

REGINA

Gretchen! Why did you invite Cady? We don't have to take her everywhere you know.

GRETCHEN

I didn't!

REGINA

And honestly you shouldn't want her around 'cause she's kind of "cute" in the same way you are only fresher.

GRETCHEN

Thank you for your feedback.

(decides to spill beans)

But she came by herself 'cause she's obsessed with this guy from her math class—

START *(Other side of the party. AARON finds CADY.)*

AARON

Hey! You made it! I like your costume. It's different from everybody else.

CADY

I didn't know I was supposed to look— ugh, I'm such a weird foreign loser!

AARON

No, everyone feels like that when they're the new kid. I only moved here like two years ago. Well, that's not really true. I didn't actually move here. My mom lies about our address so that I can be in the North Shore school district. Please don't tell anyone that!

CADY

No! Of course!

AARON

How'd you do on that pop quiz today? 'Cause I got an eighty-five.

CADY

I got a hundred—

(CADY wonders if she should tell the truth.)

—things wrong. I think I need extra help.

AARON

I could tutor you if you ever want—

CADY

(sincere)

Thank you, that would be great.

AARON

END Okay then, it's a deal. Let me get you a drink. Wait right here.