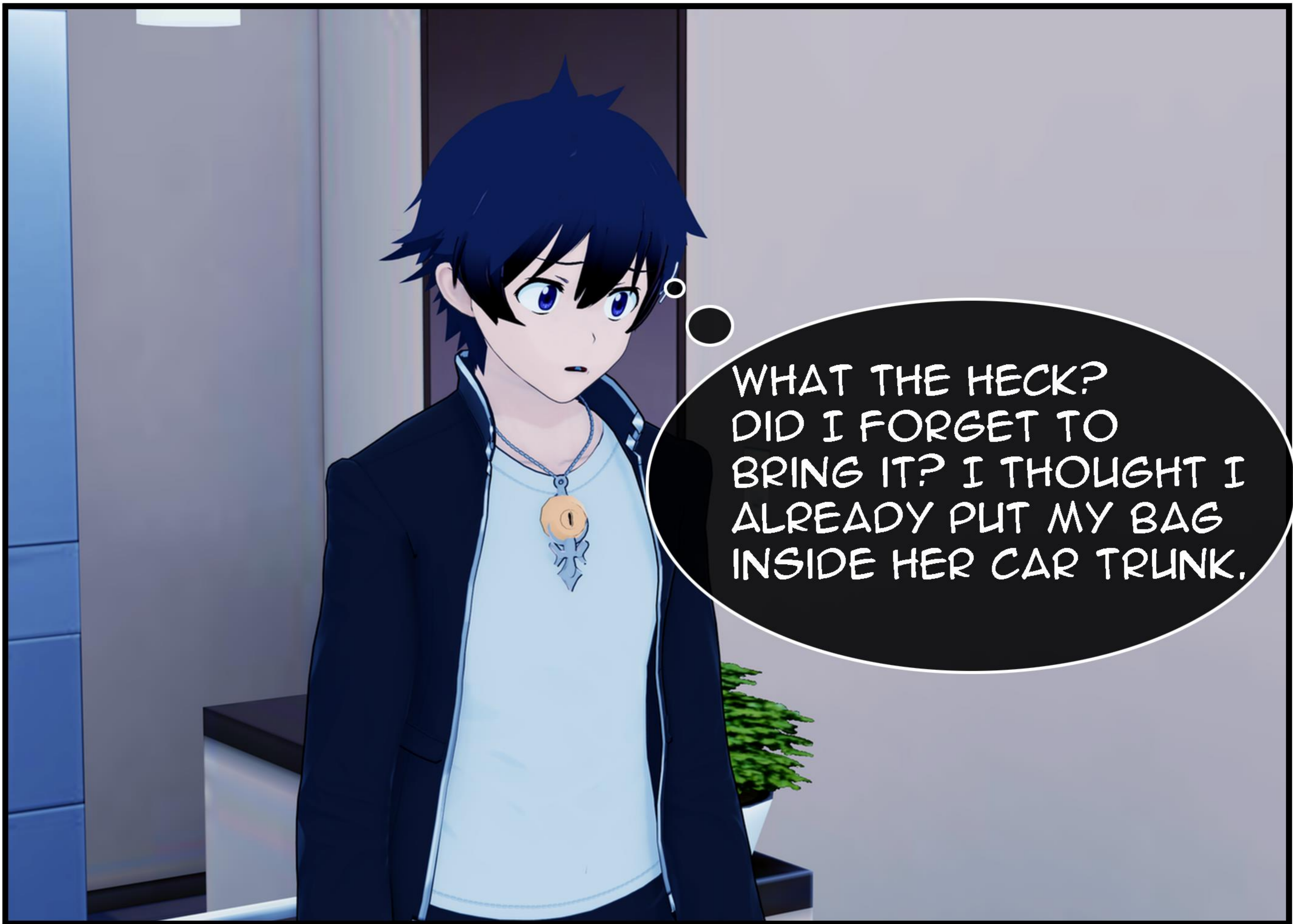
AH HA.

15 MINUTES LATER...



AHHHH, WHERE IS MY BAGGGG?!

IT'S NOT ON AIKO'S CAR EITHER.



