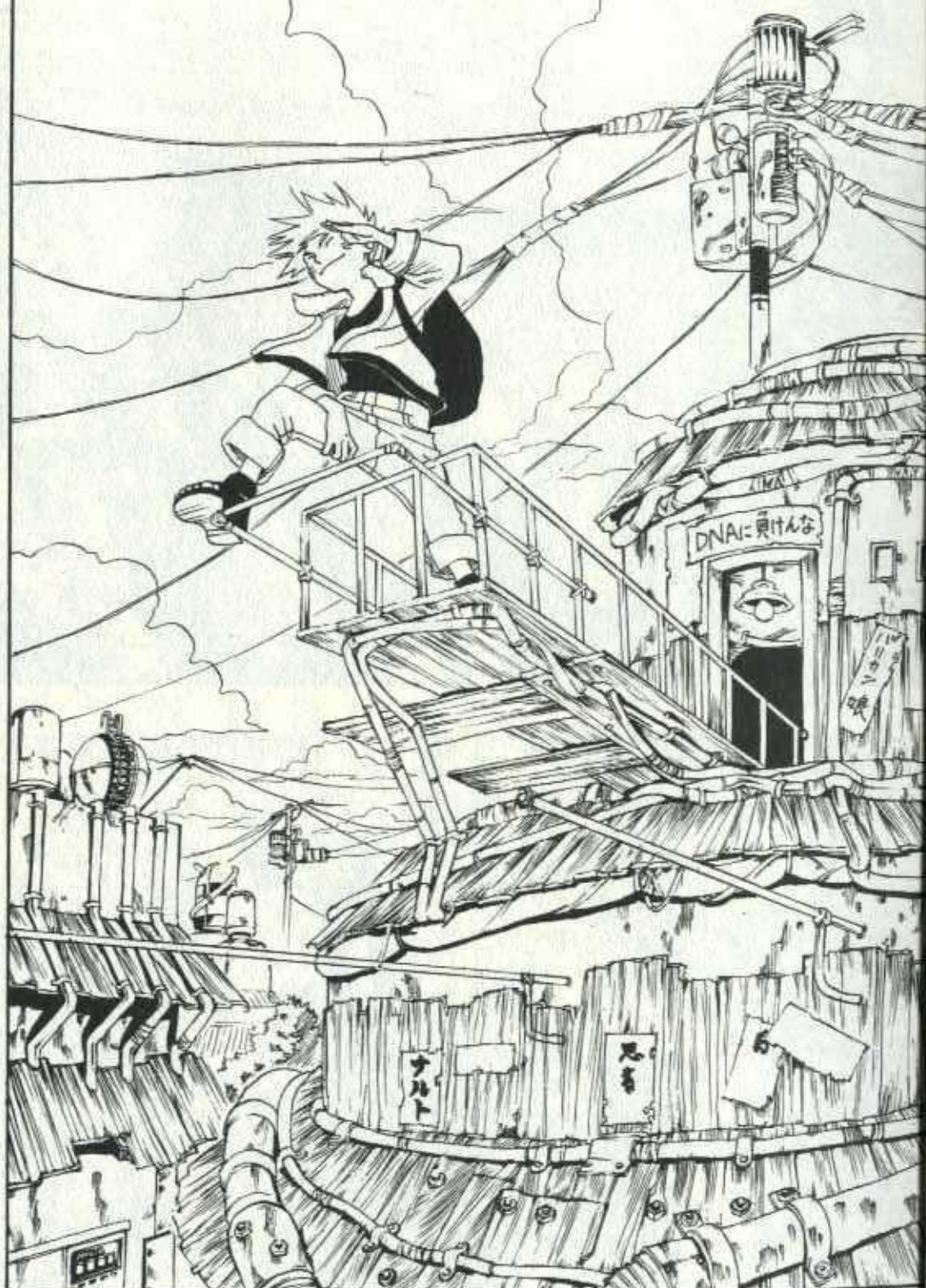
