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Chapter 791: Can't pass the exam, TMD so annoying

Upon returning to Mist City Arts and Science University.

Ding Yue started paying attention to the online reaction to the successful clinical application of 3D bioprinting technology.

Just as NTS reporter Wang Bingbing and Secretary Wen Ruohan had said.

The popularity and reputation of Mist City Arts and Science University had skyrocketed in the past two days, with its social influence steadily increasing.

At the same time.

Countless students who loved medicine but had not managed to gain admission into their preferred medical schools were deeply influenced by the successful application of 3D bioprinting technology, all wishing to attend the Medical College of Mist City Arts and Science University.

Many students had passed the College Entrance Examination for undergraduate programs, but failed to meet the score required for their ideal medical school.

Therefore, the Medical College of Mist City Arts and Science University was the best choice for them.

As the deadline for college application approached, Bai Liwei, the head of the Department of the Medical College, was being overwhelmed by phone calls.

All the calls were regarding various matters concerning the application to the Medical College of Mist City Arts and Science University.

This made Bai Liwei very happy.

Over the past year or two, the number of students at the Medical College of Mist City Arts and Science University had been limited.

Especially in the first academic year, the number of students was insufficient. It was only with Principal Ding's focus and support that the Medical College collaborated with the computer and mechanical departments to develop the medical robot named Big White.

The development of Big White had attracted a number of students interested in medicine to the University in the second academic year.

Based on the students' foundation in the second academic year, the 3D bioprinting technology was born this year.

If the Medical College could admit more students interested in medicine this year, even some who had passed the undergraduate line, the future development of the Medical College would undoubtedly prosper.

"Yes, yes, this is the office of the School of Medicine at Mist City Arts and Science University; I am the head of the department, Bai Liwei."

"Good, good, of course we welcome you. Our Medical College welcomes every student who has a passion for medicine."

"You're talking about tuition fees? Our Medical College's annual tuition is over 30,000, yes, over 30,000."

"Low-income students? Yes, yes, we are a private university, but we still have policies and support for low-income students, so don't worry."

Bai Liwei was inundated with phone calls.

"Xiao Chen, you handle the consultation calls, I need to report this year's enrollment situation to Principal Ding."

After instructing his assistant, Xiao Chen, Bai Liwei immediately headed for the Administration Building.

In the President's office in the Administration Building.

Ding Yue was discussing the wrap-up work of the new 5000-acre campus construction with Qi Chunsheng, the director of the Academic Affairs Office, Chen Ping, the head of the Department of Architecture, and his partner Huang Youjie, the director in charge of logistics.

"Principal Ding, many of the buildings have entered the acceptance phase. We are overseeing the acceptance process with the relevant departments in Mist City. According to the current situation of several accepted teaching buildings and dormitory buildings, there seem to be no major issues," explained Chen Ping.

"Good, the acceptance phase is the last line of defense for quality control. Director Chen, we must do our job well in this phase," Ding Yue cautioned Chen Ping.

Although the construction quality of Tianfu Construction Group is undoubtedly high, every protocol that needs to be strictly followed should still be adhered to.

If there is any non-compliance during the inspection, Tianfu Construction Group can be held responsible. But who would they turn to once the construction group has completed the work and left?

However, having said that.

Although the construction of the 5000-acre campus of Mist City Arts and Science University has essentially entered its final stage, there are still projects such as the construction of factories that will be carried out in cooperation with Tianfu Construction Group.

Since the initial expansion of the campus of Mist City Arts and Science University, it has maintained a good partnership with Tianfu Construction Group.

Most importantly, many students of Mist City Arts and Science University's Department of Architecture have learned a lot throughout the construction phase by Tianfu Construction Group at Mist City Arts and Science University campus.

Now, the students of the Department of Architecture not only have a solid understanding of theoretical textbook knowledge, but their practical skills have also been enriched.

Ding Yue had previously contemplated setting up a construction company, and now it seemed like the right time to start planning for it.

However, Ding Yue plans to wait until all the expansion projects are inspected and accepted before implementing this.

Moreover, he may have to discuss it with Tianfu Construction Group at that time.

Tianfu Construction Group is a well-established architecture group in the southwest region. If Ding Yue's Mist City Arts and Science University were to establish a construction company, they would inevitably have dealings with Tianfu Construction Group.

This is a dilemma for Ding Yue.

If Mist City Arts and Science University were to establish Feiyue Construction Company, wouldn't they become competitors with Tianfu Construction Group, standing on opposite sides?

Over the past two years, due to the increased volume of projects and collaborations, the relationship between Mist City Arts and Science University and Tianfu Construction Group has deepened.

