



Forever Summer

Chapter 51

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A MOMENT LATER



KNOCK
KNOCK

RIKA-CHAN~
AIRI-CHAN~

I KNOW IT'S A BIT LATE,
BUT CAN I COME IN AND
WORK WITH YOU GUYS?

UMM, I HAVE A QUESTION
ABOUT HOMEWORKS, HAHA.

...



HMM? WHY AREN'T THEY
SAYING ANYTHING?

MAYBE I SHOULD
SPEAK LOUDER.

GUYS~~

I NEED HELP WITH MY
HOMEWORK, CAN I
COME IN?

UGH... THIS IS WEIRD.
THEN...

I- I'LL COME IN, OKAY?

...

DOOR OPEN

HEY-

EH...? THEY
AREN'T HERE?

BUT THEY SAID
THEY'D BE WORKING
HERE, RIGHT?

RIKA-CHAN,
AIRI-CHAN, WHERE
ARE YOU GUYS?

A comic panel depicting two young women, Rika and Airi, by a swimming pool. Rika, with long black hair, is wearing a pink heart-patterned long-sleeved shirt and black bikini bottoms. She is standing behind Airi, who has long purple hair and is wearing a light pink one-piece swimsuit. Rika is holding Airi from behind, and Airi is looking down with a blushing expression. The background features a blue tiled wall and a pool of water.

GOOD GIRL, I'LL
SLOW DOWN A BIT
THEN~

COME ON, DON'T PRE-
TEND YOU DON'T LIKE
THAT, RIKA-CHAN~

HUHU, I KNEW YOU TOO
WELL. A GIRL LIKE YOU
LIKE IT ROUGH!

HAAAAA...

HAA...

G- GOSH...
Y- YOU'RE TOO
ROUGH, AIRI-CHAN...

W- WHAT?



HMM~ REALLY? THEN CAN YOU EXPLAIN WHY DO YOU FEEL PLEASURE FROM THIS ROUGH "PUNISHMENT"?

OH~ ARE YOU TELLING THAT YOU DON'T ENJOY...

HAAAAA...

HAA...

M- ME? N- NO!

W- WHAT?? I- I'M NOT!!



THIS FEELING?!

GOSH, AS WE SPEAK,
YOUR ASS-PUSSY IS
SUCKING ONTO MY
STICK. WHAT A NAUGHTY
GIRL YOU ARE~

SEEMS LIKE YOU
DON'T WANT TO SAY
IT, SO LET ME DO IT
INSTEAD.

OOOOO~

A- AIRI-CHA-
OOOOOOOOO~~
P- PLEASEEEE~~~
AHHHH~



THE TRUTH IS

THERE'S NOTHING THAT
MAKES YOU FEEL LIKE A
GIRL MORE THAN THIS,
RIGHT?!

DON'T BE SHY. I KNEW
THAT YOU'RE THIS TYPE
SINCE THE VERY
BEGINNING, RIKA-CHAN~

YOU TRIED TO ACT
TOUGH, BUT YOU CAN'T
FOOL ME, HUHU~

HNNNG~ W- WHAT?!

H- HUH?
AHHHHHH~



DO YOU THINK A NORMAL
GUY WOULD LOVE TO
HAVE A GIRL FUCKS THEIR
ASS-PUSSY LIKE YOU?

YOUR BODY? YOUR BODY
ONLY CHANGES TO SUIT
YOUR TASTE BETTER,
GIRL.

IT'S YOU WHO LOVES
THE PLEASURE FROM
GETTING OFF LIKE A
GIRL, RIKA-CHAN~

W- WHAT ARE YOU
SAYING?! IT'S MY
BODY THAT MAKES
ME-

H- HUH?!

T- THAT'S...
T- THAT'S NOT-

KNOCK

KNOCK



?!

D- D- DID SOMEONE
JUST KNOCK ON THE
DOOR??

KNOCK

KNOCK

ARE Y... TH...

OH MY GOSH!
SOMEONE REALLY
KNOCKS THE DOOR!!
BUT THAT VOICE...

AHEM, ARE YOU
THERE, RIKA-CHAN?!



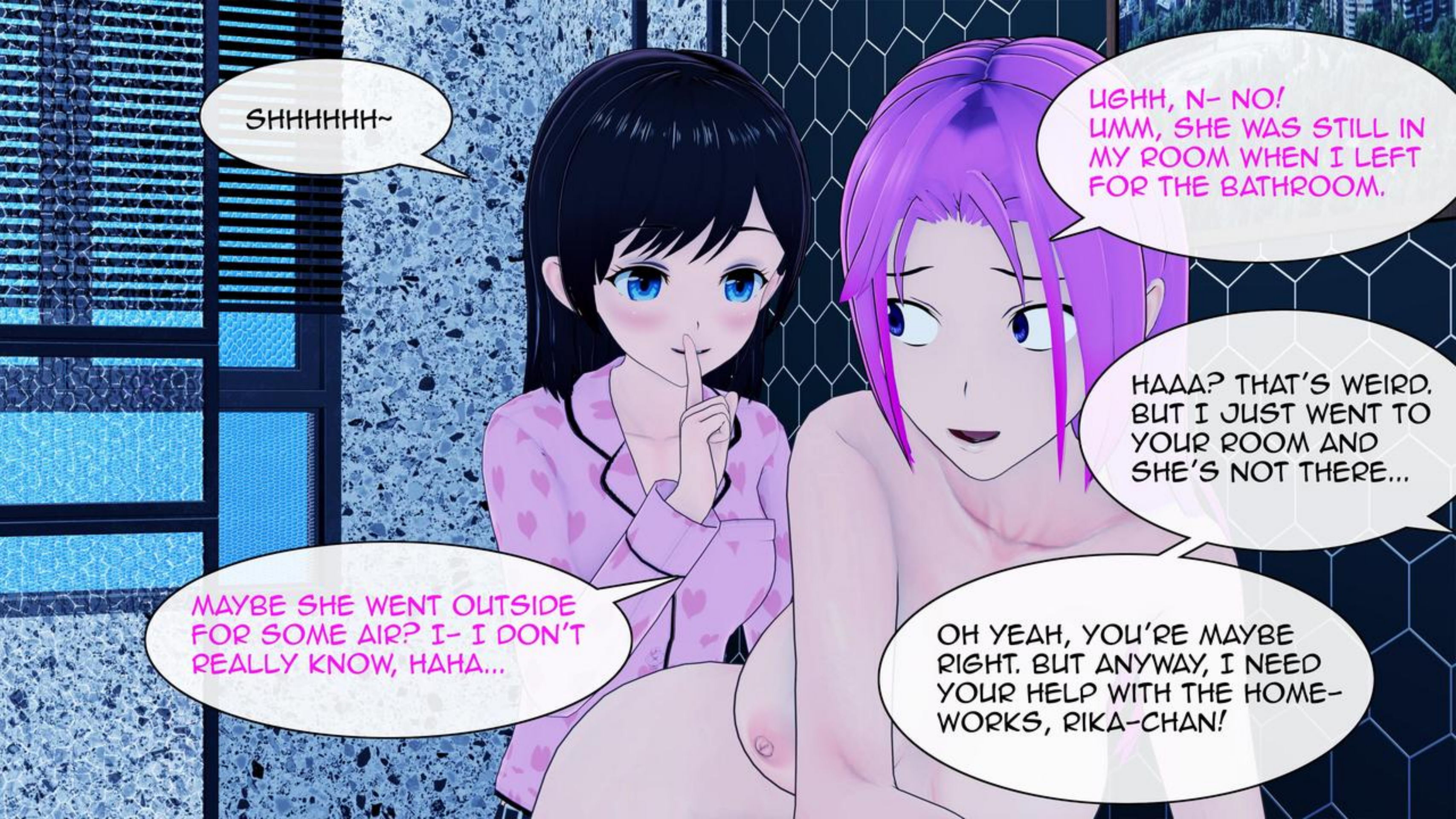
A- AH! IT'S CHITOGÉ!

GOSH, CHITOGÉ! I- I CAN
BARELY HEAR YOU, AND
Y- YES! I- IT'S ME IN HERE.

OH! I FINALLY FOUND YOU!
AND I THOUGHT I HEARD
SOMEONE TALKING IN THE
BATHROOM!

H- HUH? UGHHHH...
W- WELL...

OH, HAVE YOU SEEN
AIRI-CHAN THEN?



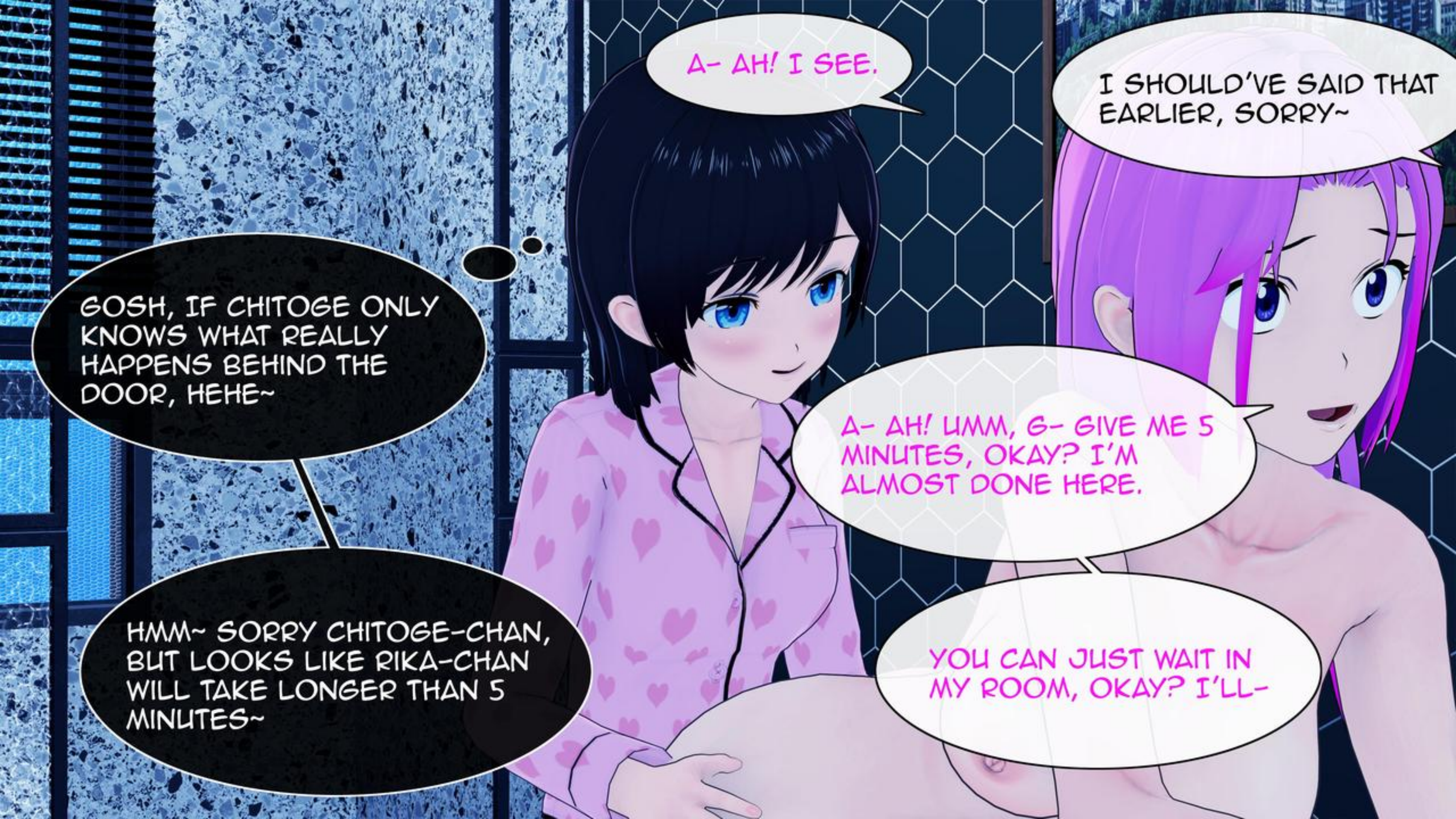
SHHHHHH~

LIGHH, N- NO!
UMM, SHE WAS STILL IN
MY ROOM WHEN I LEFT
FOR THE BATHROOM.

