







I GUESS
WE'RE IN THE SAME
CLASS.



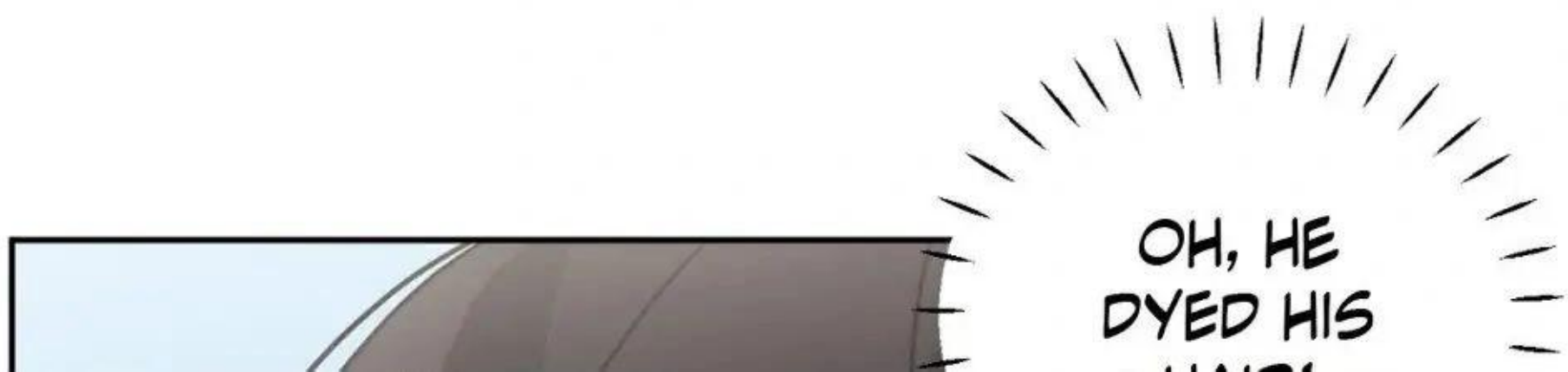
RATTLE

I FEEL
LIKE HE'S GOTTEN
EVEN COOLER THAN
THE LAST TIME I
SAW HIM.