"Principal Ding, once the acceptance work is completed, our Academic Affairs Office will immediately manage the administrative distribution of all planned buildings. At that time, we hope that Director Huang and your logistics department will cooperate actively with our Academic Affairs Office to manage logistics well,"

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Qi Chunsheng looked at Director Huang Youjie and said earnestly.

"Of course, there will be no problem," Huang Youjie nodded.

After all, when all the buildings are completed and set up during the summer vacation, the Logistics Department will have the largest workload.

Because after these buildings are constructed, they would be completely bare without anything. Therefore, all the additions are on the Logistics Department.

Not only the procurement but also the planning and arrangement of logistics, all are managed by the Logistics Department.

"Huang, do you have enough staff on your end?" asked Ding Yue, slightly frowning.

"It should be enough. I will summon the main logistic force at that time. The water, electricity, and network teams need to cooperate with us. We have two months of summer vacation, it should be fine."

Huang Youjie had confidence in the strength of his logistics department.

The number of personnel of the Logistics Department has already exceeded three hundred. After the reasonable arrangement of focusing on important things, Huang Youjie believed that they can complete the logistics planning and arrangement of the new 5000 acres campus in two months.

Moreover, it's not only the Logistics Department doing the work.

Teaching departments and other faculties will also actively cooperate.

Knock, knock, knock!

Just as the school leaders were discussing, there was a knock at the office door.

"Director Bai?"

When secretary Wen Ruohan opened the door, he saw that it was Director Bai Liwei.

"Is Principal Ding busy?" Bai Liwei saw that there was no sound of Principal Ding asking him to come in from the office, so he asked curiously.

"Yes, Principal Ding is discussing with Director Qi." she replied.

"Oh, okay then. I'll come back later. Notify me when Principal Ding is done, Wen?"

"Okay."

As Bai Liwei was about to leave, Principal Ding's voice came from the office: "Director Bai?"

"Principal Ding, it's me."

When Bai Liwei poked his head in, he smiled and replied.

"What's the matter?"

Seeing that Bai Liwei was here, Ding Yue thought he should be allowed to report. What if it was something urgent?

He was discussing the expansion of the school with Qi, Huang, and Chen, but it wasn't urgent.

"Principal Ding, it's not a big deal. Since the clinical phase of our 3D biological printer has been successful, we have been highly popular in the past two days. Plenty of students have been enquiring about studying medicine at Mist City Arts and Science University. So, I came here to bring you the good news."

Bai Liwei scratched his head and said with a smile.

"Oh, that's great! In regards to enrollment, the medical school must be proactive. Only by recruiting more and excellent students can the medical school develop better."

After hearing this, Ding Yue simply reminded him.

It didn't seem like a big deal.

"Okay, Principal Ding, I know. You guys go ahead with your work, I'll go back first." Bai Liwei initially had a lot to say. He wanted to talk to Principal Ding about increasing the financial input of the medical school.

However, it didn't seem like the right time.

He will wait for another opportunity. After all, Principal Ding has been quite busy this period.

He had just completed the very important clinical phase surgery of the 3D biological printer and now the 5000-acre expansion project of the school was about to end.

There were also matters of the Forestry College, as well as the construction and arrangement of the graphene factory. For Principal Ding, none of these matters were insignificant.

"Okay, Director Bai, if there's anything to report about the medical school's recruitment, you can find Director Qi first. It has indeed been quite busy recently."

Ding Yue thought for a moment. He couldn't take care of the enrollment work of every department. He didn't have clones and human energy was limited.

Therefore, the best solution in this situation is to let Qi from the Academic Affairs Office handle it.

In fact, this was the initial arrangement.

However, recently, the medical school has indeed been in the spotlight, attracting a lot of attention and public interest.

Thus, it's understandable that Director Bai Liwei wanted to report various good news to him.

"Alright Principal Ding, I understand,"

After saying this, Director Bai Liwei did not disturb Principal Ding and other directors any further.

"Now, let's continue."

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Xia Country, Ning City.

In a certain residential area, a young man fell into despair because he did not pass the College Entrance Examination to his long-cherished Xia Country Medical University.

This was not his first attempt at getting into the Xia Country Medical University.

He repeated the year, but the estimated score of the College Entrance Examination was still short when compared with the enrollment cut-off of the Xia Country Medical University.

After all, Xia Country Medical University was the only Double First Class Medical University in the country, arguably the best in the field.

"Oh dear, our son's score is indeed quite low, if things really don't work out... should he consider attending another regular medical university?"

The young man's father sighed helplessly.