HAAA? THAT'S WEIRD.
BUT I JUST WENT TO
YOUR ROOM AND
SHE'S NOT THERE...

MAYBE SHE WENT OUTSIDE
FOR SOME AIR? I- I DON'T
REALLY KNOW, HAHA...

OH YEAH, YOU'RE MAYBE
RIGHT. BUT ANYWAY, I NEED
YOUR HELP WITH THE HOME-
WORKS, RIKA-CHAN!

A comic panel featuring two anime-style girls. On the left, a girl with short black hair and blue eyes, wearing a pink heart-patterned shirt, is speaking. On the right, a girl with long pink hair and blue eyes, wearing a pink top, is responding. The background consists of a blue wall with a white hexagonal pattern. There are five speech bubbles in total: one from the black-haired girl at the top, one from the pink-haired girl at the top right, and three from the black-haired girl on the left side (one large, one medium, and one small).

A- AH! I SEE.

I SHOULD'VE SAID THAT
EARLIER, SORRY~

GOSH, IF CHITOGI ONLY
KNOWS WHAT REALLY
HAPPENS BEHIND THE
DOOR, HEHE~

A- AH! UMM, G- GIVE ME 5
MINUTES, OKAY? I'M
ALMOST DONE HERE.

HMM~ SORRY CHITOGI-CHAN,
BUT LOOKS LIKE RIKI-CHAN
WILL TAKE LONGER THAN 5
MINUTES~

YOU CAN JUST WAIT IN
MY ROOM, OKAY? I'LL-

ON THE OTHER SIDE...

COMEEEEEE~

R- RIKA-CHAN?

ARE YOU OKAY IN
THERE?

HAA, HAA, I- I'M OKAY!

I- I'M TRYING TO TAKE
MY PANTS OFF, I- IT'S
REALLY TIGHT~~~~
HNNGGG~

A- ALRIGHT?



MAKING YOU HAPPY,
OF COURSE~ IT'S MY
DUTY AFTER ALL~

YOU'RE THINKING TOO
MUCH, IF YOU KEEP QUIET
THEN THERE'S NO WAY
SHE'LL KNOW, RIGHT?

SO LET'S CONTINUE
SHALL WE?

**A- AIRI-CHAN!
W- WHAT ARE
YOU DOING?!*

*W- WE CAN'T DO
THIS!! C- CHITOG
IS OUTSIDE, YOU
KNOW?!*

W- WAIT-

**ITALIC = WHISPERING*

AFTER A LITTLE WHILE.

GOSH, YOU'RE EXTRA
TIGHT JUST ABOUT NOW~
DON'T TELL ME YOU'RE
GETTING EXCITED FROM
THIS, HEHE.

AHHHH, I GET IT NOW. SHE
USED TO BE YOUR FIANCE
WHEN YOU USED TO BE A
BOY AFTER ALL~

MMMMMMPH!!!

MMMMMMPH~

RIKA-CHAN, ARE YOU
SURE YOU'RE OKAY?

MMMMMPH~

C- CHITOGÉ, YOU'RE STILL THERE?!

I- I'M FINE~
MMMM~

HNNNG~ D- DON'T CALL HER!

YEP, I MEAN I CAN CALL AUNT AIKO IF YOU NEED HELP, OKAY?

LIGHHH, O- OKAY, I- I WON'T THEN. BUT YOUR VOICE SOUNDS A BIT...



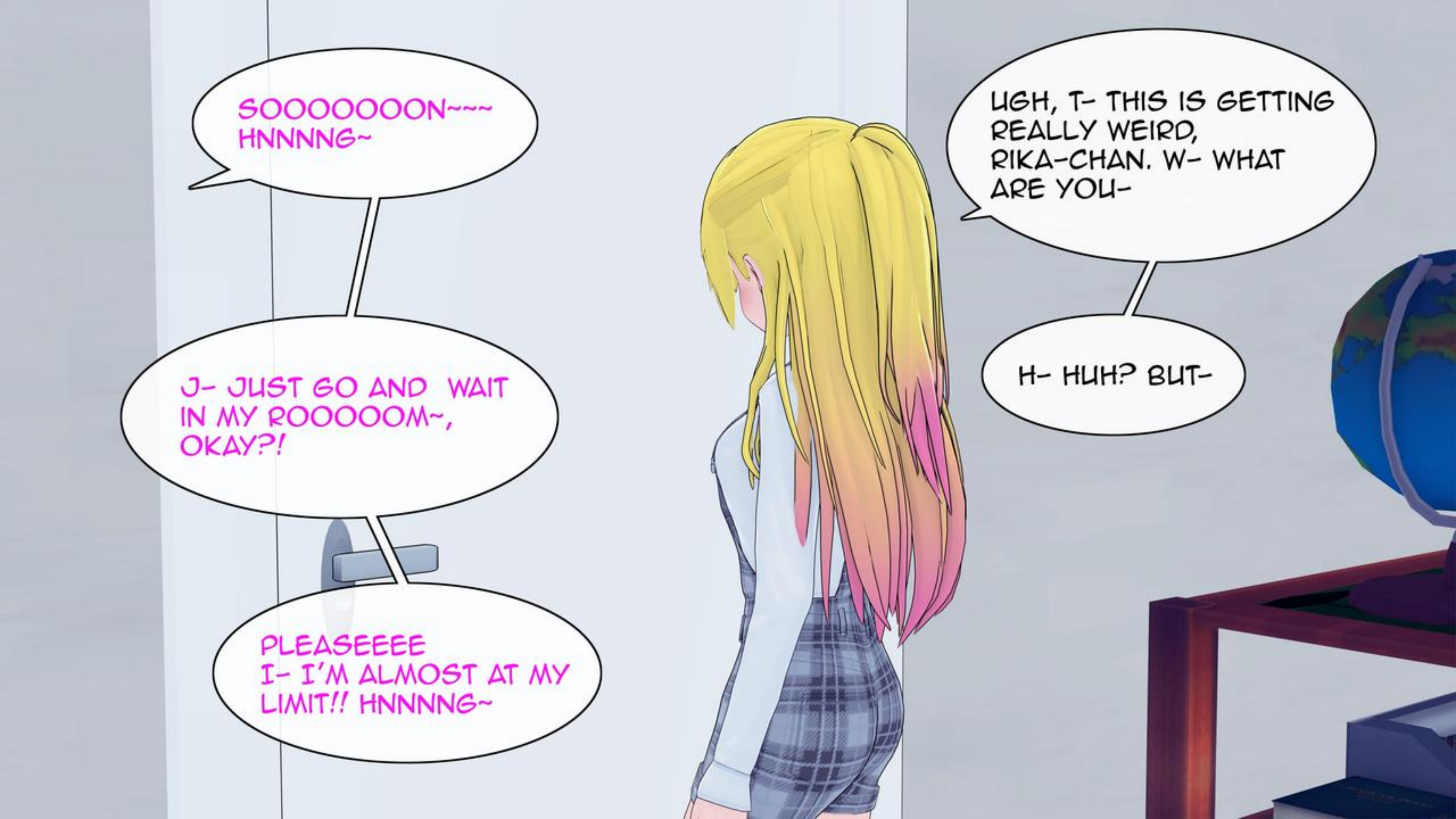
COME ON, JUST
TELL HER, GIRL~

I KNEW IT! SHE'S
REALLY EXCITED WHEN
SHE'S TALKING TO
CHITOGÉ! LOOKS LIKE
IT'S TIME TO SEAL THE
DEAL~

D- DON'T WORRY, I
JUST CAUGHT A MILD
COLD! I- IT'S ACTING
UP JUST NOW.

MMMMMPH~

I- IT'LL GO AWAY-



SOOOOOOON~~~
HNNNG~

J- JUST GO AND WAIT
IN MY ROOOOOM~,
OKAY?!

PLEASEEEE
I- I'M ALMOST AT MY
LIMIT!! HNNNG~

UGH, T- THIS IS GETTING
REALLY WEIRD,
RIKA-CHAN. W- WHAT
ARE YOU-

H- HUH? BUT-



A blonde anime girl with blue eyes and pink cheeks stands in a library. She is wearing a light blue long-sleeved shirt under a grey and white plaid overalls. She has several thought bubbles around her head. In the background, there is a bookshelf filled with books, a globe on a stand, and a wooden floor.

UGHHH, I DON'T
UNDERSTAND...

I WAS JUST TRYING
TO HELP HER!

MMMMMPH!!!

WHY DID SHE GET MAD
AT ME?

OR... IS IT ABOUT THE
HOMEWORKS? UGH, I
DON'T KNOW-

H- HUH?

OMG, THE SOUND SHE
MADE MAKES ME FEEL A
BIT WEIRD...

D- DON'T TELL ME I
CAUGHT THE COLD FROM
RIKA-CHAN?!

W- WAS THAT...
RIKA-CHAN??

UGHHH, WHY IS IT GETTING
HOT IN HERE ALL OF
SUDDEN??





COME ON~ GET UP! I'M
SURE SHE DIDN'T HEAR
THAT, HUHU.

HAAAA...
I- I REALLY CAME...
I- IN FRONT OF CHITOGÉ...

YEP~ THAT WAS A FUN
ONE, RIGHT? NOW TELL
ME HOW DID IT FEEL?

HAAAA... GOSH, Y- YOU
ALREADY KNEW THE
ANSWER...

FINALLY YOU'RE BEING
HONEST! ALRIGHT, LET'S
CLEAN YOU UP-

AIRI-CHAN...



HMM?

AHHH~ YEP, I CAN TELL BY HOW FAST YOU PROGRESS AS A GIRL, YOU KNOW? AND YOU SEEMS TO ENJOY IT A LOT TOO, DON'T YOU?

JUST TRY TO THINK ABOUT IT AND SEE IF IT'S TRUE, ALRIGHT?

D- DO YOU REALLY THINK THAT I'M MEANT TO BE RIKA-CHAN FROM THE START...?

H- HUH? ENJOY??
I- I DON'T KNOW...

I- I'LL TRY...

A- AND THANKS...
T- TODAY FELT REALLY NICE... UGH.

AND AFTER THAT...