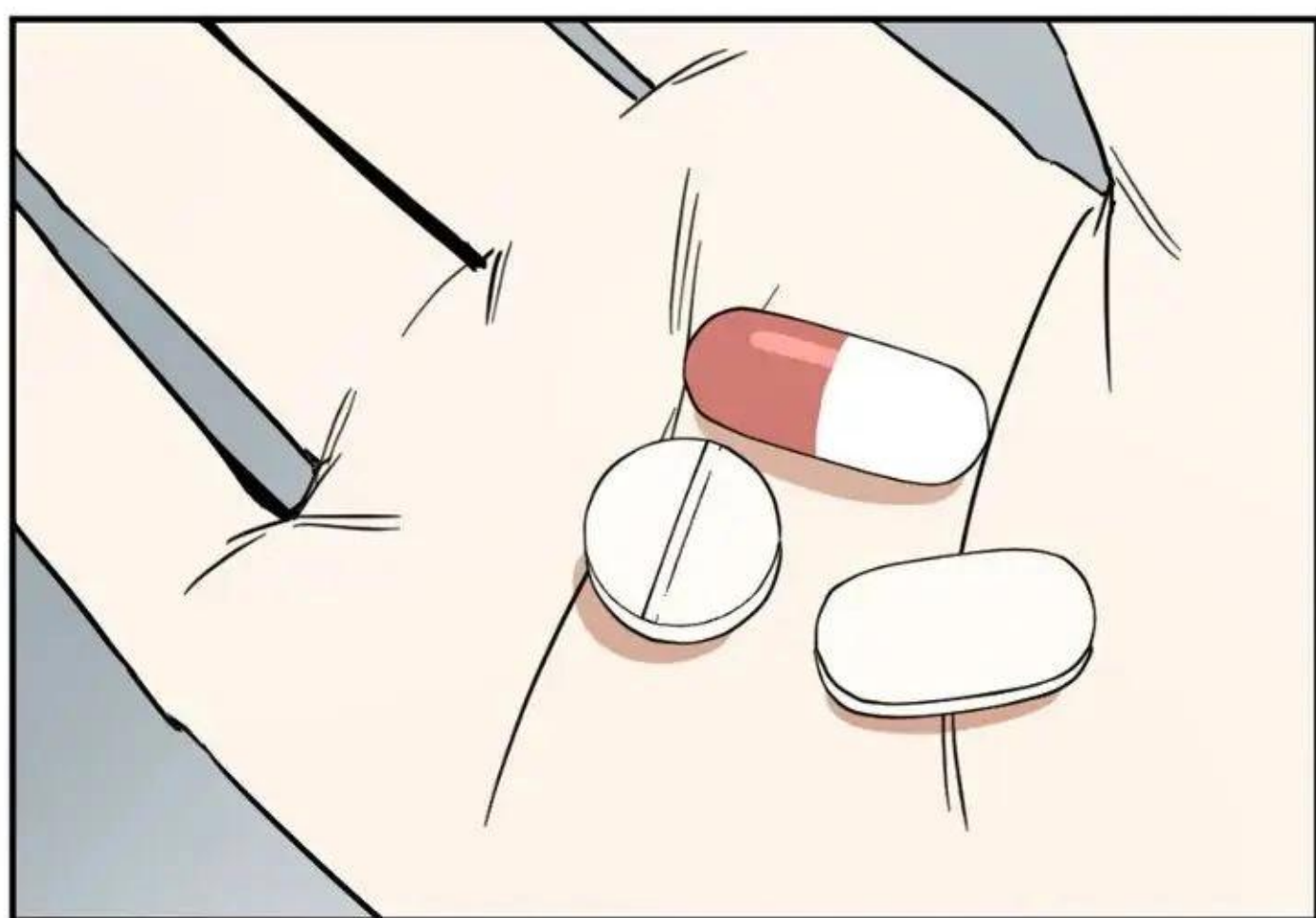
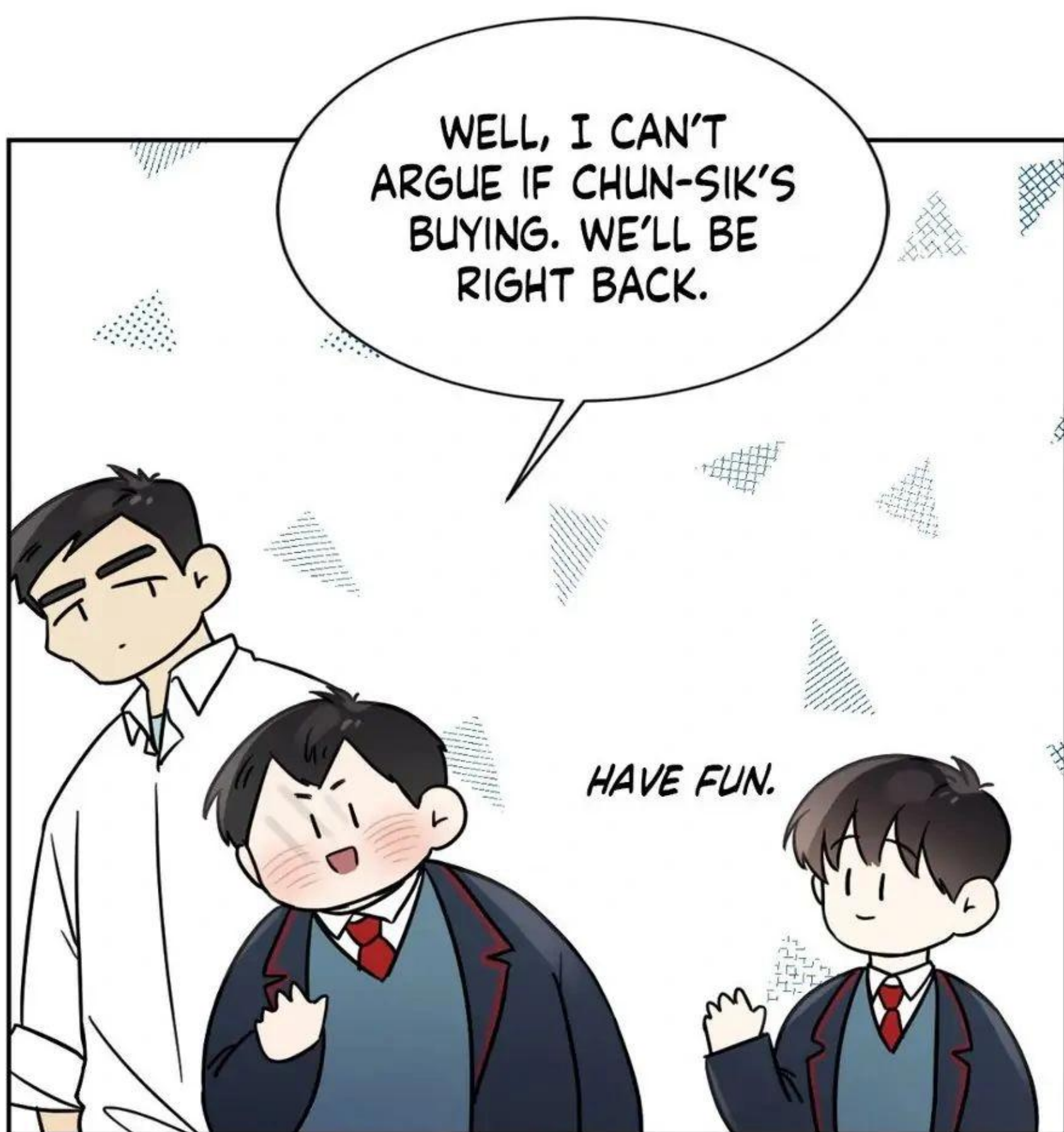
I'LL GO TOO.
LET'S HIT UP THE
SNACK BAR ON THE
WAY BACK. YOU SURE
YOU DON'T WANT
TO COME?