Both parents supported their son's medical studies, but the son was determined to study at the Xia Country Medical University.

However, sadly, the scores just weren't good enough.

"Son, what do you think?" the lad's mother asked, looking at her son who was playing the Wild Wild Escort Game, "If worst comes to worst, shall we repeat the year again?"

"Repeating won't do any good, my weak spot is math, no matter how I try I simply can't do well, damn it's so annoying!"

The thought of repeating the year to apply to Xia Country Medical University and still not achieving it made the young man agitated and frustrated.

"Son, we must not despair," his father comforted, "Look, didn't you score over 500 points this year?"

"What's the use of scoring just over 500 points? For Xia Country Medical University, it's useless. Their cut-off score is over 600 points!"

The young man said despairingly, "Damn it, it's so damn annoying!"

The boy's parents were self-made wealthy people, their lack of proper educational attention led to their son's shortcomings. His academic performance was not bad per se, but he had areas of weakness that seemed impossible to patch up.

The repeating year did indeed help to strengthen some weak areas, but he was still far from making it into Xia Country Medical University.

If he were to repeat the year again, he would turn 20. Plus, studying at Xia Country Medical University would take at least five years not considering postgraduate study or potentially a Ph.D. Wouldn't he be over thirty by the time he graduates?

"So what should we do? We can't just let him give up on studying medicine, can we?"

The young man's mother helplessly said.

"What do you think?" The boy's father sought his opinion.

"I'm still interested in medicine, anything else, not so much." The young man shook his head.

"But you can't get into Xia Country Medical University, and you don't think much of the other medical universities where you meet the cut-off score. Oh yes, isn't there a university's medical school that's making trends online lately? Do you know about it?"

The young man's father suddenly remembered a medical school from a university he came across while browsing TikTok a few days ago. It seemed rather impressive; even the official health department lauded it. It even made NTS news.

"Which university's medical school? I've no idea, I've been playing games since the end of the College Entrance Examination." The young man shook his head.

After estimated his post-examination score and feeling devastated about it, he "fell from grace" and started playing Wild Wild Escort and Cyberpunk 2077 at home, not caring about the news or anything like that.

"Don't you know? It's the Medical School of Mist City Arts and Science University." The young man's father prompted him.

"Medical School of Mist City Arts and Science University."

The young man felt it sounded familiar and after careful thinking, he furrowed his brows and asked, "Is it the one that developed the medical health robot Big White?"

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With the arrival of summer vacation.

After the end of a semester of teaching, Mist City Arts and Science University began its annual crucial enrollment promotion campaign.

All the dozens of departments and hundreds of majors at Mist City Arts and Science University tried every possible way to attract students who took the College Entrance Examination.

However.

Due to the recent success of clinical operations using the 3D biological printer in the medical school of the Mist City Arts and Science University, the medical school has become the most popular choice for enrollment.

The admissions office phones had already been ringing non-stop, and so had the phones in the medical school office.

Many new high school graduates, with scores above the university's entrance cutoff, want to study medicine at Mist City Arts and Science University.

There are even more students, disappointed with their grades in the College Entrance Exam, who want to study medicine at the Mist City Arts and Science University.

The current admissions policy of Mist City Arts and Science University combines both general admission and specialized enrollment.

General admission recruits the students who took the College Entrance Exam, applied to Mist City Arts and Science University, and met the entrance cutoff; there is a certain tuition discount policy for these students.

The specialized enrollment recruits those who failed the College Entrance Examination but still want to pursue their dreams of attending a university, without setting an entrance cutoff score; however, there are no discounts for tuition or other costs.

Now the reputation of Mist City Arts and Science University is growing increasingly louder.

Even if the tuition is a bit high, many students who did not do well in the College Entrance Exam still want to realize their university dreams at Mist City Arts and Science University.

During the summer vacation, aside from the lively admissions work, there was another important issue for Mist City Arts and Science University.

That is, the expansion of the 5000 acre campus was basically completed.

Mist City Arts and Science University needs to arrange all the expanded campus teaching buildings, dormitories, and other buildings during summer vacation, so that after the new students register in September next year, these newly built teaching buildings and dormitories can be put into use.

Ding Yue had arranged for Huang Youjie with his logistics team, and his father Ding Jianjun with the plumbing and electricity team, to provide water and electricity to each building.

One day, Ding Yue planned to take a good tour of the newly constructed 5000-acre campus, which was undergoing logistical work.

"Principal Ding, the remaining construction funds from the Tianfu Construction Group will be settled when the entire project is accepted," the Director of the Department of Architecture Chen Ping, who was responsible for the campus expansion, accompanied Principal Ding on the tour while he reported.