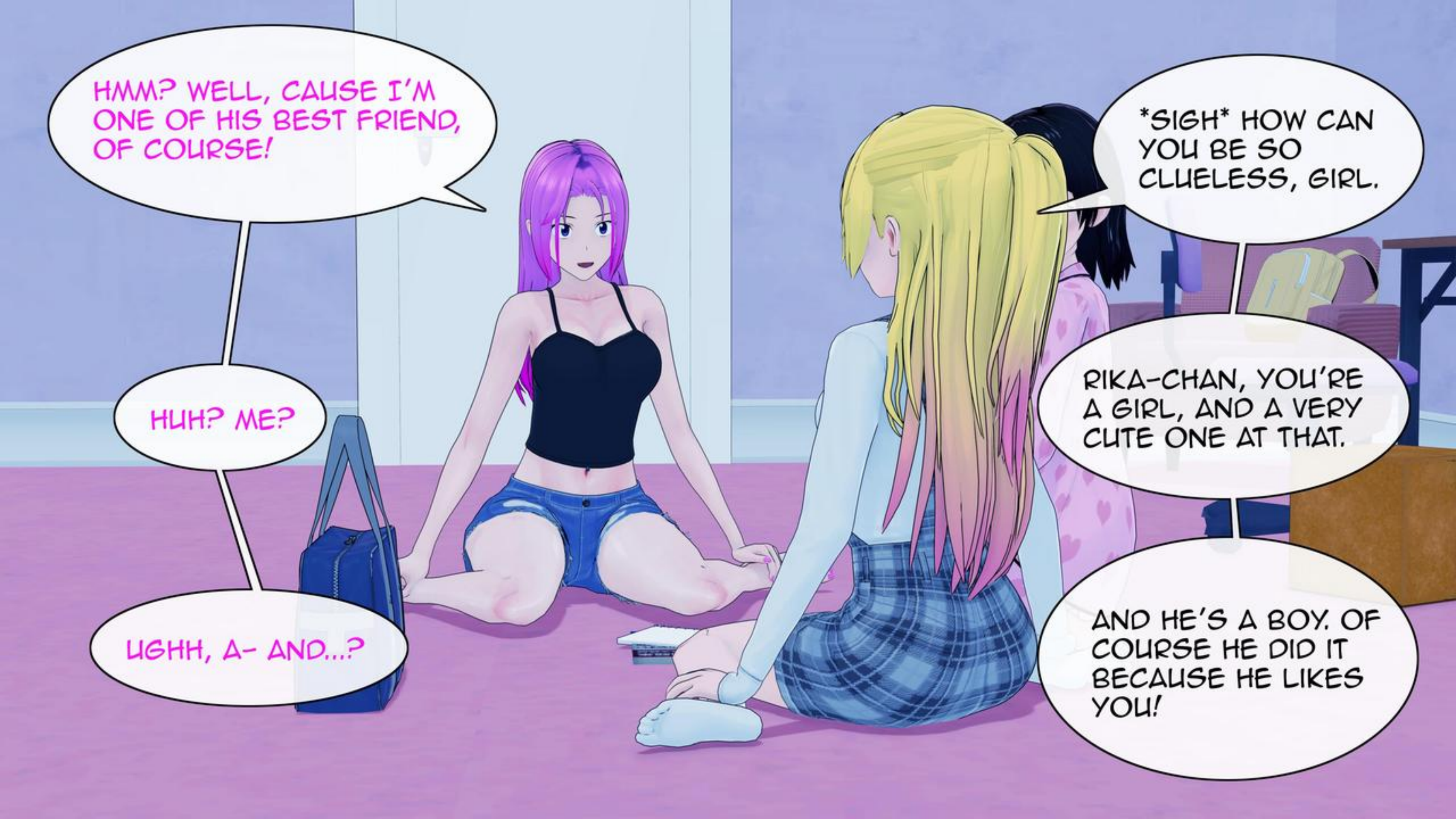
SEE? IT'S NOT
THAT HARD!

HMM~ IT'S NOT LIKE I
FORCED TAMA-KUN, YOU
KNOW? HE WAS WILLING
TO HELP!

COME ON, RIKA-CHAN.
DON'T TRY TO ACT
LIKE YOU DO THIS ON
YOUR OWN!

TAMA-KUN? I KNEW
IT! I BET YOU STILL
DON'T KNOW WHY
HE DID ALL THE
HOMEWORKS FOR
YOU.





HMM? WELL, CAUSE I'M
ONE OF HIS BEST FRIEND,
OF COURSE!

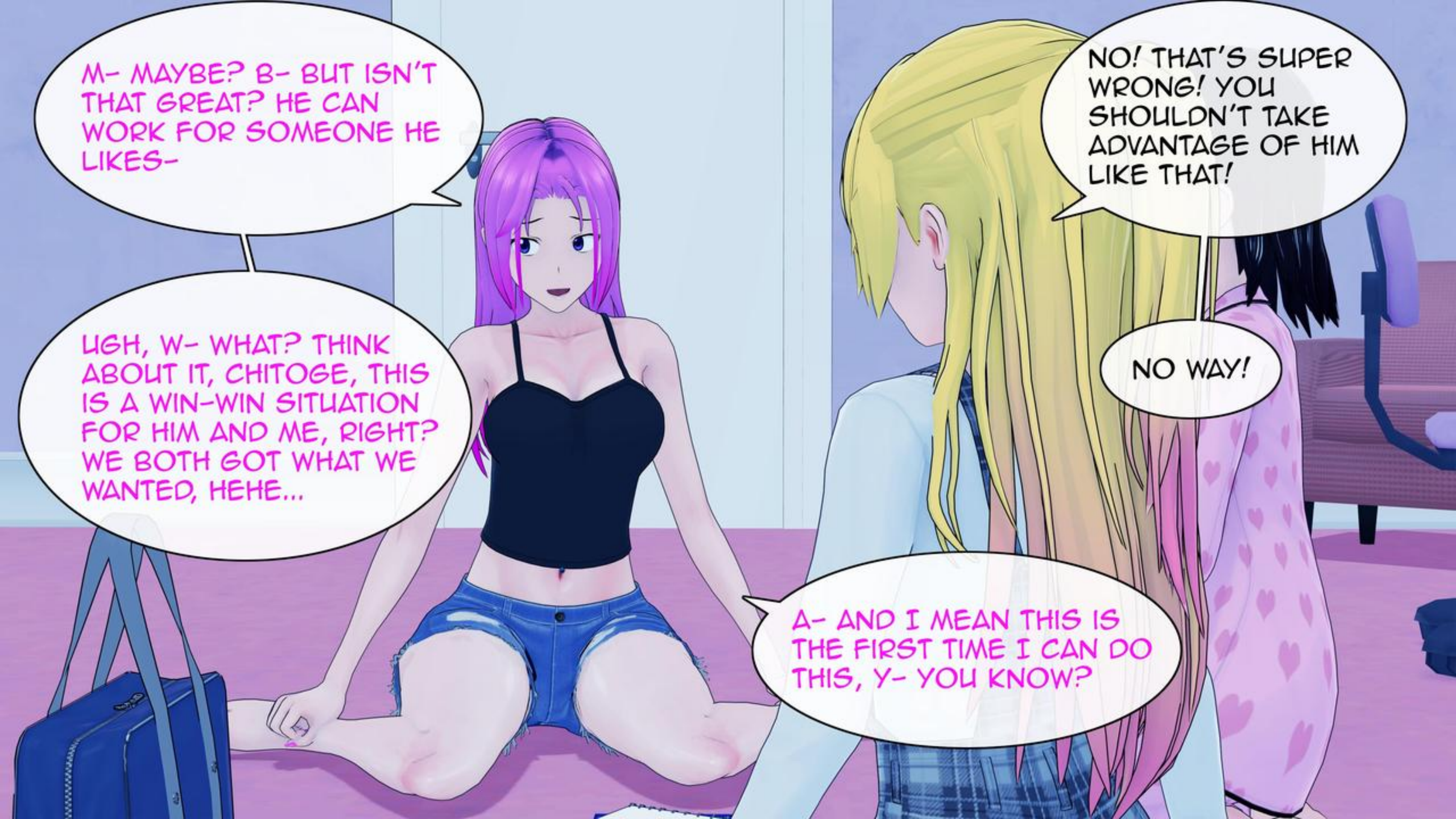
HUH? ME?

UGHH, A- AND....?

SIGH HOW CAN
YOU BE SO
CLUELESS, GIRL.

RIKA-CHAN, YOU'RE
A GIRL, AND A VERY
CUTE ONE AT THAT.

AND HE'S A BOY. OF
COURSE HE DID IT
BECAUSE HE LIKES
YOU!



M- MAYBE? B- BUT ISN'T THAT GREAT? HE CAN WORK FOR SOMEONE HE LIKES-

UGH, W- WHAT? THINK ABOUT IT, CHITOGI, THIS IS A WIN-WIN SITUATION FOR HIM AND ME, RIGHT? WE BOTH GOT WHAT WE WANTED, HEHE...

NO! THAT'S SUPER WRONG! YOU SHOULDN'T TAKE ADVANTAGE OF HIM LIKE THAT!

NO WAY!

A- AND I MEAN THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I CAN DO THIS, Y- YOU KNOW?



A- AND..., YOU REALLY
HAVE NO IDEA HOW
MANY THINGS A GIRL
CAN MAKE BOYS DO BY
JUST-

HUH? WHAT TYPE? BUT
MOM TOLD ME THIS IS A
NORMAL THING FOR GIRL
TO BE ABLE TO DO.

UGHH, THAT'S ENOUGH,
RIKA-CHAN...

GOSH, I CAN'T
BELIEVE YOU TURN
OUT TO BE THIS TYPE.

AIKO-SAN TAUGHT YOU
THAT? NO WONDERS...

DON'T STRESS IT TOO MUCH, CHITOGÉ-CHAN. WE NEED TO GIVE HER TIME TO FIND OUT WHO SHE IS, RIGHT?

LIKE WHAT ABOUT MODELING. WHO WOULD'VE THOUGHT THAT RIKÁ-CHAN WOULD BE SO GOOD AT THAT? NOT EVEN ME, HAHA.

SO, SHOULDN'T WE AT LEAST LET HER EXPLORE EVERYTHING FIRST?

HUH, YOU THINK SO, AIRI-CHAN?

O- OH, YOU'RE RIGHT...



AHHH... THAT'S TRUE...

H- HUH??
SUPPORT WHAT??

ACTUALLY, WHEN YOU
MENTIONED ABOUT
RIKA-CHAN'S JOB
EARLIER...

YEP~ SO, ALL WE HAVE
TO DO IS SUPPORT
HER, RIGHT?

ALRIGHT, WITH THE
HOMEWORK DONE,
WHAT'RE WE GOING
TO DO THEN?



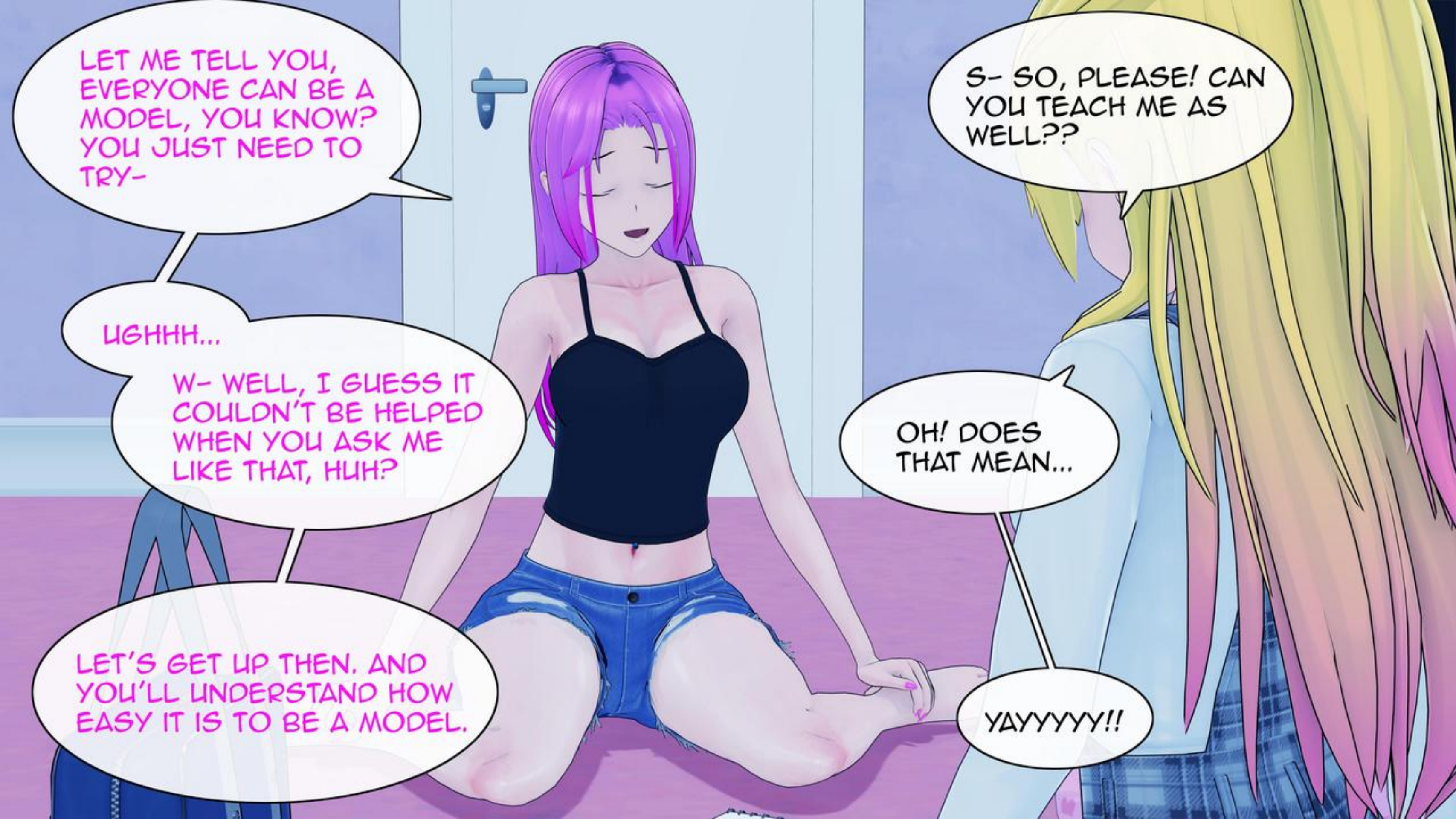
EHHHHHH? YOU WANT ME TO TEACH YOU??

