PRINCIPAL CHLOE SIDE 2

HAROLD'S DAD
What about the folders?

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
Folders...?

HAROLD'S DAD
You said on the phone I could pick up some of his folders With his work in them?
Or folders with teacher’s notes in them?

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
I don’t think I have those...

HAROLD'S DAD
Well shouldn’t you know where they are if you’re the principal?

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
I am the principal.

HAROLD'S DAD
Okay....

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
(re: the folders) I guess Teacher Suzy has them.

HAROLD'S DAD
She’s not here?

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
She’s at her cabin with her boyfriend

HAROLD'S DAD
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PRINCIPAL CHLOE
And it’s a new boyfriend too. Like he definitely hasn’t put in a cabin amount of time

HAROLD’S DAD ....

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
Not that I’m a prude.
Not that I wouldn’t take my boyfriend to a cabin.
Not that I have a cabin – or a boyfriend – but you get it.
If my boyfriend wanted to go to a cabin I’d take him to a cabin. But I don’t need a boyfriend.

HAROLD’S DAD
....

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
I’m sure you have a lot of questions.

HAROLD’S DAD
I actually don’t have a lot of questions

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
You don’t?

HAROLD’S DAD
No

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
He was very well-liked by everybody
His PowerPoints were the best in the class. He and Danny were always alternating who gave the best presentations.

HAROLD’S DAD
How do you know about his PowerPoints? You’re the principal

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
I keep an eye on my kids
HAROLD'S DAD ....

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
I’m sure you saw his PowerPoints. They were really good. He did all the little...the pictures...

HAROLD'S DAD
WordArts?

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
Animations.

HAROLD'S DAD
Animations.

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
I sat in on one class where he was doing a presentation on Zheng He and how he was a eunuch and then he did a little animation where the text spiraled onto the screen really big and it said, “A Eunuch Is A Man Who Has Been Castrated.” It was so great, because not everybody knows that. And there was a little picture of a cartoon man screaming, probably because he was in pain, because he was being castrated... (wiping eyes) It was so clear and helpful.

HAROLD'S DAD
I pretty much let him do his own work.

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
And he was always surrounded by friends. Tug. Danny. (off HAROLD'S DAD's lack of reaction) You must know Danny, they were glued at the hip!

HAROLD'S DAD
I know Danny.
Harold doesn’t like to have friends over.

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
And the talent show – he always blew everyone away!!! That Eye of the Tiger routine – I didn’t know yo-yo’s could move that fast but they did!!
I don’t know who the hell’s going to win this year, probably some poet or something. If we had known his yo-yoing was coming from such a dark place...
He was always smiling.

HAROLD’S DAD
No one’s always smiling

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
I’m always smiling

Beat.

HAROLD’S DAD
That’s nice.

PRINCIPAL CHLOE
Really?

HAROLD’S DAD
Yeah. It’s nice.