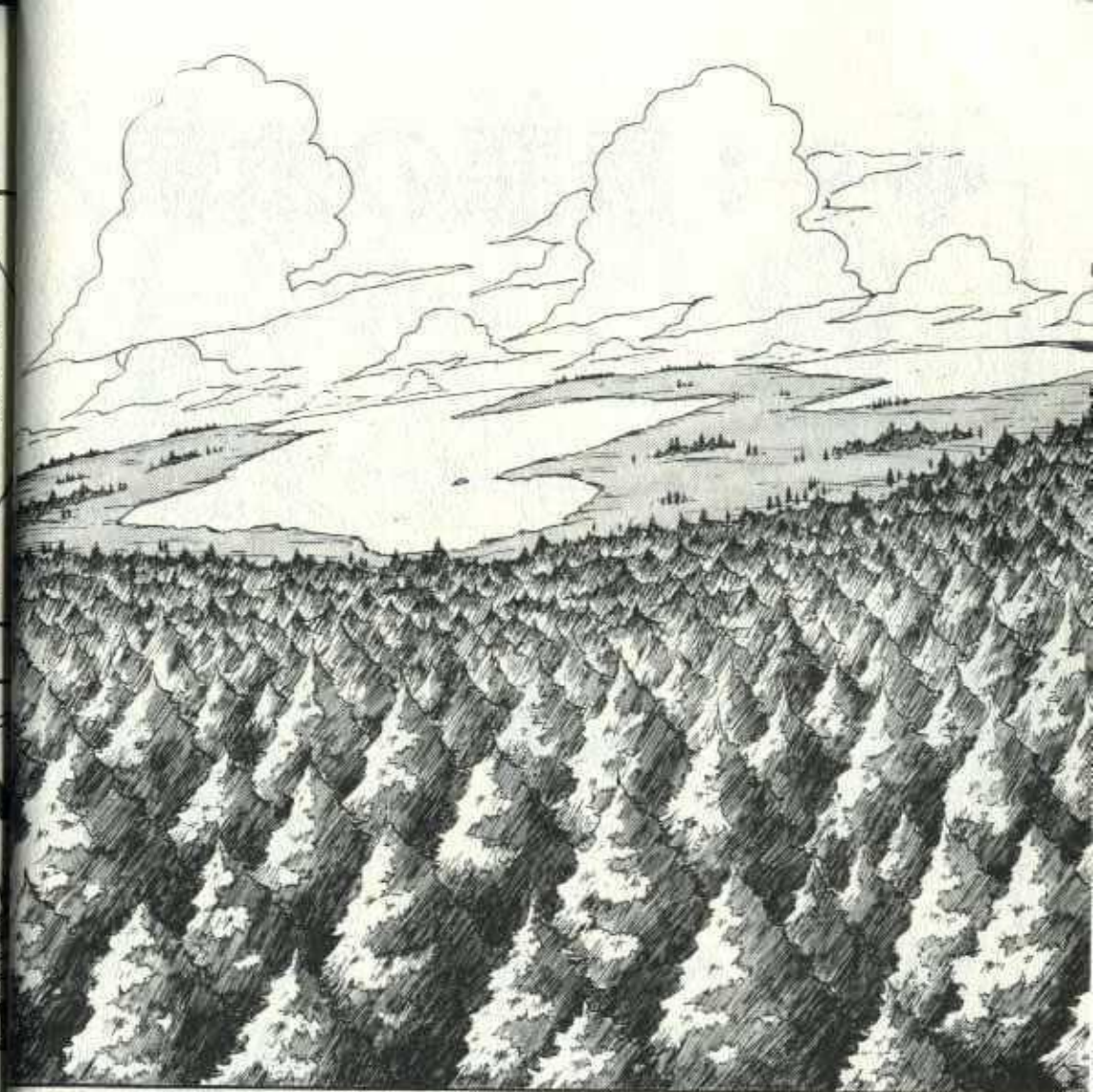




