

Syndicate Books

MC has a job at the local library opposite her college that just introduced a night shift system for late working students and staff.

They are backed up with their own assignments and are becoming sleep deprived, hallucinations are not new to them during deadline month. They are testy, tired and impatient trying to maintain their bursary level.

They take over counter medication for the hallucinations, however due to her busy schedule, they have been times they can't always recall whether they've taken it or not. If they can't remember, they'd prefer not to take it to avoid abuse.

They have a track record of not doing well in customer service jobs due to her attitude during hectic college times.

Day 1: Prologue

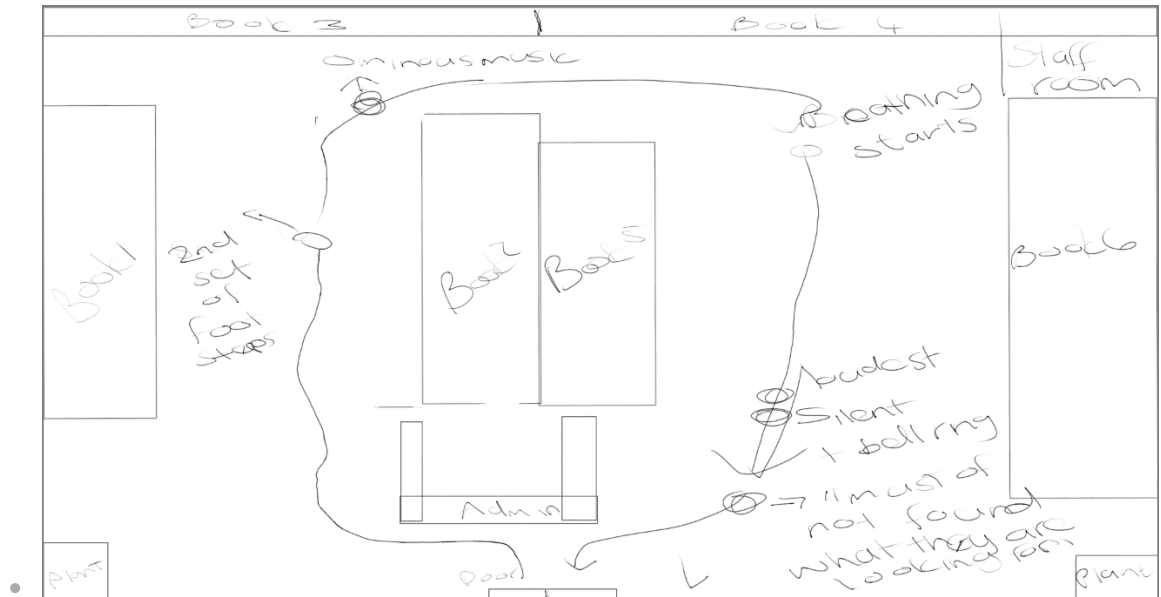
- Get Key in box
- Enter credentials for computer program - Name + Password
- Check list:
 - Check return box
 - Log returned books:
 - The Routledge Handbook of Philosophy of Empathy
 - Animal Farm
 - To Kill A Mockingbird
 - Python Programming: The Fundamental Beginner's Guide to Learning Python - Thomas Jackson
 - The Power of Your Subconscious Mind - Jason Murphy
 - Shelf returned books
 - Provided Dewey Decimal system
 - When your shift is done, make sure everyone is out and switch off all lights
 - Log out of computer
- Note a visitor in the children's section
 - Sympathy - Offer a beverage
 - Brew coffee
 - Give to visitor
 - Visitor is not their
 - You are annoyed
 - Put coffee somewhere
- Someone rings the bell to return a book