I KINDA WANT HER TO TEACH ME HOW TO BE A MODEL FOR SOME TIMES NOW.

I MEAN THIS IS WHAT YOU LOVE TO DO, RIGHT? AND YOU SAID IT'S NOT THAT HARD TOO, HEHE...

LOVE TO DO?? NO, IT'S THE OPPOSITE! I BECAME A MODEL BECAUSE I DON'T HAVE A CHOICE, OKAY?

HUH? B- BUT... THEN WHY ARE YOU SO GOOD AT IT??



LET ME TELL YOU,
EVERYONE CAN BE A
MODEL, YOU KNOW?
YOU JUST NEED TO
TRY-

S- SO, PLEASE! CAN
YOU TEACH ME AS
WELL??

LIGHHH...

W- WELL, I GUESS IT
COULDN'T BE HELPED
WHEN YOU ASK ME
LIKE THAT, HUH?

OH! DOES
THAT MEAN...

LET'S GET UP THEN. AND
YOU'LL UNDERSTAND HOW
EASY IT IS TO BE A MODEL.

YAYYYYYY!!

A MOMENT LATER...

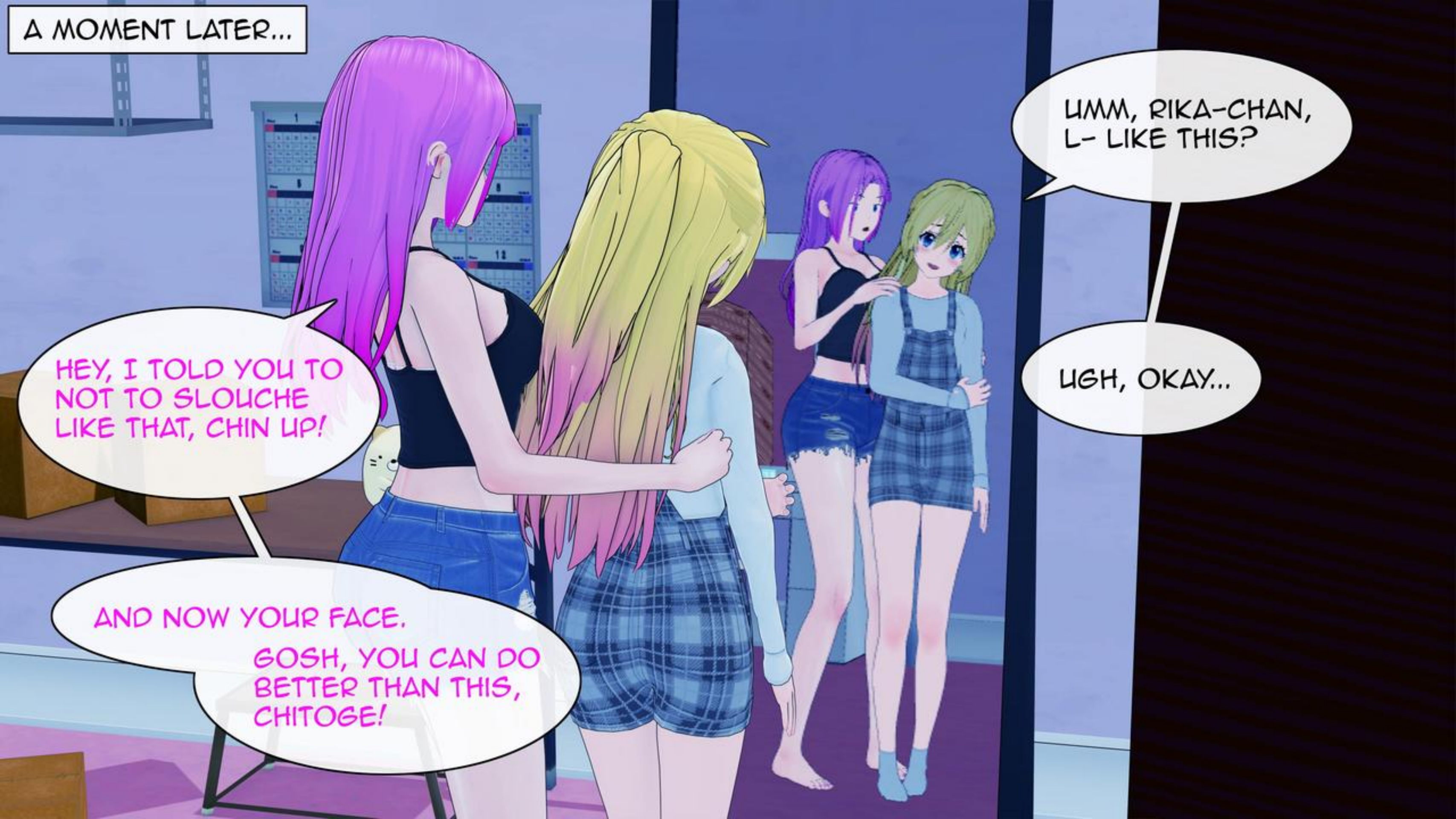
HEY, I TOLD YOU TO
NOT TO SLOUCHE
LIKE THAT, CHIN UP!

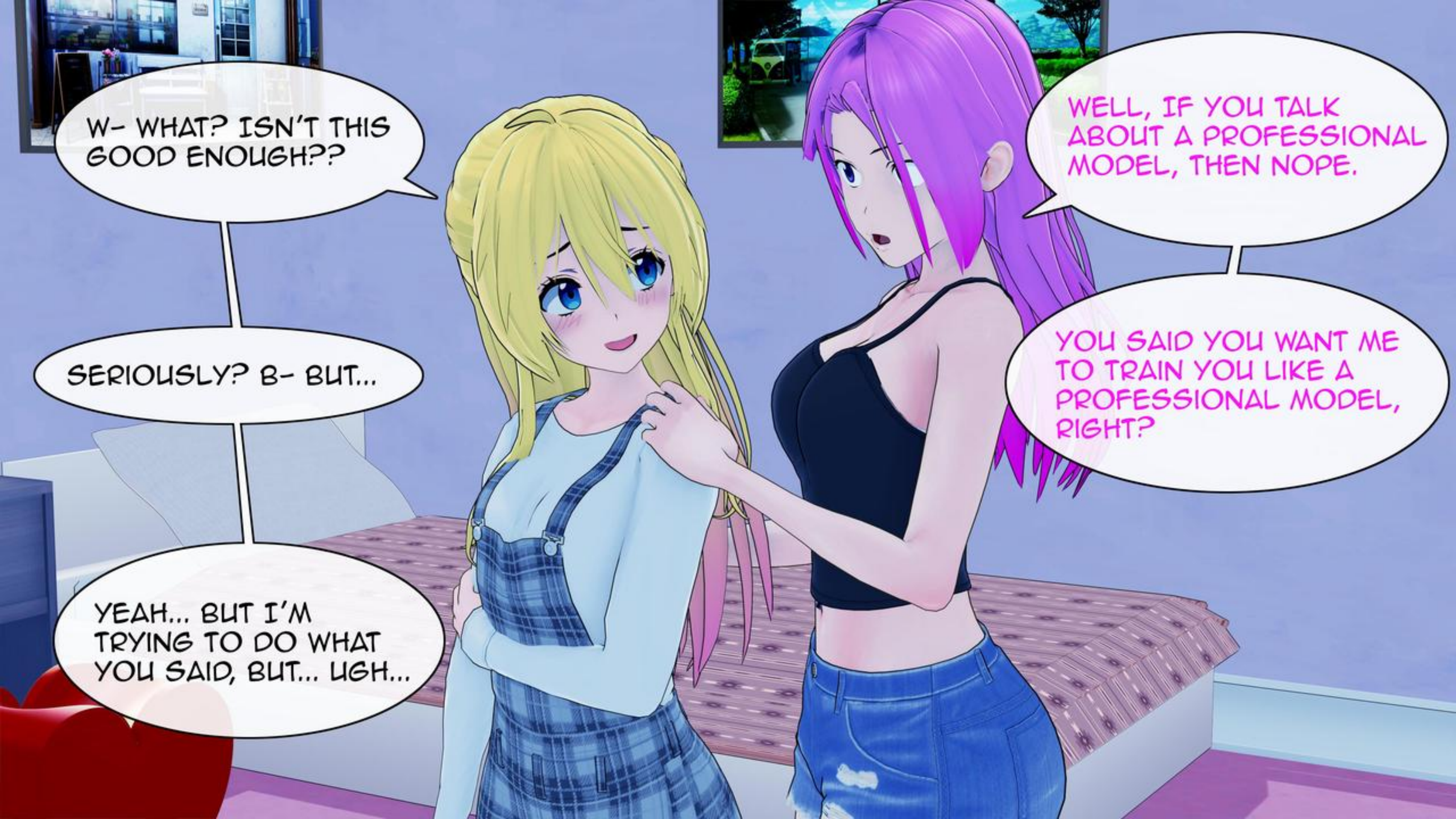
AND NOW YOUR FACE.

GOSH, YOU CAN DO
BETTER THAN THIS,
CHITOGÉ!

UMM, RIKA-CHAN,
L- LIKE THIS?

UGH, OKAY...





W- WHAT? ISN'T THIS
GOOD ENOUGH??

SERIOUSLY? B- BUT...

YEAH... BUT I'M
TRYING TO DO WHAT
YOU SAID, BUT... UGH...

WELL, IF YOU TALK
ABOUT A PROFESSIONAL
MODEL, THEN NOPE.

YOU SAID YOU WANT ME
TO TRAIN YOU LIKE A
PROFESSIONAL MODEL,
RIGHT?



Y- YEAH... THAT WOULD
HELP ME OUT A LOT!

O- OKAY, I'LL TRY
MY BEST!

SIGH I CAN'T BELIEVE
YOU, GIRL...

ALRIGHT, HOW ABOUT
I SHOW YOU HOW I
DO IT?

WATCH AND LEARN,
OKAY? I'LL ONLY
DO IT ONCE.



AND THEN...

W- WOW...

O- OKAY...

LIKE THIS.

YOU HAVE TO BE
CONFIDENT WHEN
YOU POSE, AND OF
COURSE, RELAXED,
OKAY?

ALSO, YOU HAVE
TO USE YOUR
ASSETS TO THE
FULLEST.