The Worst Possible Client





Got'
cha!!

nyaaa!!

Com-
plete!

Good,
Lost Pet
"Tora"
Search
Mission...

Yeah,
we're
sure.

Ribbon on
the left ear...
Are you sure
this is the
target, Tora?

aww!!
ouch!!

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!!

Fire Country
Lord's Wife
Madam Shijimi
& Tora.



No wonder
it ran away.

Gyahahall!
In your face,
you stupid cat.

Ohh, my
cute little
Tora-chan.
I was so
worried.

Hmmm....
Babysitting an elder's
grandson, shopping in
the neighboring village,
and help with the
potato digging.



Now...
Kakashi's
Team #7,
your next
duty is...



I agree...



Geez...
How
annoy
-ing...



Sigh... I
thought it
was about
time for
this..

I want
to do,
you know,
a more
incredible
mission!!!
Find us
a better
one!!



NO!!!
NO!!!
NO!!!
No,
thank
you!!!

But!! But!!
We keep getting
the crappiest
possible duties!!!



Everyone starts
off with the
simple duties
and works their
way up!!!



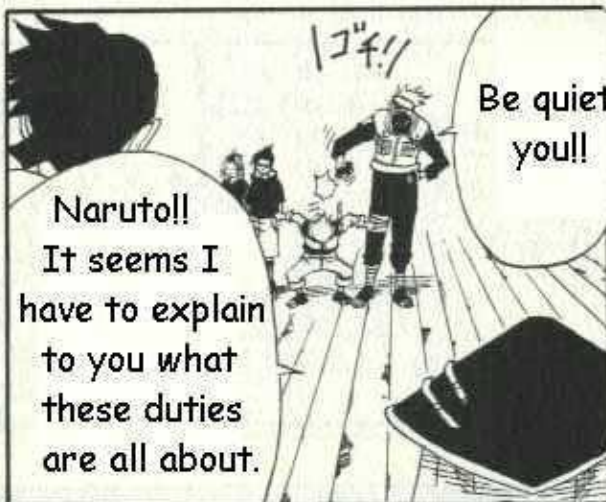
You idiot!!
You are
just a
rookie!!!

Listen, everyday
the village
receives numerous
requests, from
babysitting...

..to
assass-
ination.

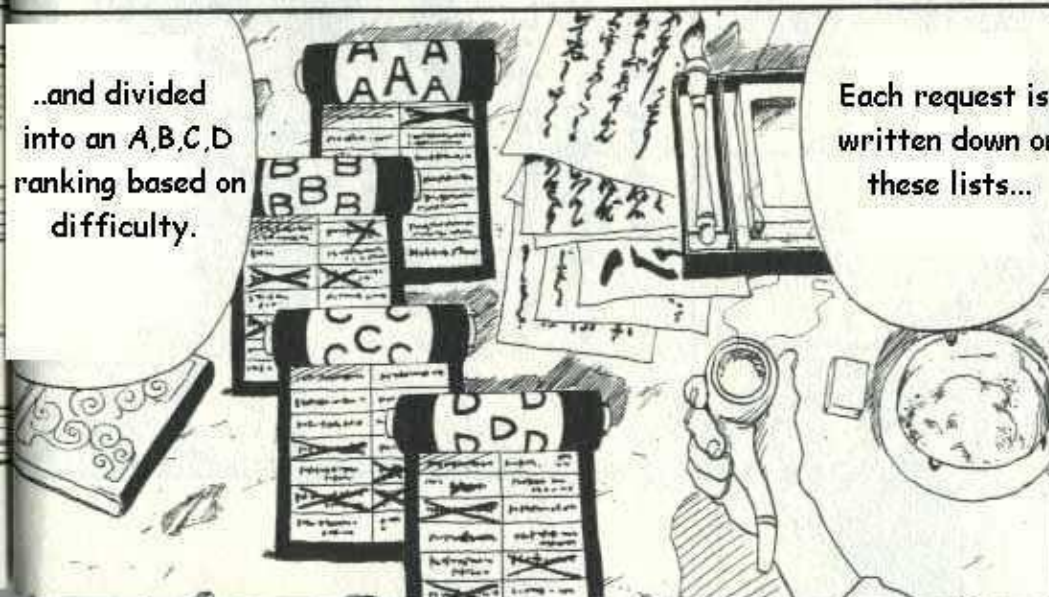


Naruto!!
It seems I
have to explain
to you what
these duties
are all about.

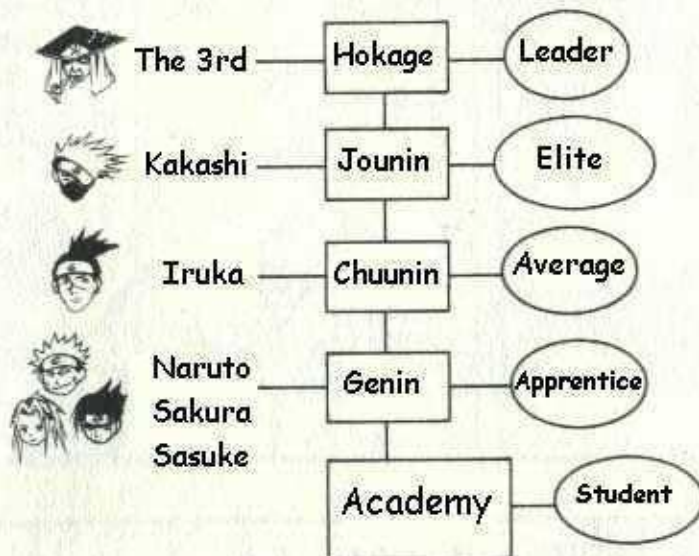


Be quiet
you!!

