

FRANKIE DANIELS AUDITION

Frankie is awkward. An alternative soul who rarely has the confidence to speak to a girl, and when Frankie does, it's a lot of nervous babble. And the girl Frankie likes is Marnie. However, she doesn't really notice Frankie as anything but a nuisance, and her friends are outright mean. Despite Frankie best efforts, they bully horribly.

SCENE 1

The scene is when Frankie finally thinks there's has a chance, as they got on to the online game they were playing... but it is all utterly horrible, and Frankie ends up in a screaming rage.

INT. FRANKIE'S ROOM - NIGHT

Frankie clicks on the icon for 'JOIN GAME', looking so happy to finally being able to get into the game, babbling on the headset.

FRANKIE

Dad is ex army, says it's not very realistic, but I'd love to play the game with you guys!

WILL (OS) Play with us, or just Marnie?

Although embarrassed, Frankie tries hard to be agreeable.

FRANKIE

It uses real locations, I've even been to the actual abandoned psych hospital the asylum level is based on. And it's so cool that you can scan your face in for your avatar -

Frankie's character is chained to the floor, and quickly the others surround him, weapons out.

SAM If I had a face like yours I wouldn't want to see it on screen. In fact, I'd probably kill myself to save everyone else having to look at it.

Frankie's smile fades as abuse rains in.



BEC (OS) Pathetic loser.

SAM (OS) Waste of oxygen.

NASH (OS) You are not wanted here.

BEC (OS) Go kill yourself.

NASH (OS) Get out of our game, fuck you're useless.

SAM (OS) You missed all the fun Marnie... your boyfriend came in to say hi.

MARNIE (OS) He's not my boyfriend. Kill him for me will you?

Sam obliges, brutally slashing Frankie's avatar's throat.

SAM I'm so uploading this to youtube, they'll love it.

Anger builds as Frankie realises what they are doing.

FRANKIE

You know what, fuck you all, you are gonna regret this. I don't want to be you bloody boyfriend anyway...

The video goes live, and it quickly gets many views, reposts and likes, people making the cruellest comments. Frankie's anger fades into utter misery, tears of pain roll down Frankie's cheeks, this is utterly horrible.