SPRING

A close-up of a young man with dark, slightly messy hair and a white button-down shirt over a light blue t-shirt. He has a surprised expression with wide eyes and a slightly open mouth. The background is a simple indoor setting with a light-colored wall and a wooden cabinet.

NAH,
YOU GUYS
CAN GO.







GULP

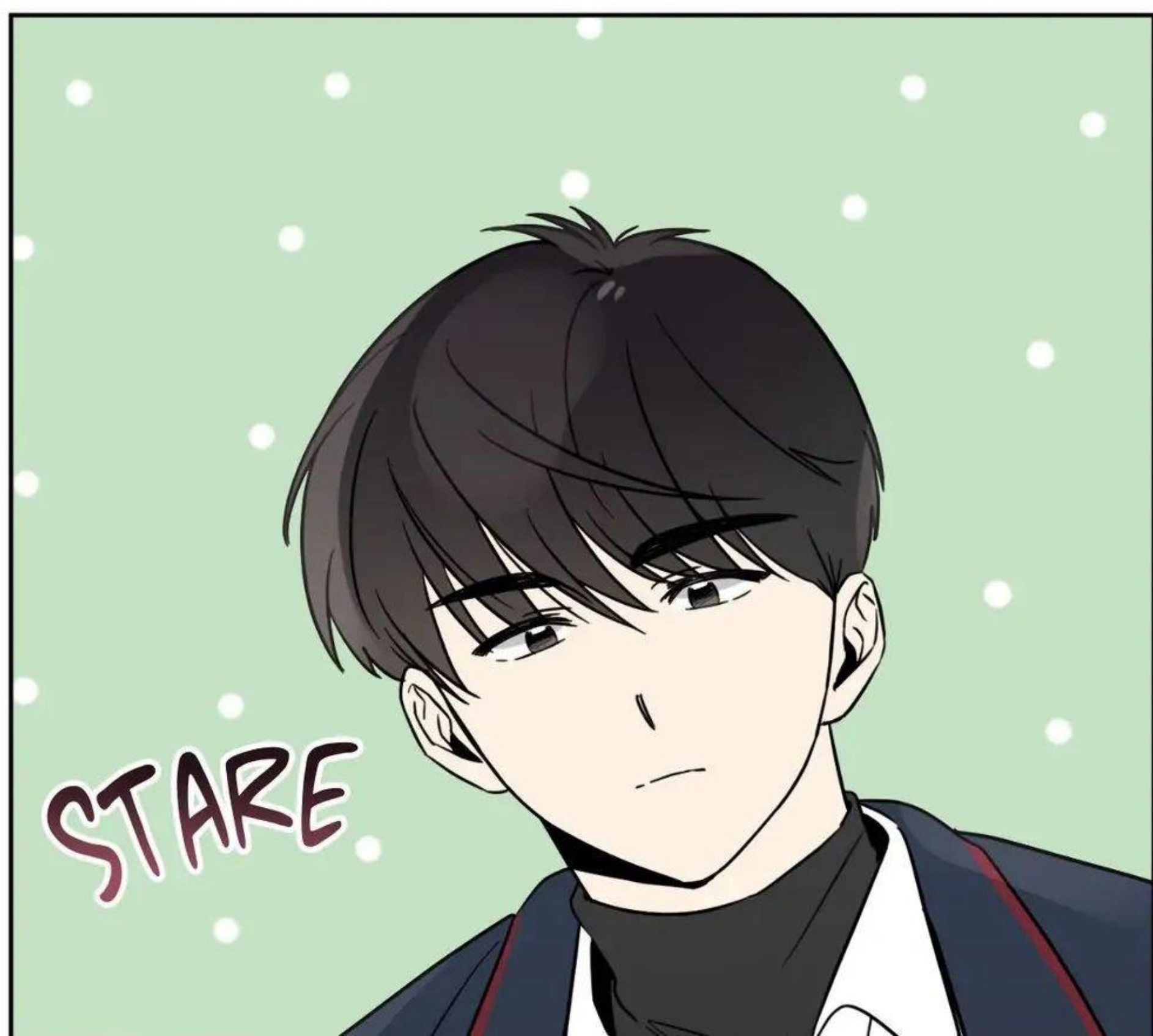


TAP

IT'S
NICE BEING IN
THE SAME CLASS,
RIGHT?









DID
YOU LOSE
WEIGHT?



OH, A
LITTLE... I FEEL
LIKE YOU LOST
WEIGHT TOO.

FIDGET



DID YOU DYE
YOUR HAIR? I FEEL
LIKE YOU'RE EVEN
COOLER NOW.



GASP

OH NO,
WHY DID I SAY
THAT? — — 〰



I DYED
MY HAIR BECAUSE
I WANTED TO LOOK
COOL. I GUESS IT
WORKED.



YOU'VE
GOTTEN EVEN CUTER
SINCE THE LAST TIME
I SAW YOU.





WHAT?

AND
THAT FACE YOU
MAKE WHEN YOU'RE
EMBARRASSED IS AS
CUTE AS EVER
TOO.



HAHA



W-WELL...

CUTE?
D-DON'T SAY
WEIRD THINGS
LIKE-

I'VE
THOUGHT OF
YOU ALL WINTER
BREAK.

PAUSE



YOU KNOW,
EUN-JAE.

DON'T
BE AFRAID TO BE
AROUND ME. DON'T RUN
AWAY FROM ME. DON'T
AVOID ME. YOU CAN
LEAN ON ME.

I'VE
ALWAYS LIKED
PROTECTING
PEOPLE, YOU
KNOW.



I WONDER WHY I FELT THAT
LAST BIT WAS AN EXCUSE.

I'M SURE IT WAS NOISY

IN THE CLASSROOM...

...BUT IT FELT QUIET AROUND US,
AS IF THERE WAS A TRANSPARENT WALL
BLOCKING ME AND JIN-HYEON FROM
THE REST OF THE CLASS.





IF YOU WANT,
I'LL FORGET
THAT IT EVER
HAPPENED.



TO BE REALLY
HONEST, I DON'T EVEN
KNOW WHAT YOU DID THAT
WOULD COUNT AS A
MISTAKE.



AND I'D KNOW
CAUSE MY MEMORY'S
BETTER THAN YOURS.





HAHA

COME ON!

TEMPTING
OFFER, ISN'T
IT?





IT'S
FUNNY HOW
OBSESSED I AM
ABOUT YOU.

IT'S
ALL CAUSE OF
YOUR BEAUTIFUL
SMILE.











