

1 INT. HIGH SCHOOL - DAY

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CLASSROOM

A room full of students. Half or fully asleep. The teacher's back turned to the students, droning on, scribbling some equation on the board.

A sneeze erupts and breaks the silence

TEACHER

Bless you. Now who's got the answer?

Blank stares. Everyone eyeing everyone else.

TEACHER CONT

Oh come on, now is not the time to be shy. Annabelle?

(then)

Tobias?

Then a few sneezes erupt. Then a cough.

TEACHER CONT

Make sure to wash your hands after lunch, something must be going around.

(then)

Well lets see what we have here

(he turns to the board)

4×6 , which is 24, then you add --

More coughing and sneezing, they start to take on the whole class

TEACHER CONT

-- you add the 6

A wave of coughs bounces off the walls. The coughs echo, then finally ring out to a crescendo.

He turns.

Every student is on the floor, squealing for air.

TEACHER CONT

My god --

He runs and opens the windows, then to prop open the door

HALLWAY

Frantically searching, he waves down someone in the hall. As he approaches them, the body hits the floor. They are gasping for air.

CLASSROOM

All the students are motionless. Then he sees a movement in the back of the room.

He approaches a student on the floor who is clawing at their throat. Beside him is a crumpled note.

The teacher unfolds the note which reads "he is drop dead boring"