

Disconnected Script

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1 Day Zero

1.1 Funeral Home

“Moving here was supposed to be a change of pace for my family. However, I never anticipated that it would mean this ...

I wanted to thank all of you for being here. Most of you don't know Duncan, but I am sure he would have appreciated it” - Anna

1.2 Henry's Bedroom

“Hey Bud, how are you doing?” - Anna

“...” - Henry

“Yeah, me too. I miss them.” - Anna says with some pause between each word spoken

“Well ... try to get some sleep tonight alright? You have to get back to school tomorrow” - Anna

“Love you kiddo” - Anna

2 Day One

2.1 Henry's Bedroom

The player is now given control over Henry's movements. They are free to explore the tiny room and at some point they should make their way to the lobby of the home. Upon entering the lobby, he is greeted by his mother who is currently making some food in the kitchen.

“Hey, did you sleep well?” - Anna

“...” - Henry

“Well either way, I made you some lunch. Don't forget to take it” - Anna

“And try to have a good day today, okay? I know ... it's hard, but we'll get through this.” - Anna

2.2 City

After the player has a conversation with their mother, they are free to leave home and explore the world. They are expected to go to school, however given the open world nature of this area, they might encounter some non-linear elements in the world.

On this day, and this day alone, the city will be relatively busy. There will be people walking around, going into and out of buildings and school children playing and walking to school.

2.3 School

Upon entering the school, there will be no children in the halls. It'll seem empty at first glance. Henry will walk down the hallway and enter his classroom which is literally at the end of the hall. He would have ran partially late, a school bell ringing just before he had even entered the building.

The teacher, ignorant or indifferent about Henry's predicament, will make a snide comment to him.

"Why are you late?" - Substitute

"..." - Henry

"Nevermind, I don't care. Just, go find a seat immediately." - Substitute

"Now, everyone please open up your notebooks and take out a pencil..."
- Substitute

The screen will fade to black and after a few moments it'll fade back in. The class is over and the player is free to explore the school a little bit. The classroom is small and is similar to your typical American film depiction. The hallway outside of the classroom is filled with students. Each student facing inwards, and covering both walls. They don't move and they don't make a noise. Your only option as Henry is to guide him to the end of the hallway, towards the entrance you came through.

Once you arrive close to the entrance, a school boy walks up behind you and punches you in the back of the head, triggering an event where you attempt to run away from your attacker.

2.4 City After School

If you were successful in running away or fending off your attacker, you'll be able to explore the city. It'll be empty but it will still be daytime. You'll hear wind blowing, but it may as well be inaudible.

From here you are able to explore the town a little bit further. Some parts of the forest possibly opened up, revealing a new path. Possibly a ceremony area where people are conducting a ritual. You of course won't witness it, but you'll be able to see some remnants of it.

You'll be expected to walk home. Nothing else will happen until then.

2.5 Home

If you were successful in running away or fending off your attacker, your character will not have scratches or bruises. Something Henry's mother would surely notice when you get home. It will also remain daytime.

"Hey! Did you have a good day at school?" - Anna

"It... was okay." - Henry

"Well that's good to hear." - Anna

"I had a fairly weird day myself. I went to the grocery store to get some food and after I was done, I didn't see a single soul." - Anna

"It's like everyone decided to go home all of a sudden." - Anna

Alternatively, if you are unsuccessful in running away or fending off your attacker, Henry will have scratches and bruises on his person and it'll be night time. Henry's mother will immediately notice and ask what happened.

"Hey! Where have you... Honey what happened to your face?!" - Anna

"..." - Henry

"Henry, tell me what happened." - Anna

"I'm fine okay!" - Henry

“...” - Anna

“Well, go get cleaned up. And we are not done here mister.” - Anna

3 Day Two

4 Day Three