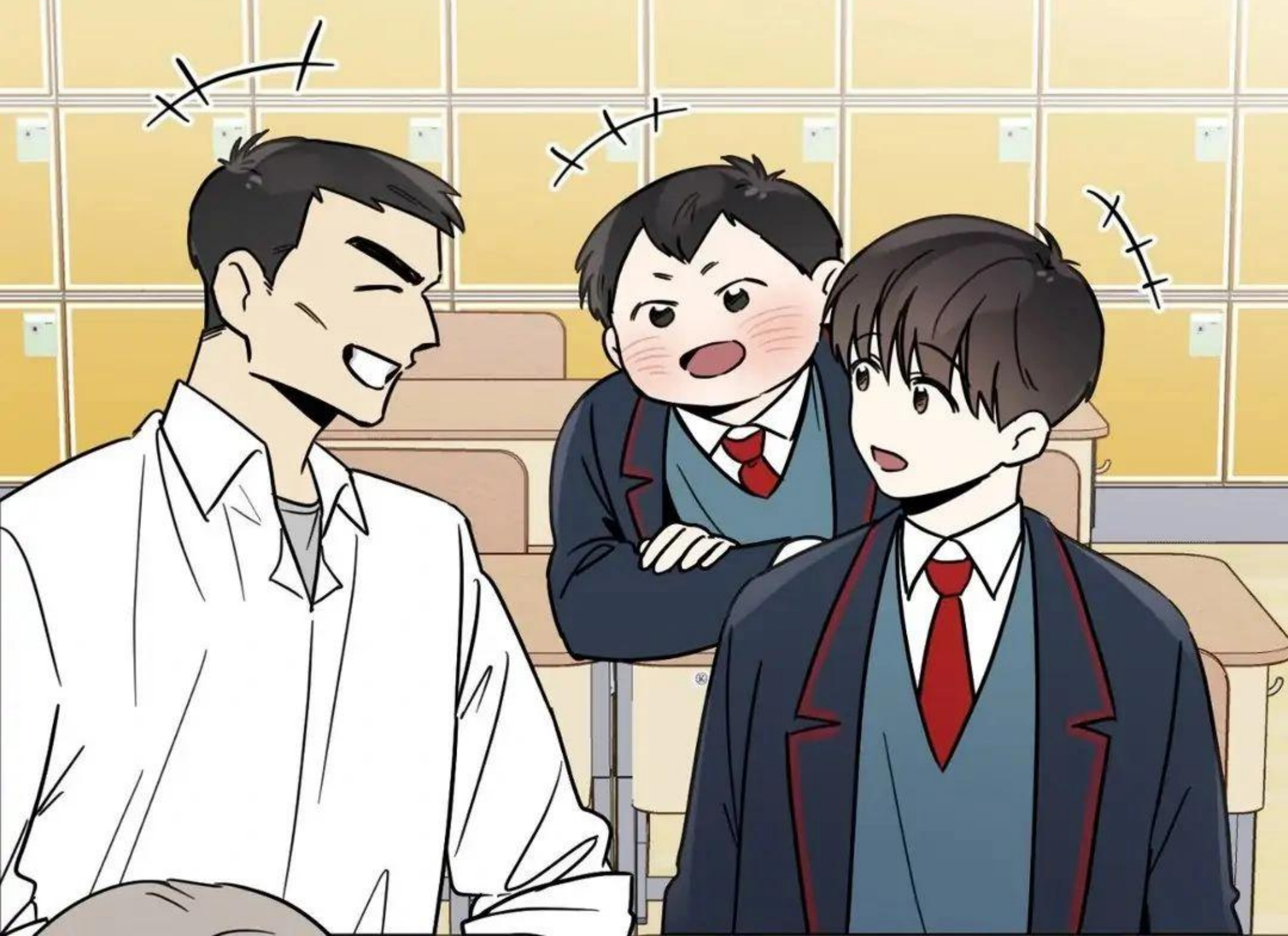
NO
TAKE BACKS,
OKAY?



Heartthrob

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AS EXPECTED,
OUR SEATS WERE
REARRANGED BY THE
END OF THE DAY.



CHUN-SIK
ENDED UP AS
MY DESK PARTNER,
WHILE SEUNG WAS
RIGHT BEHIND ME.

BUT JIN-HYEON'S
SEAT WAS RIGHT ACROSS
THE AISLE FROM ME. IT
TOOK SO MUCH EFFORT
NOT TO STARE AT HIM
DURING CLASS.



BUT JIN-HYEON
STARTED BEING EVEN
FRIENDLIER WITH ME ONCE

WE STARTED SITTING NEXT
TO EACH OTHER.

LET'S GO GET
SNACKS, EUN-JAE.





HOW ARE
YOU FEELING
TODAY?



I'M
FINE. IT'S STILL
COLD, BUT IT'S NOT
AS HARD SINCE IT'S
GOTTEN A LITTLE
WARMER.