SO OBVOIUSLY, USE THE
POSE THAT HIGHLIGHTS
THEM WELL.

UGH... Y- YOU'RE
RIGHT...

JUST WOW...

EHHHH? YOU MEAN
THERE'S MORE?

LIKE FOR ME, JUST
LOOK AT MY BUTTS IN
THIS POSE, NOT TOO
BAD, RIGHT?

HMM? HOLD YOUR
WOWS, GIRL. WE'RE
NOT DONE YET.



WELL, I GUESS THIS IS
WHAT SEPARATES
PROS AND AMATEURS.

NOW YOU GOT THE
POSE, RIGHT? GUESS
WHAT'S NEXT?

MY MOVEMENTS?

GOSH, IT'S FACE
EXPRESSION,
YOU SILLY!

O- OH! TELL ME!

Y- YOUR...
MOVEMENTS?

SIGH JUST MAKE
SURE TO LOOK AT MY
FACE, OKAY?



ALRIGHT, JUST MAKE
SURE TO LOOK AT MY
FACE, OKAY?

AND YOU'LL SEE
JUST HOW MUCH...

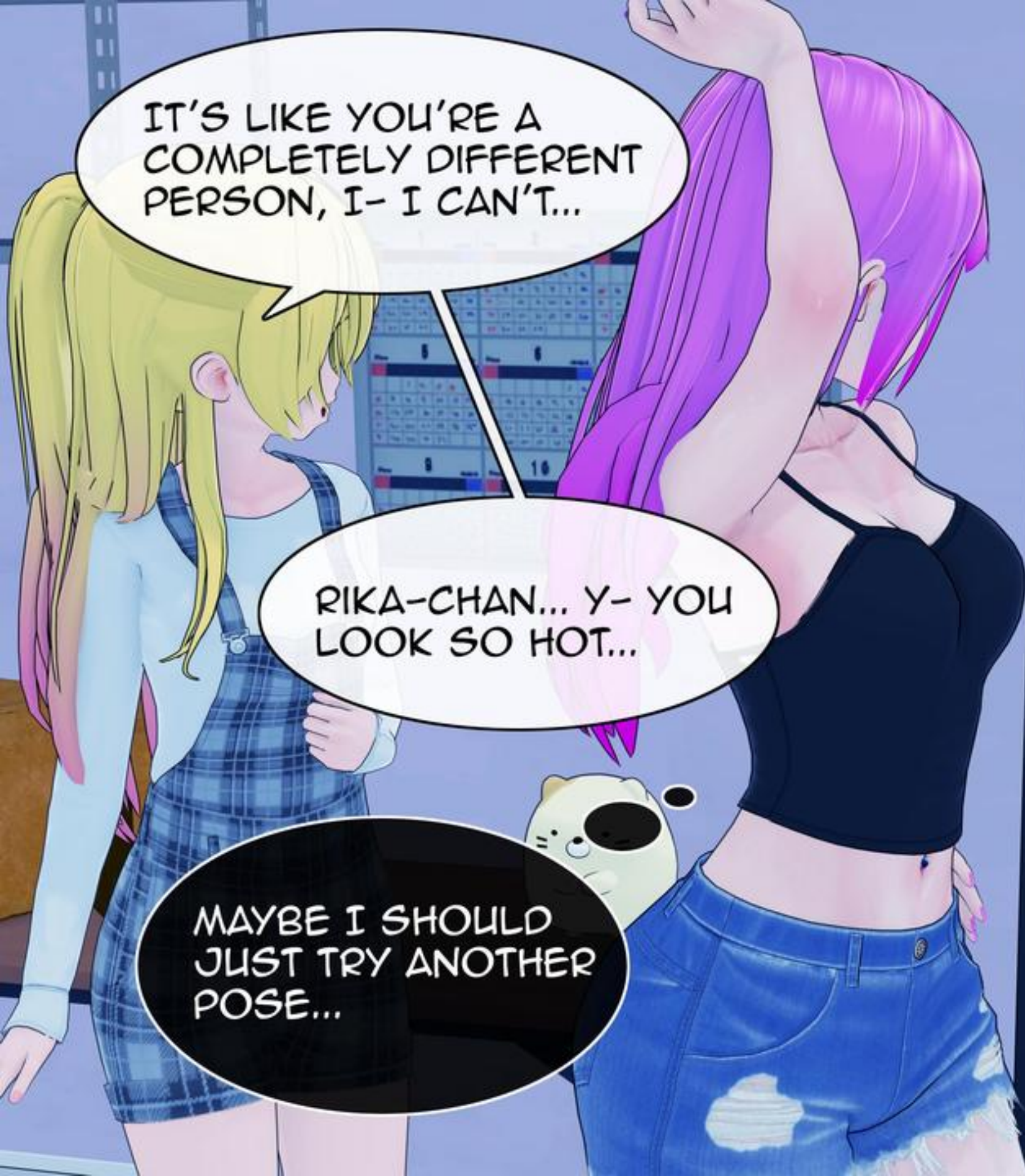
DIFFERENCE BETWEEN
BEFORE, AND AFTER.



HMMMM~

HMM, NOT BAD...

MY GOD...

A comic panel showing two girls. On the left, a girl with long blonde hair in pigtails, wearing a light blue long-sleeved shirt and blue plaid overalls, is looking towards the right. On the right, a girl with long pink hair, wearing a black crop top and blue denim shorts, is looking back at her. A small white cat with black spots is peeking out from behind the pink-haired girl's legs. The background shows a room with shelves containing various items.

IT'S LIKE YOU'RE A
COMPLETELY DIFFERENT
PERSON, I- I CAN'T...

RIKA-CHAN... Y- YOU
LOOK SO HOT...

MAYBE I SHOULD
JUST TRY ANOTHER
POSE...

A comic panel showing a girl with long purple hair, wearing a black crop top and blue denim shorts, posing in a room. She is looking over her shoulder at the viewer. The room has a desk with various items and a chair in the background.

I KNOW, RIGHT? THIS
IS WHAT I'VE BEEN
TELLING YOU THE
WHOLE TIME.

GOSH, NOT GONNA
LIE, I LOOK KINDA
NICE IN THIS POSE...

UGH, I- I KNOW
YOU WANT MORE
EXAMPLES, RIGHT?



OH MY GOD...

T- THIS ONE IS
EVEN HOTTER!

UGH...

O- OKAY, IT'S MY
TURN, I GUESS.

HMM~ HOW ABOUT
THIS ONE, CHITOGÉ?
HOW DO I LOOK?

HEH~



RIKA-CHAN, IS
THIS CORRECT?

MAYBE I SHOULD
PUSH MY ASS OUT A
BIT MORE?

HMM~ NO, I THINK
THIS POSE LOOKS
JUST PERFECT...

RIKA-CHAN....?

THE MOST IMPORTANT
THING IS TO MAKE IT
LOOK NATURAL, NOT
FORCED.

HEH, NOT BAD. I'LL
USE THIS POSE IN
THE NEXT WEEK'S
SESSION-

RIKA-CHAN!!

?!



H- HUH?!

WHAT? I'VE BEEN
CALLING YOUR NAME
A FEW TIMES!

GOD, YOU HAVE TO BE
LYING WHEN YOU SAID
YOU HATE DOING THIS.

GOSH! W- WHY DID
YOU SHOUT ALL OF
SUDDEN LIKE THAT?!

LIGHHH, B- BUT...

W- WHAT?? I'M NOT!



OH MY GOD, YOU'RE DEFINITELY LOVING IT, RIKA-CHAN. YOU WERE SOOO INTO IT!

COME ON, YOU DIDN'T EVEN SPEAK TO ME DURING THAT LAST POSE!

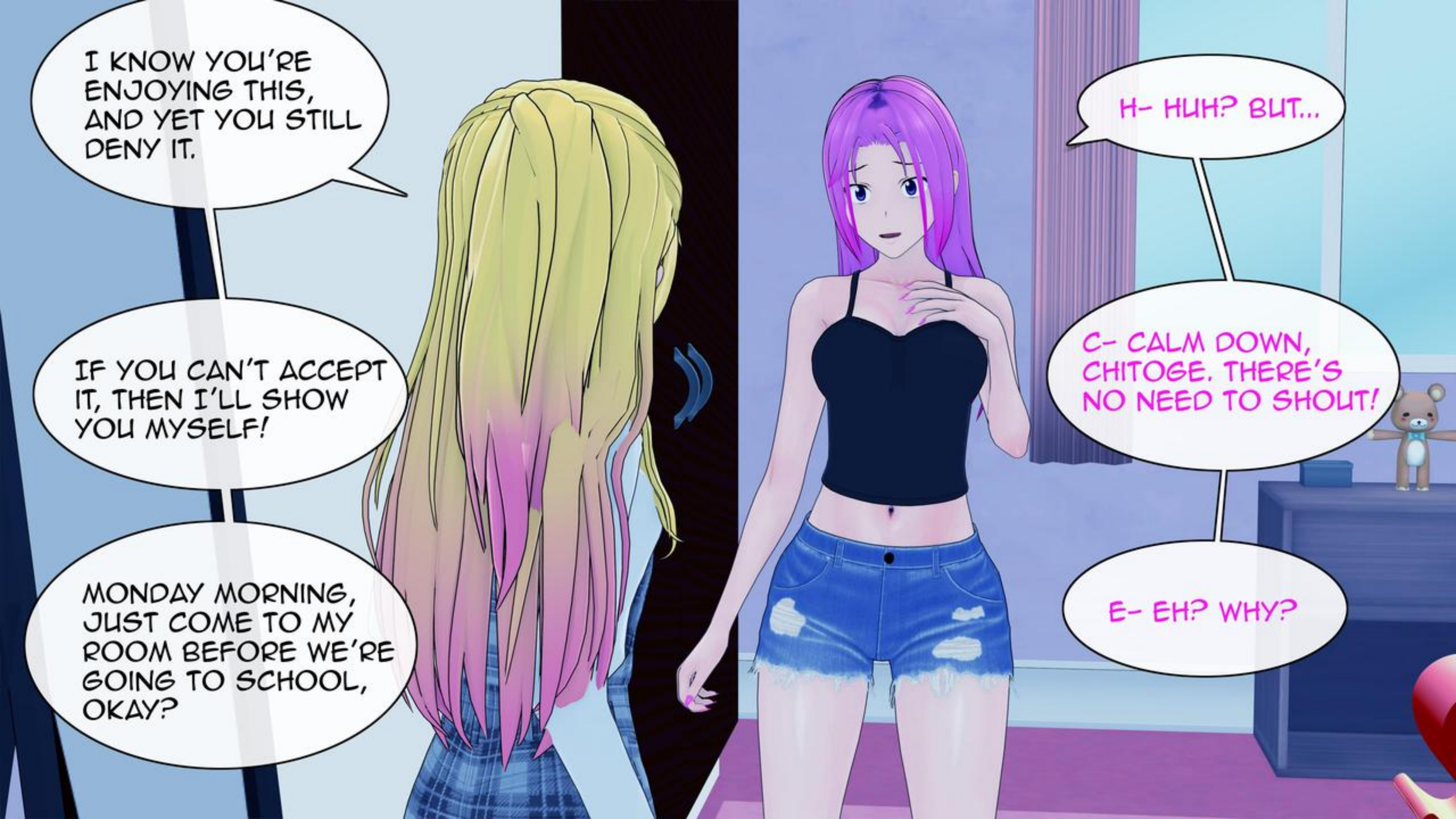
STOP THAT! I WON'T LET YOU GET AWAY THIS TIME, RIKA-CHAN!



D- DON'T BE SILLY! I WAS, UHH, T- TRYING TO SHOW YOU HOW I DO IT, OKAY?

UHHHH, I- I....

O- OH, YEAH! THAT LAST POSE! I KNOW WHAT YOU'RE MISSING NOW. L- LET ME HELP YOU-



I KNOW YOU'RE
ENJOYING THIS,
AND YET YOU STILL
DENY IT.