"How much does the actual cost differ from the initial budget?" Ding Yue was very pleased as he looked at the new buildings.

Previously, Mist City Arts and Science University only had an old 2500 acre campus, in addition to the Book Ship Library and previously expanded dormitory areas where normal activities could take place.

Now it's different

Mist City Arts and Science University, with a total of 7500 acres of campus, has already merged into one piece. Looking into the distance, unending high-rise apartment buildings can be seen.

Due to the proper planning of the overall expansion of Mist City Arts and Science University, it gives a sense of tidiness and efficiency.

To the northwest of the Book Ship Library, there is a campus park that is virtually at the center of the entire Mist City Arts and Science University.

"That's the campus park, right?"

Ding Yue pointed in the direction of the northwest side of the Book Ship Library.

"Yes Principal Ding, we have tentatively named this campus park as 'Arts and Science Park', what do you think?"

Chen Ping nodded and explained.

"Not bad."

Ding Yue didn't have the leisure to think of a name, plus 'Arts and Science Park' sounded quite good, especially since their school was called Mist City Arts and Science University.

"Principal Ding, our campus park is so big." Wen Ruohan looked at the park, with its green trees, lush grass, and babbling brooks; it was really pleasing to the eye.

"Hmm?"

As Ding Yue looked at the Arts and Science Park, he couldn't help but mutter to himself.

Because Ding Yue saw a familiar figure at one of the park entrances.

That figure was introducing something in front of the camera.

It was Wang Bingbing from NTS. After they came to Mist City Arts and Science University, they conducted some interviews about the medical school and the 3D biological printer.

Then, Bingbing saw that the campus of Mist City Arts and Science University seemed to be quite impressive. A large part of the campus was newly built, plus Mist City Arts and Science University had been quite famous recently.

So, Bingbing decided to do a comprehensive live broadcast report on Mist City Arts and Science University.

Today it happened to be at the Arts and Science Park.

"Principal Ding."

After Bingbing finished introducing the Arts and Science Park of Mist City Arts and Science University, she saw Principal Ding and his party approaching from a distance.

"Bingbing, our Mist City Arts and Science University is just an ordinary private university, yet we've bothered NTS to come and report on us," Ding Yue said modestly when he came over.

"Principal Ding, that's not the case. Now Mist City Arts and Science University is no ordinary private university. With its popularity, many netizens are following it closely. Furthermore, to my knowledge, the Book Ship Library in your school has always been very popular and has become an internet-famous check-in spot in Mist City."

Bingbing said with a smile.

"Whether it's Internet-famous or not, it doesn't really matter. After all, Mist City Arts and Science University is ultimately a university. Our key responsibility is improving teaching quality and achieving educational results."

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Ding Yue spoke earnestly and seriously, "However, to improve the quality of teaching, we must first have our teaching infrastructure in place. Therefore, our Mist City Arts and Science University has invested heavily in the expansion of a 5000-acre campus."

"Oh, it's clear that Principal Ding's decisions greatly influence the development of universities. With the addition of this 5000-acre expansion, just how large is Mist City Arts and Science University's campus now?"

Wang Bingbing asked curiously.

"Currently, there is a total of 7500 acres of campus available for students. Of course, we will continue to build and develop according to students' needs," Ding Yue confidently stated.

Although 7500 acres is already enough for hundreds of thousands of students, if Mist City Arts and Science University's student population will exceed the expected number of over a hundred thousand in the future, then Ding Yue might as well continue expanding.

There is still a vast expanse of land in the middle, between the campus and the mountains on the west side.

If they could extend the campus of Mist City Arts and Science University to the foot of the western mountain, that would truly be impressive.

Ding Yue remembered when he visited the Swiss Zurich Federal Institute of Technology in Europe, Switzerland - their Science City is also situated at the foot of the mountains.

Nonetheless, a 7500-acre campus, either domestically or internationally, is already considered one of the largest universities.

"That's really big," Wang Bingbing couldn't help but exclaim.

Even Qinghua University only occupies a little over 6000 acres. This means that the campus area of Mist City Arts and Science University is larger than that of Qinghua University.

Yet, since Wang Bingbing deeply understands Mist City Arts and Science University, she knows that after this year's admissions, there would only be three grades. When the fourth grade is filled, the student population would probably exceed a hundred thousand.

No wonder they built such a large campus. This could explain everything when you think about it.

Moreover, Wang Bingbing looked at the campus plan of Mist City Arts and Science University and found that the 5000-acre campus expansion plan is highly professional.

It is said that the plan was designed by the students of the School of Architecture of Mist City Arts and Science University themselves.