- Ask if they saw someone leave
- They did not
- Log book back in
- They go to the back to take out another book
- Coffee disappears - "Did throw it away"
- Do final return box check - 4 books:
 - The Song of Achilles
 - Children of the Lamb
 - Alice in Wonderland
 - Beyond Good and Evil
- Clock hits 6am and they go through closing
 - When your shift is done, make sure everyone is out and switch off all lights
 - Log out of computer
 - As they exit the doors - computer switches on through the glass and a silhouette is seen drinking coffee
 - They blink - everything is dark behind the lock doors - "Did I forget to take my meds again"
 - As they walk away from library - "Thank you, the coffee was good" - "Classes start at 12h00 - I'll get some hours in for the assignment, I can take a quick power nap on my way to college and while waiting for my shift to start after classes end."
 - Fades to black

Day 2

- "Okay, got an hour sleep in and assignment x is just about done - need to remember to take my meds" - flower blooms as she walks up to the library
- Goes through the opening checks:
 - The Power of Patience: How This Old-Fashioned Virtue Can Improve Your Life - M. J. Ryan
 - Never Get Angry Again - David J. Lieberman, Ph.D. - "Never Get Angry Again - huh! As if..."
- After they are done with the returned books, the screen will glitch and another book will appear on the counter:
 - The Brain's Hallucinations: Paranormal or Cognitive Glitch? - Karl-Peter Gehrman - "Huh- did someone come in while I wasn't looking?"
 - "Book was due... 50 years ago!?" - Hears a noise and looks down and sees foot prints - "What?"
 - Follows foot prints - "Was it raining outside?"
 - As they get past the first row - Double foot step audio starts playing
 - As they pass the second row - Heavy breathing starts playing

- Sound gets louder as and reaches a crescendo as character reaches the corner before they'd come in sight of the admin desk again - then silence - a ring - rounds corner and foot steps lead outside.
- "They must of not found the book they were looking for..."
- "..."
- "I should take my meds" - Click 'E' to takes meds



- Pack away returned books.
- NPC 1: "Hi, I'm looking for - What was it again?"
 - Options: 1 "Uh... sir, I'd rather you come back tomorrow if you can't remember"
 - NPC 1: *Sadly* "Uh - okay - sorry - my granddaughter always says I should stop going places by myself - a 'troublemaker', she calls me..."
 - Options 1.1: "Good. Evening. Sir."
 - NPC 1 leaves sadly: "Good day librarian and to the sir in the corner." Leaves library.
 - "What - " turns camera to a black figure in the corner.
 - Quick event - Click "E" to take meds
 - Success: Figure disappears - "Can hallucinations be contagious?"
 - Failure: Figure attacks and it's a **BAD END** - "Patience is a Virtue"
 - Option 1.2: "...granddaughter...? Maybe he has dementia?..." *Sign* "What kind of books do you like?"
 - NPC 1: "Oh! I wouldn't want to trouble you..."
 - "Not at all... Do you have a preferred genre?"
 - NPC 1: "You know, I've always enjoyed those story history books - those ones that are told like stories - not like those stupid learning books. Like -like..."
 - "Long Walk to Freedom?"
 - NPC 1: "Yes! It's like you read my mind!"

- "Mmm - we have 'The Boy in Stripe Pajamas'? - about a boy in a concentration camp during WWII - let me get it for you, sir."
- Check where "Documentaries will be stored".
- Go to the book shelf where the book is stored - Click 'E' to retrieve book.
- NPC 1: "Thank you, librarian - *they* must be happy to have someone like you here - much better than the *previous one*." - leaves.
- Mysterious female whisper: "Thank you..."
- "Is it time for me to take my meds again?"
- Option 2: "...he must not have a very good memory... Can you maybe describe the book for me, Sir?"
 - NPC 1: "Mmm... it's that one about that one place - the Tali...ban? ... called... Ma-? Mahala...?"
 - "'I am Malala', perhaps...?"
 - NPC 1: "That's probably ...the one..."
 - "Let me get it for you, sir - And if it's not, we can try, try and try again!"
 - NPC 1: *Chuckles*
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 - Sees a charm on the table - Click "E" to pick up: "May your light only be seen by the good"
 - "Weird, better hang on to it until the elderly man comes back..."

Day 3: TBC...