WHAT THE HECK?
DID I FORGET TO
BRING IT? I THOUGHT I
ALREADY PUT MY BAG
INSIDE HER CAR TRUNK.



AND ALL OF MY
STUFFS IS IN THERE.
CLOTHES, PHONE,
LAPTOP.


AND I HAVE TO
STAY HERE FOR
THREE MONTHS,
DAMN IT!!!



SIGH

OH, RAKU-KUN.
WHAT'S WRONG?

YOU LOOK UPSET.



OH, AIKO-SAN, WHY ARE YOU STILL HERE? I THOUGHT YOU LEFT ALREADY...


IT'S.... DID YOU HAPPEN TO SEE MY BAG ON YOUR CAR?

I COULDN'T FIND MY BAG. AND ALL OF MY STUFFS ARE IN THERE TOO. UGHHHH.....

I JUST CAME BACK FROM MY HOUSE TO GET SOMETHING. MORE IMPORTANTLY, WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU?

YOUR BAG? I DON'T THINK SO.

WHAT? MAYBE YOU FORGOT TO PUT IT IN MY CAR?



I DON'T KNOW. I THOUGHT I ALREADY PUT IT INSIDE YOUR CAR TRUNK. BUT IT WASN'T THERE!

HMM, I DIDN'T RECALL SEEING YOUR BAG AT ALL.

ARE YOU SURE YOU DIDN'T FORGET TO BRING IT WITH YOU?

I- I..... MAYBE I FORGOT. MAN, NOW I DON'T HAVE CLOTHES TO WEAR THIS SUMMER. AHH!




OH REALLY?

OH GOD, THANK
YOU SO MUCH,
AIKO-SAN!

WELL, I THINK I CAN
HELP YOU WITH
THAT. I THINK
THERE'S SOME
SPARE CLOTHES
LEFT IN THIS HOUSE.

YES, AND I
THINK IT WILL FIT
YOU NICELY.



THAT'S A GOOD
IDEA. OKAY, I'LL BE
BACK.

WELL THEN, WHY
DON'T YOU TAKE A
SHOWER WHILE I PRE-
PARE IT FOR YOU.

I'LL LAY IT DOWN
ON YOUR BED
THEN.



SHE'S BETTER THAN
I THOUGHT!

THAT WOULD BE NICE,
THANKS AGAIN!

YOU'RE WELCOME,
RAKU-KUN.