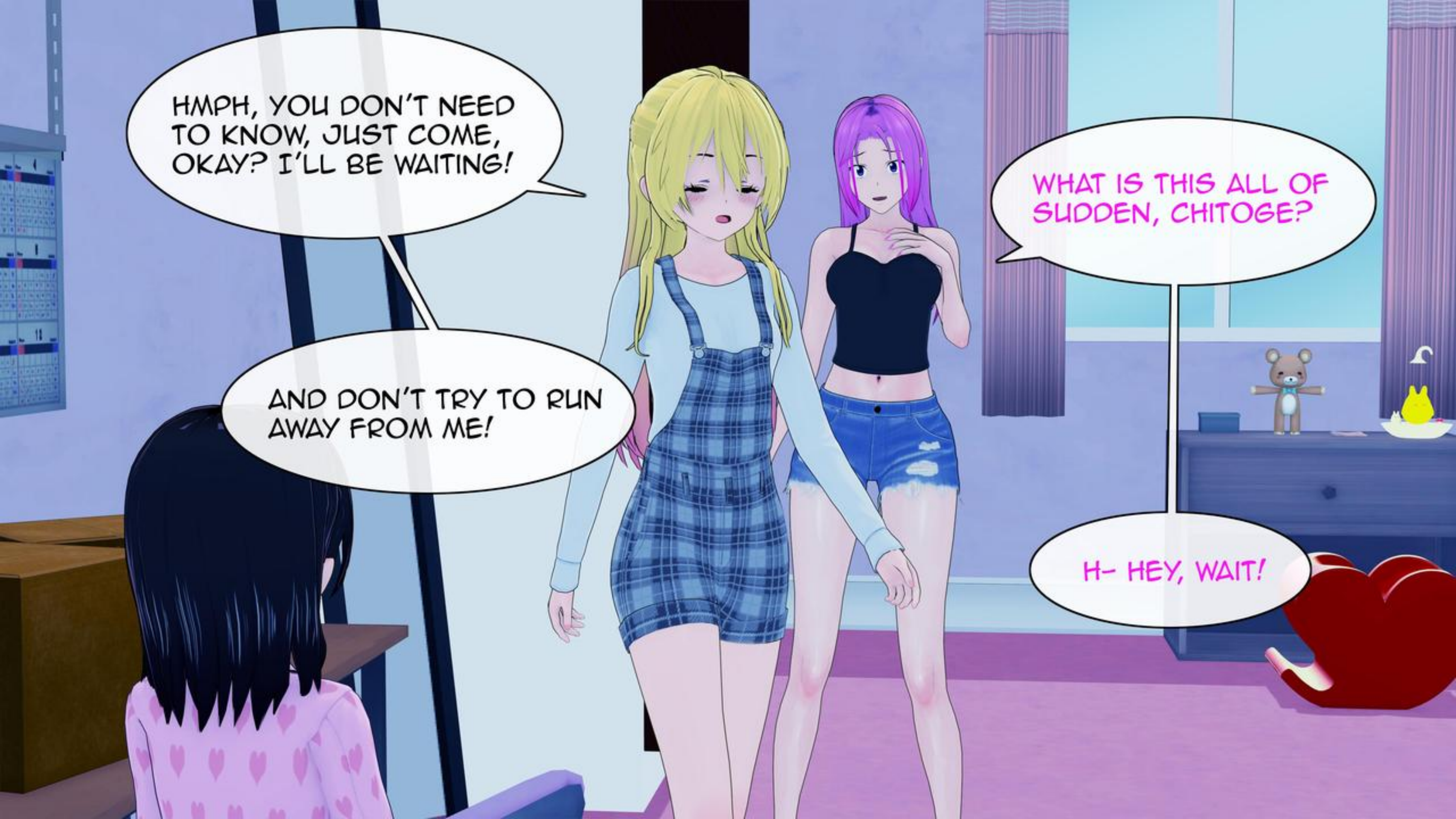
IF YOU CAN'T ACCEPT
IT, THEN I'LL SHOW
YOU MYSELF!

MONDAY MORNING,
JUST COME TO MY
ROOM BEFORE WE'RE
GOING TO SCHOOL,
OKAY?

H- HUH? BUT...

C- CALM DOWN,
CHITOGI. THERE'S
NO NEED TO SHOUT!

E- EH? WHY?



HMPH, YOU DON'T NEED
TO KNOW, JUST COME,
OKAY? I'LL BE WAITING!

AND DON'T TRY TO RUN
AWAY FROM ME!

WHAT IS THIS ALL OF
SUDDEN, CHITOGÉ?

H- HEY, WAIT!

DOOR CLOSED

AND THERE SHE GOES...

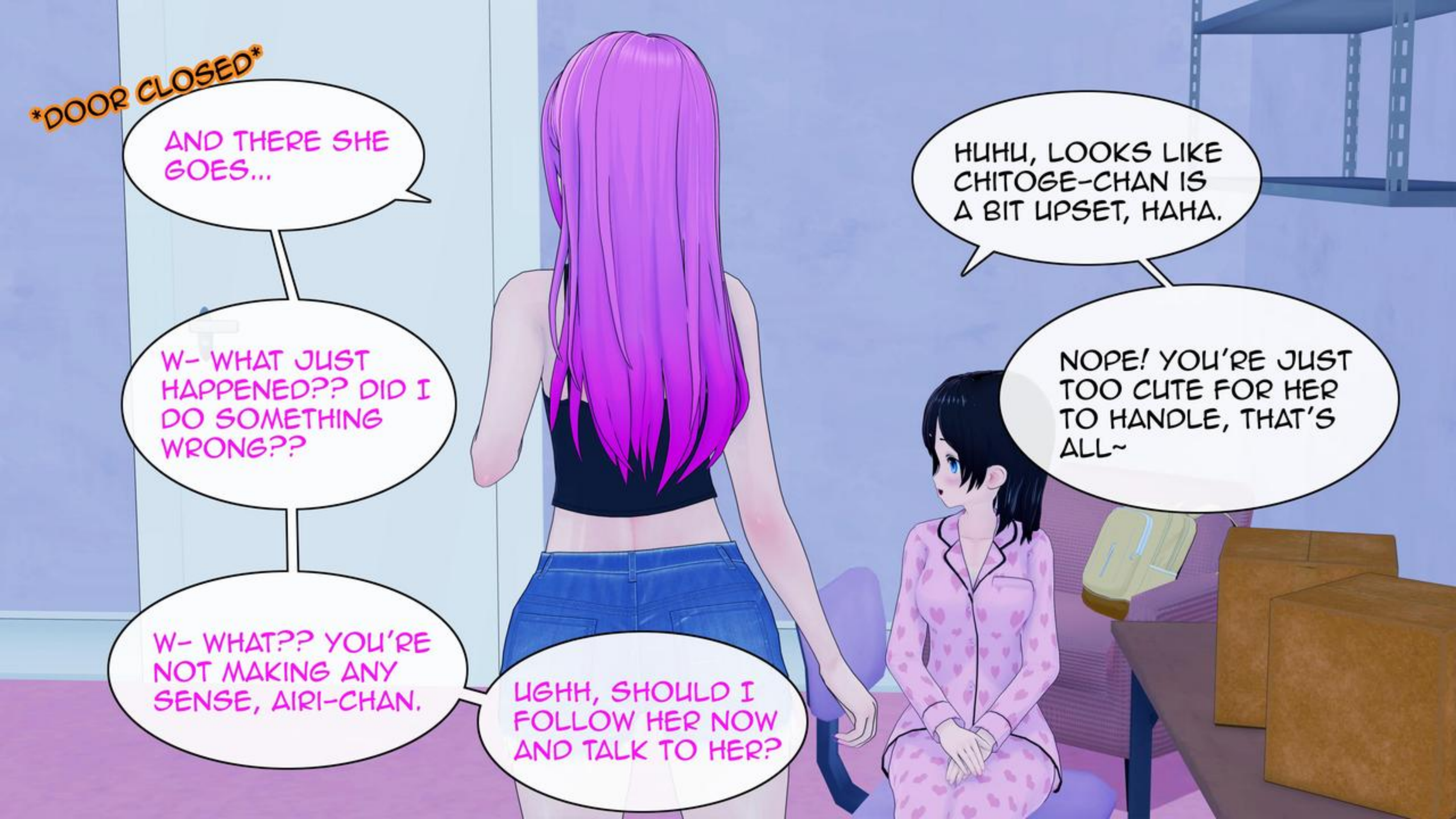
W- WHAT JUST HAPPENED?? DID I DO SOMETHING WRONG??

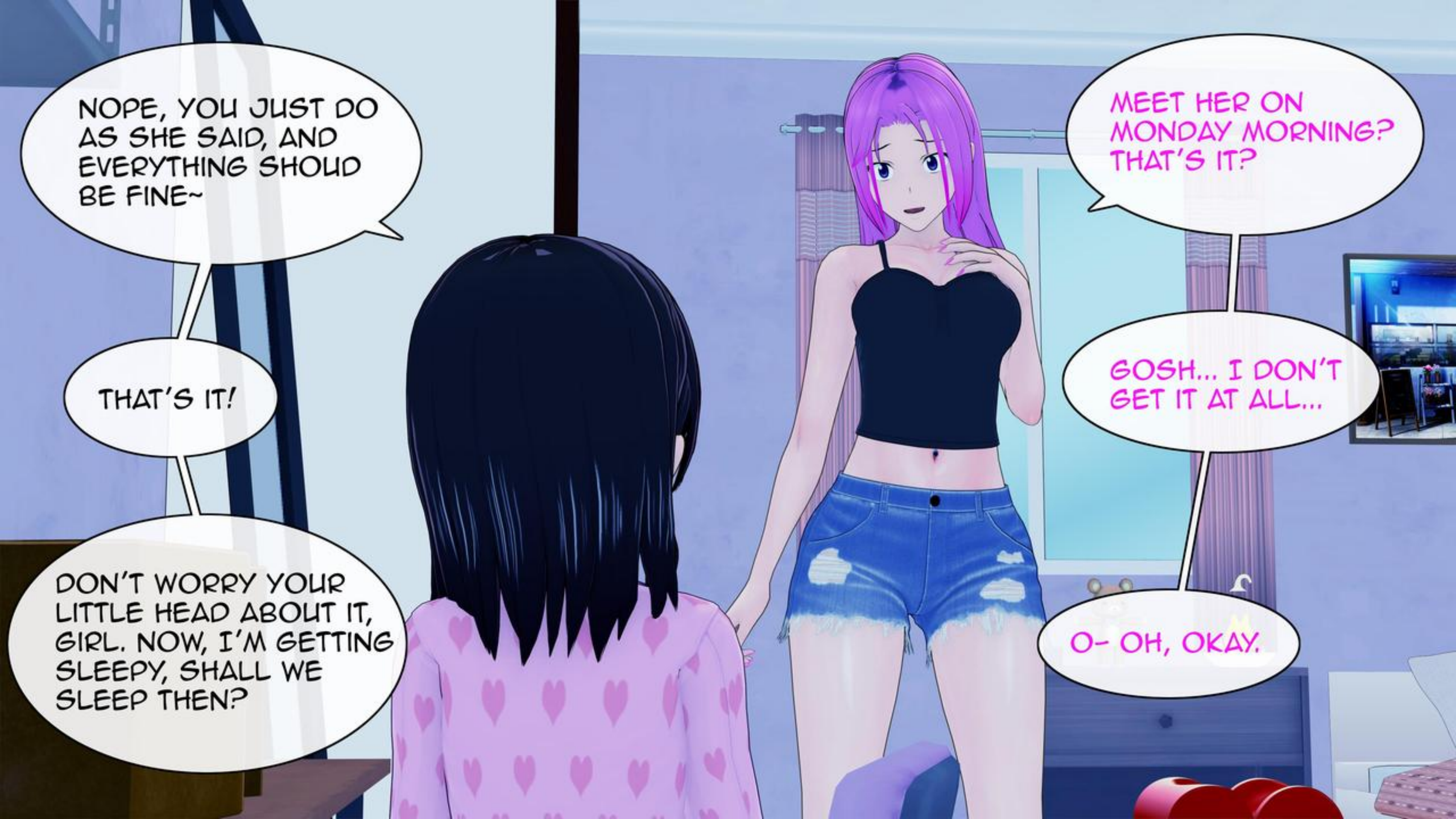
W- WHAT?? YOU'RE NOT MAKING ANY SENSE, AIRI-CHAN.