SMILE

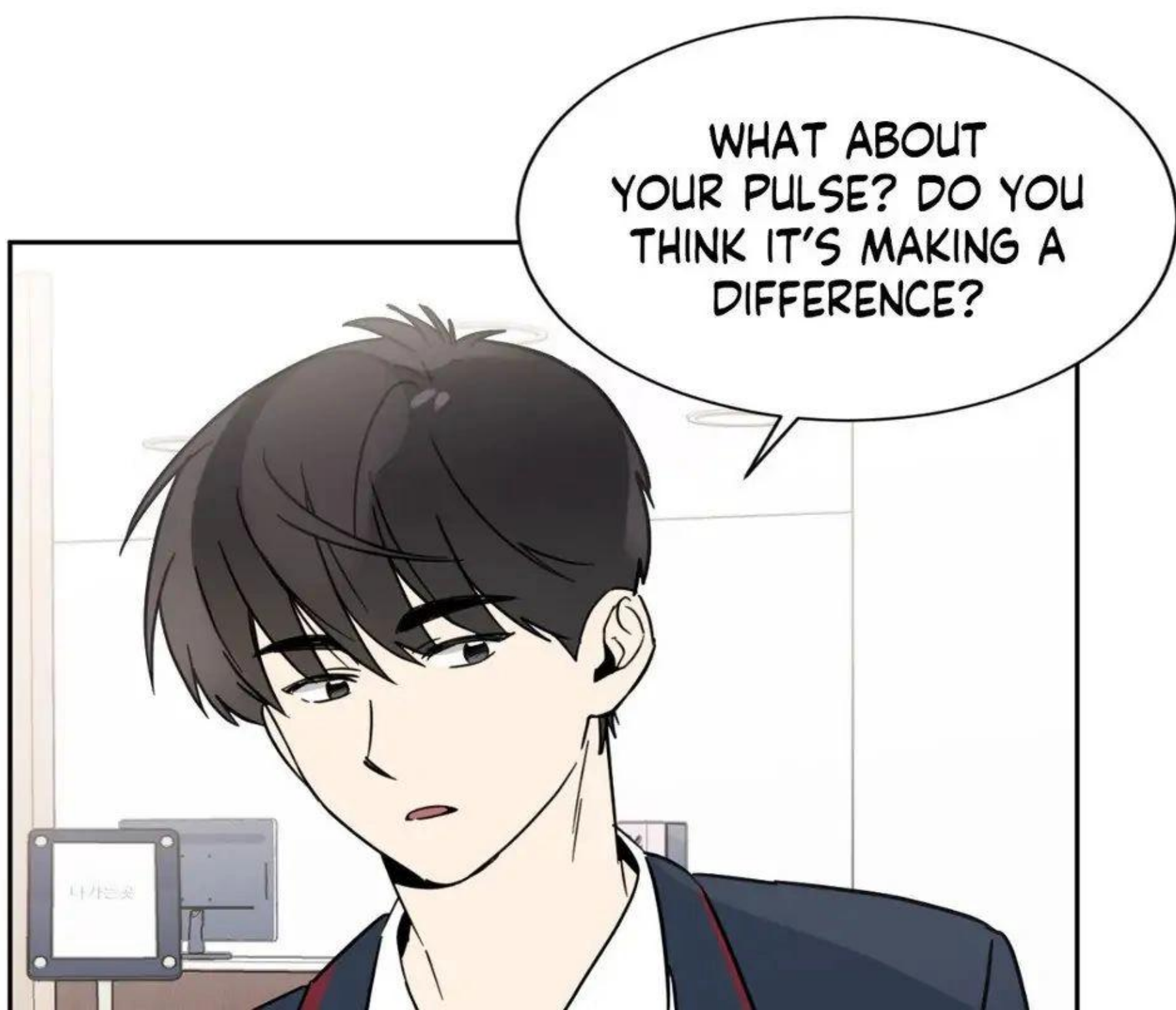
THAT'S
GOOD TO
HEAR.



ARE
YOU STILL
TAKING THOSE
MEDS?



YEAH.
APPARENTLY,
IT'S ONLY EFFECTIVE
IF I TAKE THEM
EVERY DAY.