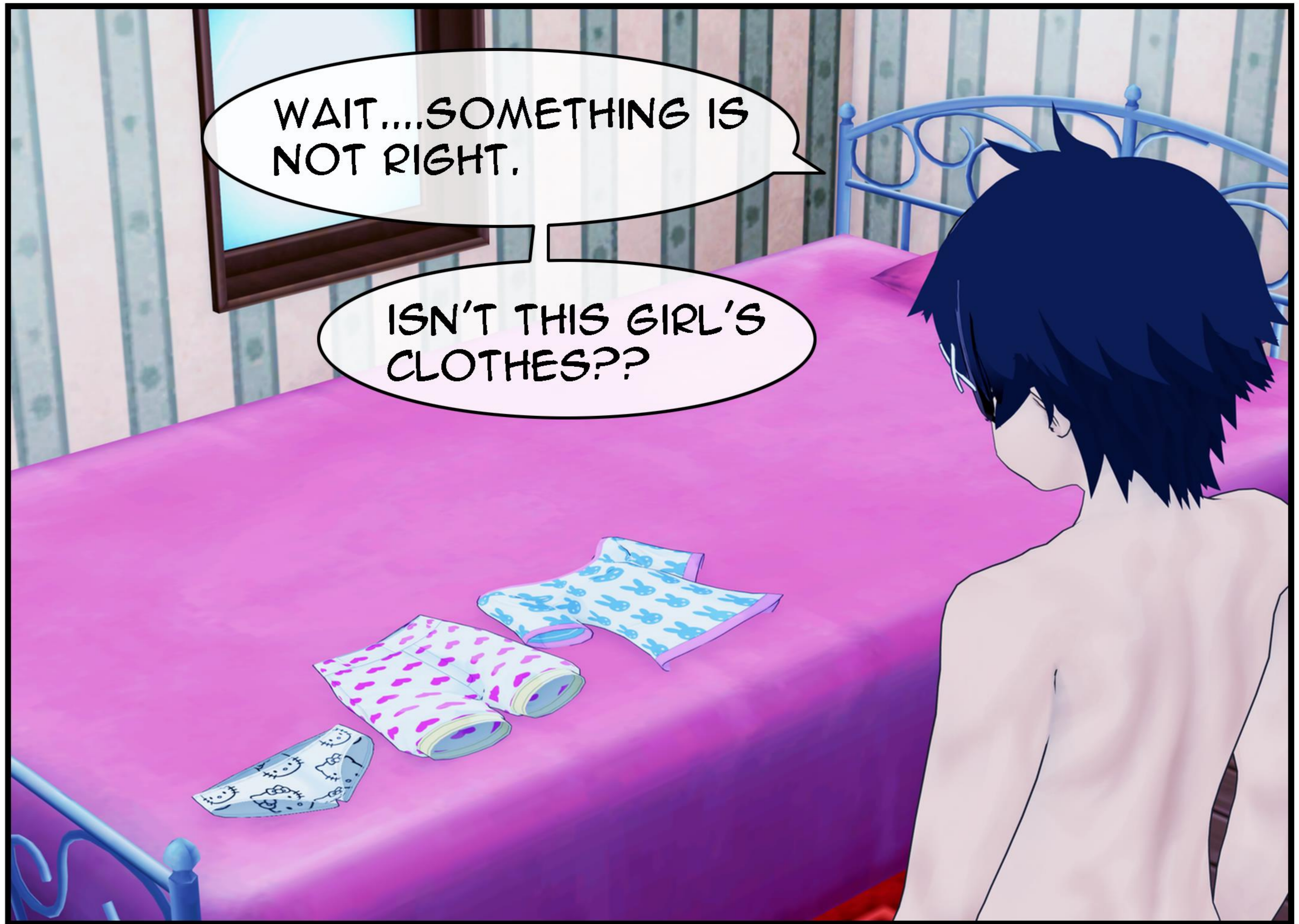
AFTER TAKING A SHOWER...

SO, THIS ROOM IS
GONNA BE MY ROOM
FOR THIS SUMMER
HUH?

ALRIGHT, LET'S
GET CHANGE
BEFORE GOING TO
SLEEP!



LOOKS LIKE THAT'S THE CLOTHES, SHE GOT FOR ME, SWEET~



WAIT....SOMETHING IS NOT RIGHT.

ISN'T THIS GIRL'S CLOTHES??



D- DON'T TELL ME THIS IS WHAT I HAVE TO WEAR?!

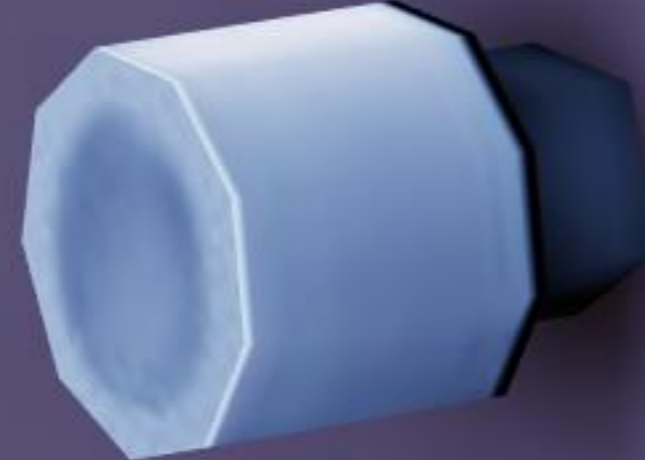
Y- YOU'VE GOTTA BE KIDDING ME!!



Y- YOU'VE GOTTA
BE KIDDING ME!!!!

OH MY, SEEMS LIKE
HE'S SO HAPPY ABOUT
THAT~

THIS IS WHY YOU
SHOULDN'T MESS
WITH ME!



TO BE CONTINUED....