Day 1 work: Screenplay

Five coworkers (Jenson, Manasa , Michael , Saranya , Rishi) have gathered in the pantry and are engaging in a casual conversation.

Jenson:

(grinning)

You know, I heard someone say "aluminum" in the strangest way the other day.

Manasa:

(curious)

Really? How could you even pronounce "aluminum" weirdly?

Michael:

We want to hear this strange pronunciation. Simply imitate.

(Jenson mimics the strange pronunciation.)

Jenson:

(emphasizing the "u")

Alumiiiinum.

(Everyone laughs out loud.)

Saranya:

(smirking)

That's not weird; that's just elongated. Not everyone has the same accent.

Rishi:

(sarcastically)

Yeah… Yeah... Some people even pronounce Jenson as Jensaan, right?

(The debate erupts into laughter in the break area...)

Manasa:

(leaning in)

So, how do you all pronounce it?

Michael:

(casually)

I usually say it like "uh-loo-min-um."

Saranya:

(mockingly)

Uh-loo-min-um? That sounds like a robot’s accent.

(As the debate progresses, the break area is filled with laughter, with everyone imitating the pronounciation.)

Michael:

(smirking)

So, how do you pronounce it, Saranya?

Saranya:

(clears throat)

ah-lu-mi-num

Jenson:

(interrupting with a smile)

Okay, let's resolve this debate. A poll: extended or regular?

Hands are raised for "elongated" or "regular," with "elongated" receiving two votes and "regular" receiving three.

Rishi:

(laughing)

Looks like the "aluminum" debate has concluded.

With one last chuckle, they head back to their jobs and depart the break room, leaving the dilemma of how to pronounce "aluminum" hanging over their heads.