UGHH, SHOULD I FOLLOW HER NOW AND TALK TO HER?

HUHU, LOOKS LIKE CHITOGÉ-CHAN IS A BIT UPSET, HAHA.

NOPE! YOU'RE JUST TOO CUTE FOR HER TO HANDLE, THAT'S ALL~





NOPE, YOU JUST DO
AS SHE SAID, AND
EVERYTHING SHOULD
BE FINE~

THAT'S IT!

DON'T WORRY YOUR
LITTLE HEAD ABOUT IT,
GIRL. NOW, I'M GETTING
SLEEPY, SHALL WE
SLEEP THEN?

MEET HER ON
MONDAY MORNING?
THAT'S IT?

GOSH... I DON'T
GET IT AT ALL...

O- OH, OKAY.

THEN IT'S MONDAY MORNING...

H- HEY, WHAT ARE YOU
DOING, CHITOGÉ?!

B- BUT IT HURTS!

COME ON, JUST STAY
STILL, RIKÁ-CHAN.

THAT'S BECAUSE
YOU MOVED TOO
MUCH!



OUCH! D- DON'T PULL
MY HAIR LIKE THAT!

OOPS~ LOOKS LIKE I
WENT A BIT HARD THERE,
SORRY~

GOSH, I- I CAN'T
BELIEVE I LET YOU
DO THIS!

HUHU, A PROMISE IS A
PROMISE!



W- WHAT?! I DIDN'T PROMISE
YOU TO DO THIS, YOU
KNOW?! YOU JUST RAN OFF
THAT NIGHT-

SHHHHH~ IF YOU SPEAK
LIKE YOU MIGHT GET
HURT AGAIN, OKAY?

UGHHHH, T- THEN JUST
HURRY UP. MOM'S
GONNA BE MAD IF
WE'RE LATE TO
SCHOOL AGAIN.

OH, DON'T WORRY!
BECHASE...



WE'RE DONE!
MY GOD! I REALLY
OUTDID MYSELF THIS
TIME!

HUHU, JUST YOU
WAIT UNTIL YOU SEE
YOUR REFLECTION,
RIKA-CHAN~

YEP! DON'T BE TOO
SURPRISED, OKAY?
HUHU~

UGH, WHY DO YOU
SOUND SO EXCITED??
IT'S JUST A HAIRSTYLE!

GOSH, DOES THIS
MEAN I CAN STAND UP
NOW, RIGHT?



BUT BEFORE THAT, TURN
YOUR FACE HERE, I WANT
TO TAKE A GOOD LOOK!

OH MY~

THIS IS A LOT BETTER
THAN I EXPECTED! IT
SUITS YOU REALLY
WELL, RIKA-CHAN!!

I'M TELLING WHAT I
SEE! JUST LOOK AT
THE MIRROR!

WHAT IS IT?

UGHHH, Y- YOU'RE
JUST OVERACTING,
CHITOGÉ!



SIGH JUST GIVE ME A SEC, OKAY?

BUT REALLY, YOU'RE WAY TOO EXCITED ABOUT THIS. I MEAN WE'LL UNTIE IT ANYWAY, RIGHT?

WHO KNOWS~ MAYBE YOU'LL LOVE IT, AND DOESN'T WANT TO UNTIE IT, HEHE.



HMPH, I DON'T THINK SO.

THERE'S NO WAY THAT I'LL GO TO SCHOOL... LIKE...

THIS...?



HEHE, I TOLD YOU!
YOU LOOK AMAZING!!

?!

T- THIS IS...



WHAT DO YOU
THINK, WHAT DO
YOU THINK?!

COME ON~ IS THAT
ALL YOU WANT TO
SAY?

BLUSHED

OMG, T- THIS IS TOO
GIRLY!! I- I CAN'T GO
OUT LIKE THIS!
B- BUT I CAN'T STOP
LOOKING AT IT...

UHM, I- I DON'T
KNOW, IT'S KINDA
WEIRD LOOKING, I
GUESS?





GEEZ! THIS IS WHAT I'VE
BEEN TELLING YOU. YOU
NEED TO STOP DENYING
AND ACCEPT HOW YOU
REALLY FEEL, RIKA-CHAN!

HMPH, YOUR REACTION
SAID IT ALL, RIKA-CHAN!

WELL, DO YOU WANT TO
ME TO DESCRIBE HOW
YOU CHANGED POSES
AND PLAY WITH YOUR
HAIR WHILE STARING AT
THE MIRROR?

WHAT?? HOW DO YOU
KNOW THIS IS NOT
HOW I FEEL?

M- MY REACTION??

HMM...?



NO MORE EXCUSES,
RIKA-CHAN! WE
ALREADY TALKED
ABOUT THIS!

NOT THAT BAD?
THERE'S NO WAY
THAT'S ALL YOU
WANT TO SAY.

EH?! T- THAT'S... UMM,
I- I-

UGHHH, OKAY, OKAY.

I- IT'S... IT'S NOT
THAT BAD...

I- I DON'T KNOW! I
JUST NEED TO TRY IT
OUT FOR A WHILE
BEFORE I CAN SAY
ANYTHING ELSE, OKAY?



OH! SO YOU LOVE
TO TRY OUT THIS
HAIRSTYLE FOR A
WHILE, RIGHT?
YAYYY!

THAT SETTLES IT! I'LL
LET YOU TRY IT OUT THIS
WEEK FIRST! OH, AND
DON'T WORRY, IF YOU
LIKE IT, I'LL EVEN TEACH
YOU HOW TO BRAID!
IT'S A PROMISE, OKAY?

W- WHAT?? I DIDN'T
SAY TH-

E- EH?? S- SLOW
DOWN, CHITOGÉ! I
SAID I-

KNOCK

KNOCK



GIRLS, HOW MANY TIME
DO I HAVE TO REMIND
YOU TO GET READY FOR
SCHOOL?!

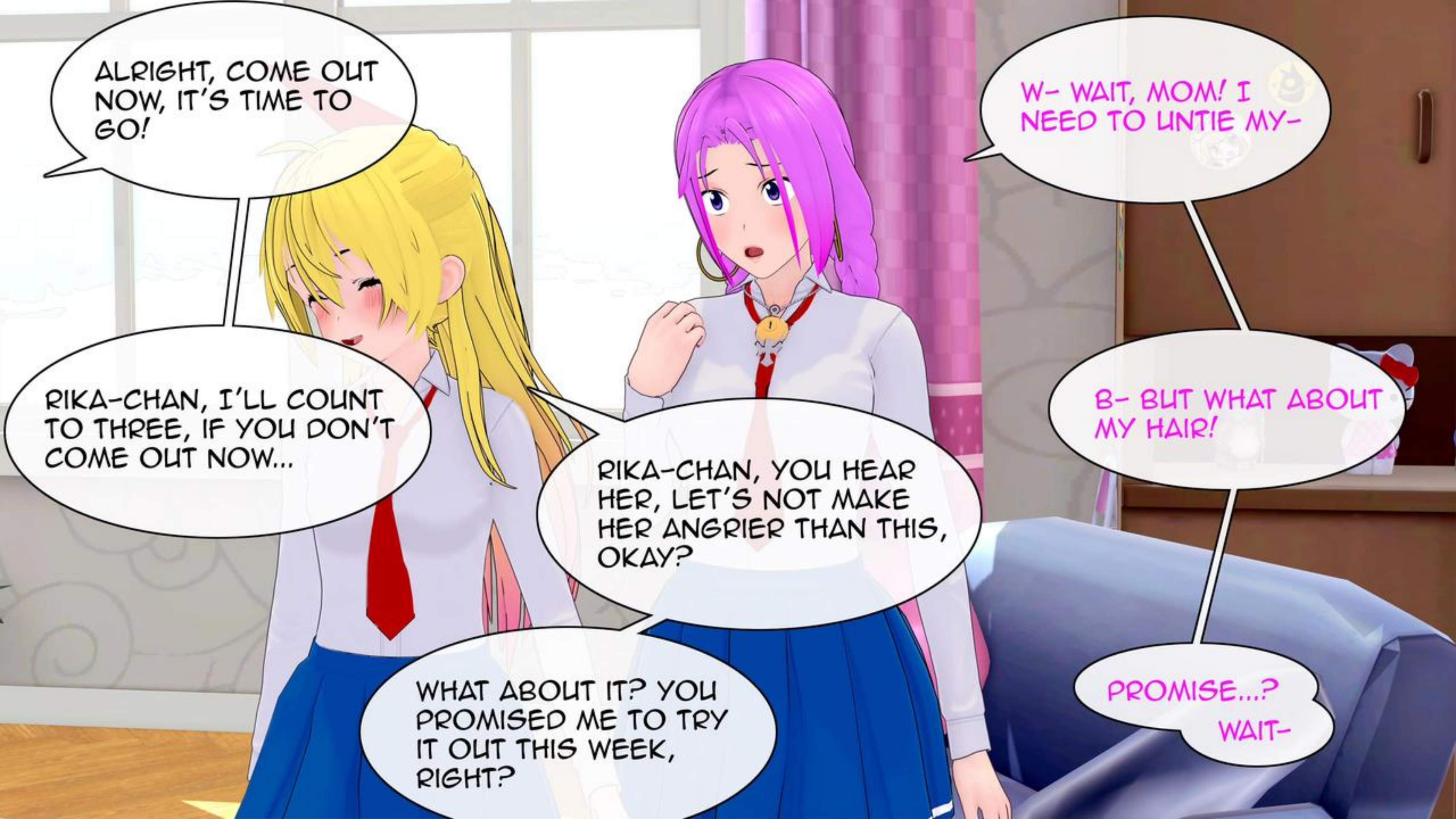
MY GOD, RIKA-CHAN, I
KNOW YOU WANT TO
LOOK AS GIRLY AS YOU
CAN, BUT YOU CAN'T
SPEND YOUR TIME IN
THERE FOREVER, OKAY?



M- MOM?

A- AH! WE'RE
ALMOST DONE!

H- HUH? BUT I-



ALRIGHT, COME OUT
NOW, IT'S TIME TO
GO!

RIKA-CHAN, I'LL COUNT
TO THREE, IF YOU DON'T
COME OUT NOW...

RIKA-CHAN, YOU HEAR
HER, LET'S NOT MAKE
HER ANGRIER THAN THIS,
OKAY?

WHAT ABOUT IT? YOU
PROMISED ME TO TRY
IT OUT THIS WEEK,
RIGHT?

W- WAIT, MOM! I
NEED TO UNTIE MY-

B- BUT WHAT ABOUT
MY HAIR!

PROMISE....?
WAIT-



I'LL START COUNTING
NOW.

3...

GOSHHHHH! W- WHY
DOES IT ALWAYS END
THIS WAY?!

AND NOW I HAVE TO
GO OUT TO SCHOOL
LIKE THIS, UGHHHH.

BUT AT LEAST IT
LOOKS KINDA NICE
ON ME...

UGHHH, B- BUT IT'S
NOT LIKE I LIKE IT OR
ANYTHING, R- RIGHT?

SIGH A- ALRIGHT,
LET'S GET MOVING
BEFORE MOM GETS
MAD THEN.