..and divided
into an A,B,C,D
ranking based on
difficulty.



Each request is
written down on
these lists...



The village is also divided based on skill. Starting with me to the Jou, Chuu, and Ge-nins.

Jou, Chuu, Ge-nin-Upper, Middle, Lower Ninja

..handed out by us at the top to ninjas based on their abilities.

Duties

エー ビー シー ディー
A · B · C · D

Jou-
nin

Chuu-
nin

Ge-
nin

The missions are then..

..we receive payment from the client.

..and, if the duty is completed successfully...

Hey!!!
Listen!!

Last night
I had pork
ramen, so
miso sounds
good for..

D-rank
missions
are
perfect
for you.

You guys
just recently
became Genin.

the
trouble-
making
brat you
still think
I am!!!

But you
know
what?!!
I'm not..

Geez!!

All you
do is give
lectures
like that.

I... I
apolo-
gize..

sigh..
I'm going
to get
yelled at
later for
this..



If you
want it
that much..

Huh?

OK



It's a
protection
mission of
a certain
individual.

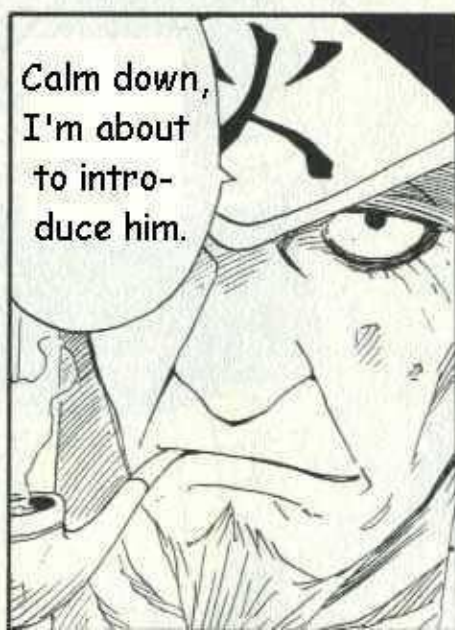
I'll give
you a
C-rank
mission.

Hehe, he use to
only be able to
express himself
through pranks.

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Hey, will
you come
in here?




Calm down,
I'm about
to intro-
duce him.



Who?! Who?!
A Fuedal
Lord?!
A Princess?!!




They're
all a
bunch of
super
brats.



What's
this?

ガラ



The shortest one
with the super
stupid-looking face.
Are you really a
Ninja? Hey?!!

Especially..

Hah!! Who's the
shortest one with
the stupid face...



What's the point
of killing the person
we're suppose to
protect? Idiot!



I'll kill
you!!!!



I expect you to
provide me super
protection until
I get back to my
country and
complete the
bridge.



I am the
super expert
bridge builder
Tazuna.



What
are you
so excited
about?

Let's
go!!!

Hehe...
Well, I am
a Jounin,
don't worry.

..... Hey!!
Am I really
going to be
safe with
this brat?

Cause... I've
never left the
village before.

I'm
incred-
ible!!

Hey,
old man!!!
Don't
mess with
ninjas!!

Damn it!! This geezer is
the worst possible client.
I should give him a shot
to the face!!

発

人だな!

いだきや

My name
is Izumaki
Naruto!!!
Remember
it!!

One day
I will take
on the
super elite
ninja title
Hokage!!!

I am prepared to do anything
to become Hokage!! Once I
become Hokage you will
acknowledge me!!!!

Shut
up!!!

I doubt
someone like
you could
become it...

Hokage
is the
village's
#1 ninja,
right?

Even if you
did become
Hokage.

No I
won't,
you brat..



I said
stop,
moron.

I'll
kill
you!!!!

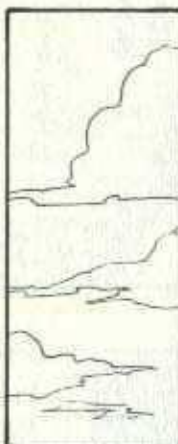


You're
from the
Wave
country,
right?