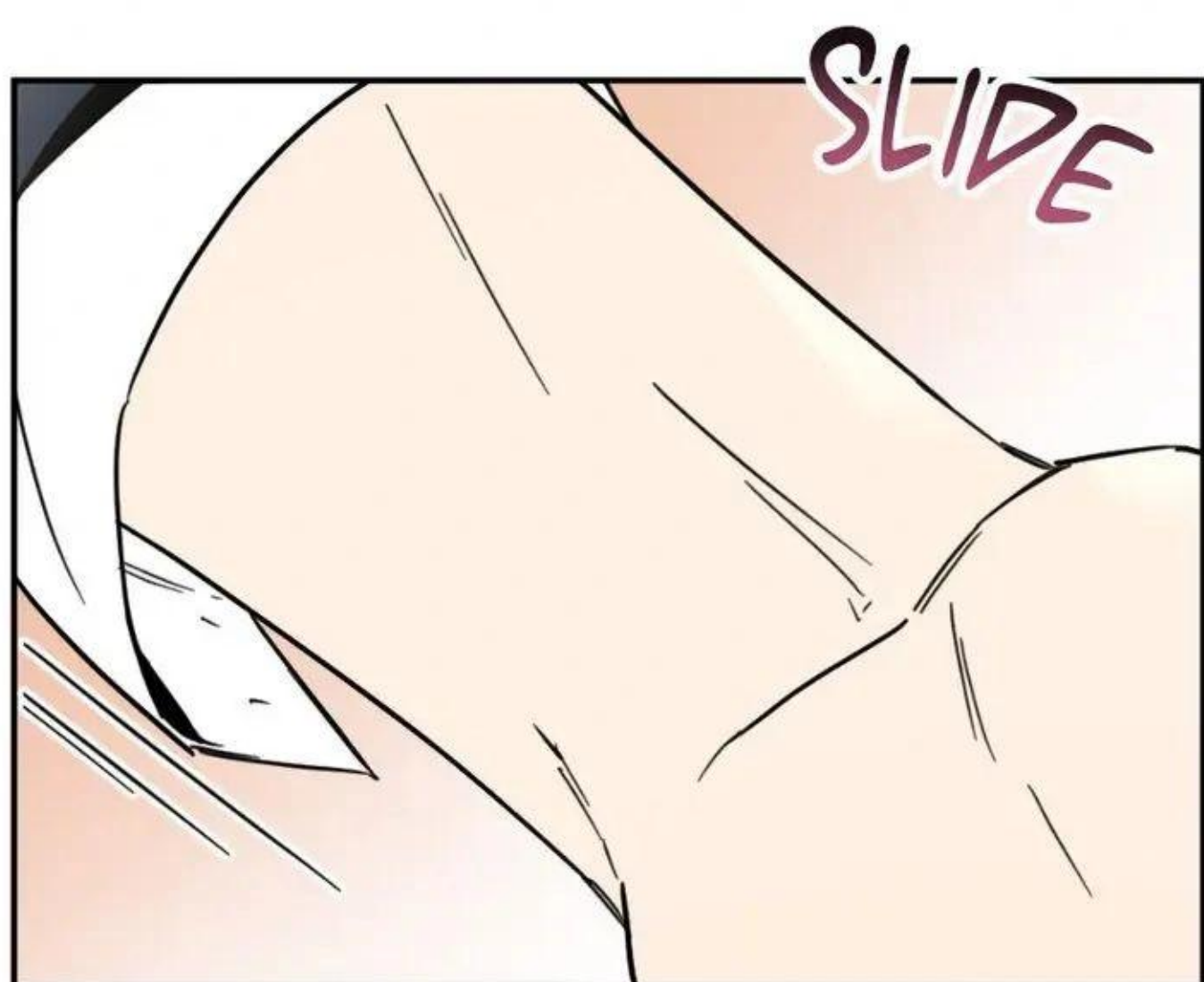


WHAT ABOUT
YOUR PULSE? DO YOU
THINK IT'S MAKING A
DIFFERENCE?



THE MEDS
DON'T REALLY AFFECT
MY PULSE, BUT I THINK
IT'S GETTING A LOT
BETTER.

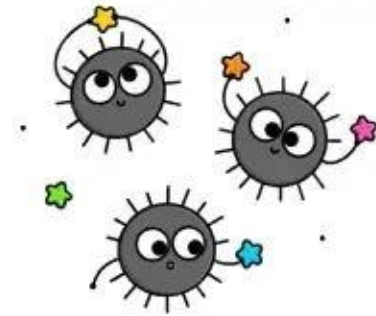




**CHECK
MY PULSE
TOO.**



To be continued...



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