AND AS CHITOGI EXPECTED...

EVERYONE AT SCHOOL
LOVED IT.

S- SO, WHAT DO
YOU GIRLS THINK?

OH MY GOSH, LIKE, YOU
LOOK ABSOLUTELY
ADORABLE WITH THAT
HAIR, GIRL!

AHHHHH! NOW YOU
MAKES ME TO TRY OUT
THE SAME STYLE AS
YOU, RIKI-CHAN!

HAHA, I TRY TO CHANGE
UP MY STYLE ONCE IN A
WHILE TO, UMM...
SPICE THINGS UP, YOU
KNOW?

HEHE, YOU REALLY
THINK IT LOOKS THAT
GREAT?



A manga-style illustration of a young woman with long, vibrant pink hair styled in a braid. She is wearing a white long-sleeved shirt with a red tie and a blue pleated skirt. She has a surprised expression, with her hands clasped near her face. The background shows a window with a view of a building.

OF COURSE! I MEAN
YOU ALREADY LOOKED
SUPER HOT BEFORE BUT
THIS, THIS IS JUST TOO
CUTE!

AHHHH, I WISH I
COULD BE LIKE YOU.

REALLY?

I- I SEE!
THANKS, GIRLS!

UGH, W- WELL~ IT'S NOT
LIKE I STARTED OUT LIKE
THIS, YOU KNOW?

YEP~ Y- YOU
WOULDN'T BELIEVE IT
IF YOU SEE HOW I
WAS BACK THEN,
HAHA...

AND THE WEEKS WENT ON
AS USUAL FOR RAKU...

HEHE, THANKS GUY!

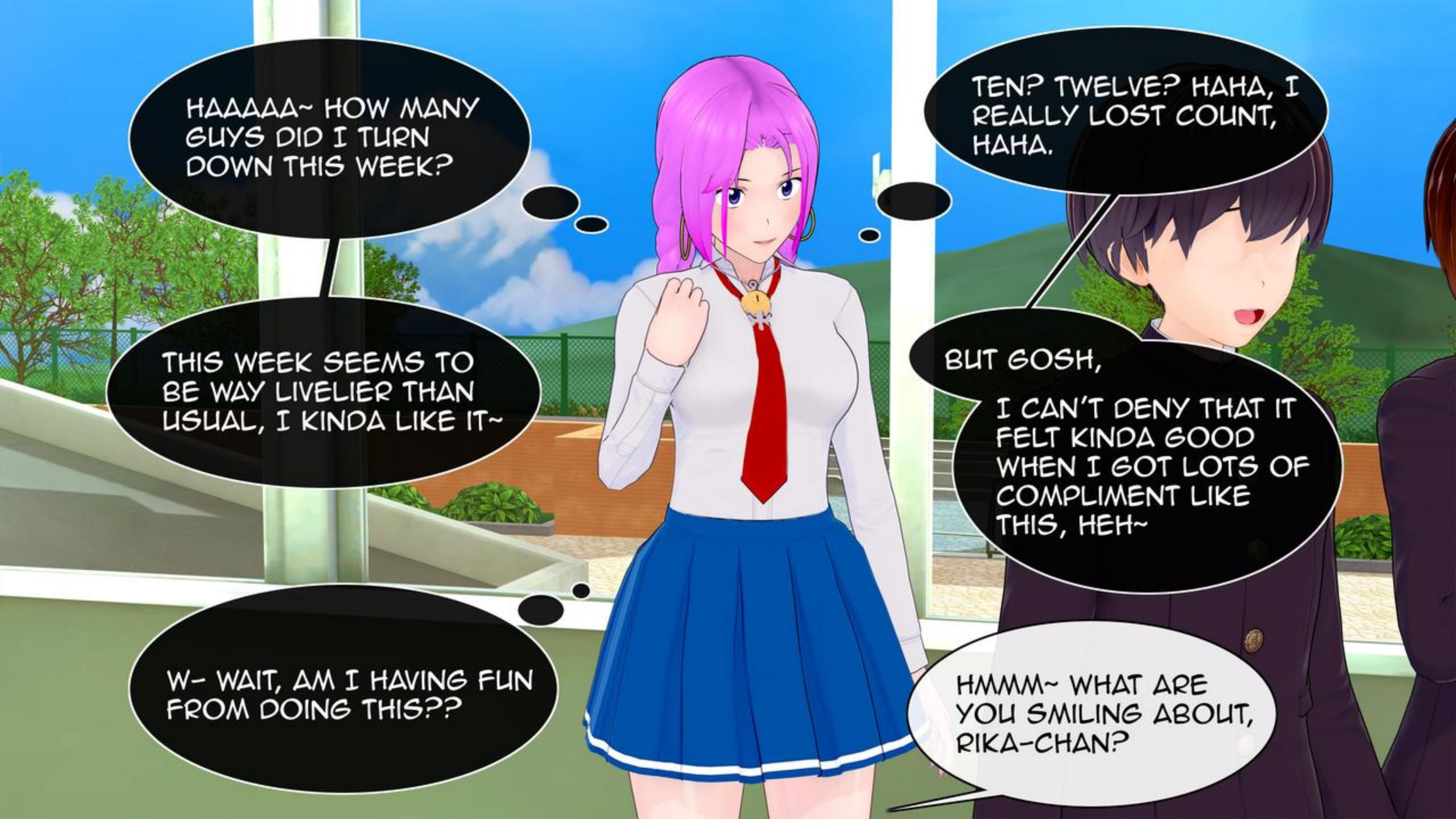
AHHH~ I'D LOVE TO, BUT
I ALREADY PROMISE TO
EAT IT WITH MY FRIENDS
TODAY, SORRY~

R- RIKA-CHAN, Y- YOU
LOOK VERY CUTE WITH
THIS NEW HAIR! I LOVE
IT!

UHM, WILL YOU GO
EAT LUNCH WITH US
TODAY? W- WE'LL
PAY FOR YOU!

AHH...

I- IT'S OKAY! BUT
JUST SO YOU KNOW,
I- I'M A BIG FAN OF
YOU!



HAAAA~ HOW MANY
GUYS DID I TURN
DOWN THIS WEEK?

THIS WEEK SEEMS TO
BE WAY LIVELIER THAN
USUAL, I KINDA LIKE IT~

W- WAIT, AM I HAVING FUN
FROM DOING THIS??

TEN? TWELVE? HAHA, I
REALLY LOST COUNT,
HAHA.

BUT GOSH,

I CAN'T DENY THAT IT
FELT KINDA GOOD
WHEN I GOT LOTS OF
COMPLIMENT LIKE
THIS, HEH~

HMMM~ WHAT ARE
YOU SMILING ABOUT,
RIKA-CHAN?



COME ON~ IT'S GOTTA
FEEL GREAT WHEN
PEOPLE TREAT YOU LIKE
A PRINCESS, RIGHT?

YEP~ EVERYONE IS
TALKING ABOUT YOU
THIS WEEK, YOU
KNOW?



OH, CHITOGÉ...
I- IT'S NOTHING!

W- WHAT?! A
PRINCESS?!

OH YEAH! YOU
WON'T BELIEVE IT!



LIKE, JUST LOOK AT
OTHER GIRLS! THEY
STARTED TO BRAID
THEIR HAIR LIKE ME,
HAHA.

SOOO~ LOOKS LIKE
I'M SOMEWHAT OF A
TREND SETTER
MYSELF, HUH? HEH~

GOSH, I DON'T
KNOW WHY, BUT
THIS FEELS GREAT!

OOOOH YEAH,
YOU'RE RIGHT!

HEHE, YEP!



DOES THAT MEAN YOU
LIKE THIS HAIR I GAVE
YOU?

DON'T BE SHY NOW,
OH I WON'T TEACH
YOU HOW TO DO IT,
YOU KNOW?

SEE? IT'S NOT THAT
HARD TO ACCEPT
YOUR TRUE FEELING
ISN'T IT?

W- WELL...

LIGHHH, Y- YEAH?

G- GOSH! A- AL-
RIGHT, I- I LIKE IT!
T- THAT'S ENOUGH,
RIGHT?

MY TRUE FEELING?



YEP, I KNOW IT'S HARD FOR YOU TO UNDERSTAND, BUT FIGHTING IT IS NOT ALWAYS THE ANSWER, ALRIGHT?

YEP, LIKE I REALLY DON'T KNOW WHY YOU ALWAYS FIGHT AGAINST GIRLY THING, BUT THEN YOU ALWAYS ENDED UP LOVING IT.

A- AH... YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT ME?

O- OH... T- THAT'S...



THIS IS WHY I DECIDED
TO GIVE YOU A NEW
HAIRSTYLE. I KNEW
FROM THE START THAT
YOU'LL LOVE IT.

OF COURSE, I KNEW!
I'M YOUR BIG SIS,
REMEMBER?

HEHE, JUST TRY TO
THINK ABOUT WHAT I
SAID TODAY, OKAY? AND
YOU'LL UNDERSTAND!

R- REALLY?? HOW DO
YOU KNOW??

GOSH, WHAT IS THAT
SUPPOSED TO
MEAN??

LIGHHH....



YAYYYY~ HEHE, AND
YOU'LL LEARN ABOUT
YOURSELF A LOT MORE,
I PROMISE, HEHE.

REALLY~?
WE'LL SEE THEN-

RING

RING

SIGH ALRIGHT, ALRIGHT!
GOSH, I KNEW YOU
WON'T QUIT UNLESS I DO
IT.

YEAH YEAH... BUT
REALLY, I THINK I KNOW
ABOUT MYSELF MORE
THAN YOU DO, CHITOGÉ!

HMM?



OH, TAKE YOUR TIME!
DON'T WORRY ABOUT
ME!

OH, IT'S MY PHONE

IT'S MOM...
GIVE ME ONE SEC,
OKAY? I'LL BE BACK.

ALRIGHT THEN...

A manga-style illustration of a young woman with long, vibrant pink hair styled in two pigtails. She is wearing a white long-sleeved shirt, a blue pleated skirt with a white hem, white knee-high socks, and dark red Mary Jane shoes. She is standing in a school hallway, holding a pink phone to her ear with her right hand. The hallway has green carpeting, white walls, and large windows on the left side that look out onto a green lawn and trees. In the background, there are school lockers and a green exit door. The scene is lit with bright, natural light from the windows.

HEY, MOM. I'M AT SCHOOL, YOU KNOW?

RIKA-CHAN. I KNOW YOU'RE ON BREAK.

H- HUH? HOW DO YOU-

AIRI-CHAN GAVE ME YOUR SCHOOL SCHEDULE! BUT WELL THAT'S NOT IMPORTANT.

I'M WITH RAKU-KUN AT THE MOMENT, WORKING ON HIS LEGAL DOCUMENTS. AND WE'RE ALMOST DONE.

OH, I SEE.

A- AHH...

HUH? MY HELP?



YES, BUT HERE'S A THING. RAKU'S OLD PICTURE DOESN'T MATCH WITH HIS NEW APPEARANCE, SO I ASKED HIM TO TAKE A NEW PHOTO.

AND OF COURSE, HE DOESN'T WANT TO TAKE HIS PHOTO, AND THAT'S WHY I NEED YOUR HELP WITH THIS.

YES, YOUR HELP.

H- HUH?

WAIT...

OH MY GOSH...
Y- YOU DON'T MEAN...

EASY?? NO WAY, MOM!
I'M NOT-

HUH?! T- TOMORROW?!

OH MY~ YOU'RE QUICK,
RIKA-CHAN. AS EXPECTED
FROM MY DAUGHTER!

AND YES, JUST LIKE
LAST TIME, JUST MAKE
HIM SAY "YES" EASY,
RIGHT?

WELL, PREPARE
YOURSELF THEN, I'LL
TELL RAKU-KUN THAT
YOU'LL BE COMING
TOMORROW!

TO BE CONTINUED...