What?

Umm..
Tazuna-
san?

What
about
it?



..the
culture and
customs may
be different,
but hidden
villages exist,
and so do
ninjas.

No, not in
the Wave
country.

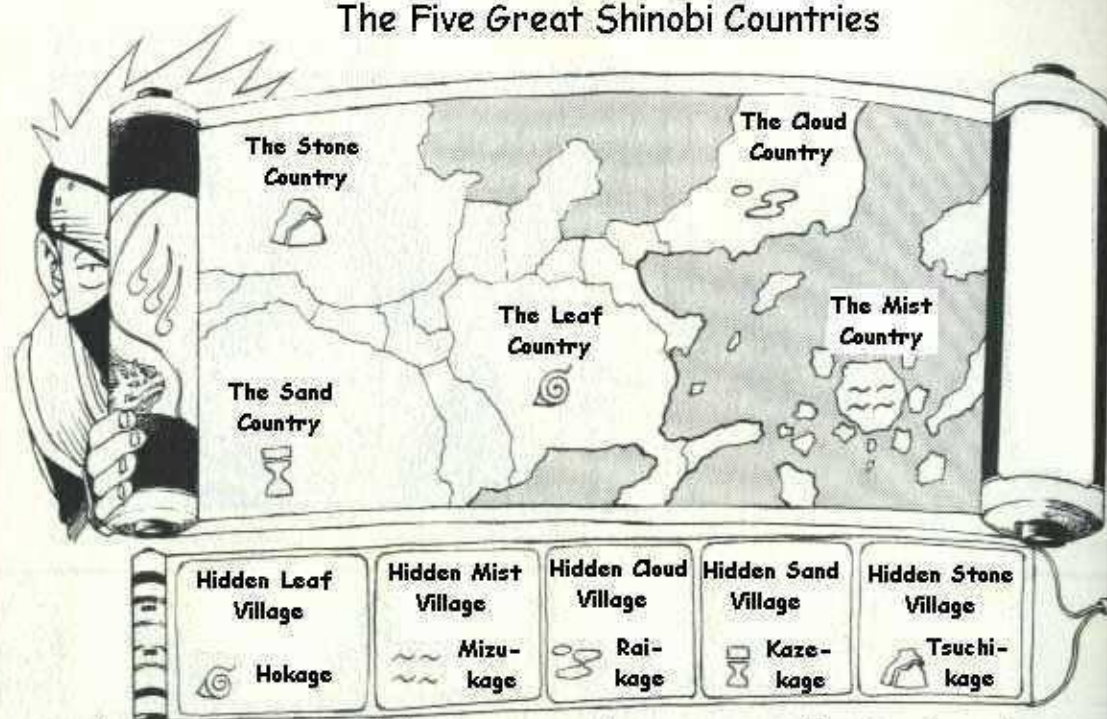
But... In
most other
countries..



Do they have
ninjas in that
country too?

Umm..
Kakashi
sensei?

Kakashi Sensei's Nin Nin Ninja Food for Thought: The Five Great Shinobi Countries



To the many countries of the continent, the existence of a Shinobi Village means military power. This is how they hold and maintain advantages over each other. But, it's not that the Villages rule the countries, they merely stand equally with the country's government. A small island country like the Wave country doesn't receive much interference from the larger countries and may not need a Shinobi Village. Within the many Shinobi Villages, Leaf, Mist, Cloud, Sand and Stone are large and powerful and thus are referred to as The Great Five Shinobi Countries. And, these are the only countries whose leader receives the name "Kage."

Hokage-Fire Shadow, Mizukage-Water Shadow, Raikage-Lightning Shadow,
Kazekage-Wind Shadow, Tsuchikage-Earth Shadow

The "Five Kages", Hokage, Mizukage, Raikage, Kazekage, and Tsuchikage, they reign over the thousands of ninjas in the world.

その火影・水影・雷影・風影・土影の
いわゆる五影は
全世界 各国 何万の忍者の





You guys just doubted
Hakage-sama,
didn't you?



Wow!!
Hokage-
sama is
the best!!

That lame geezer
is that incredible?
Sounds fishy....

Inner
Sakura



Then, we won't
come in contact
with foreign
ninjas?

But don't worry,
there won't
be any ninja
combat in a
C-Rank mission.

Of course
not!!!
Hahahaha!!