The planning is not just for the entire campus, but also architectural designs for each building, including the Book Ship Library mentioned earlier. The School of Architecture students of Mist City Arts and Science University participated in the design as well.

In this regard, one cannot deny the commendable skills of the students from the School of Architecture at Mist City Arts and Science University.

It's no wonder.

The team that designed the Book Ship Library from Mist City Arts and Science University School of Architecture won a domestic architectural design award.

"Reporter Bingbing, why don't I show you around our newly expanded campus at Mist City Arts and Science University?"

Seeing Wang Bingbing's interest in his Mist City Arts and Science University, Ding Yue suggested with a smile.

"Sure, I can film a vlog while touring, as NTS news studio won't have much time to cover us," Wang Bingbing agreed immediately.

The NTS TV News Channel might not be able to dedicate much live airtime for covering Mist City Arts and Science University.

Therefore, Wang Bingbing thought it would be a good idea to use her Bilibili channel to film a vlog for promotion purposes.

You should know.

After becoming the national goddess reporter and joining the Bilibili community, Wang Bingbing amassed three to four million fans in less than a month.

If Ding Xiaoyou, Ding Yue's sister who frequented Bilibili, heard about this, she would probably turn green with envy.

Despite being on Bilibili for quite some time, Ding Xiaoyou has not yet broken the five hundred thousand fans threshold.

Wang Bingbing, however, nearly hit four million in less than a month. There's just no comparison.

"Let's start from here and follow this Campus Ring Road. This should give us a good overview of the entire campus," Ding Yue suggested, and he started touring the 5000-acre expanded campus with Wang Bingbing.

There's no need to mention the numerous dormitory buildings. Each department's teaching and research buildings have been designed with unique features.

For instance, the new teaching building for the catering and food department, using a food-related design and structure, is quite distinctive.

The designs of these teaching and laboratory buildings were all finalized after the Architecture School staff and students had intensive communications and discussions with the various departments.

"What you are seeing is Mist City Arts and Science University's newly constructed campus, which is now connected to the original campus of 2500 acres, making a total of 7500 acres."

Wang Bingbing, holding her phone, is currently filming a vlog, introducing the new campus of Mist City Arts and Science University to her audience.

"We can see that each building in Mist City Arts and Science University is not built to standard specifications but has its unique design.

Much like the popular Bookship Library, personally, I very much like the design of the teaching buildings in the University. They are genuinely pleasing to the eye, embodying both aesthetics and practicality."

Observing Wang Bingbing fervently introducing Mist City Arts and Science University, Ding Yue felt somewhat embarrassed.

This is free promotion, after all.

"I should go live."

Wang Bingbing felt that the campus was too large, and the duration would be too long when editing the vlog video.

She could hardly bear to edit out lots of video material, so she decided to open a live room on Bilibili and show the new campus of Mist City Arts and Science University directly to her audience.

As one of Bilibili's most popular live-streamers, Wang Bingbing had more than 100,000 viewers entering her live room as soon as she began streaming.

And the number of viewers was visibly increasing.

"Hi there, adorable viewers who have entered the live room, I'm at Mist City Arts and Science University. What you're seeing is the University's new campus. You must have heard about Mist City Arts and Science University recently, right?"

Yes, you're correct! It's the same university that performed the 3D bioprinting clinical surgery just a couple of days ago.

Take a look at that teaching building, doesn't it resemble a soccer ball?"

According to Principal Ding, that's the building for the Sports faculty."

The audiences of Wang Bingbing's live stream were amazed at how vast the Mist City Arts and Science University is.

"This university looks incredible!"

"Our university only occupied just over 1500 acres, it was minuscule."

"Your 1500 acres places ranks already pretty well, have you ever seen a university that takes up only 800 acres?"

"Wow, the new campus of Mist City Arts and Science University is finished? It's so spacious and refreshing!"

"Bingbing, I'm planning to go to Mist City Arts and Science University this year. Wait for me!"

"Hahaha, the one who is going to Mist City Arts and Science University this year, wait for me, too. I'm so excited to see such an excellent campus, it made my day."

"Ugh, I don't know if I could get into any key colleges this year. If not, I might consider going to Mist City Arts and Science University."

"Wow, isn't this University beautifully built?"

"The environment here looks great, the newly built teaching and residential buildings are sparkling new. It'd be amazing to take classes in such a university."

"Bingbing, did I just catch a glimpse of a large lawn, it looks so comfortable."

After hearing Wang Bingbing's introduction to the new campus of Mist City Arts and Science University, the viewers in her live stream room left comments out of envy.

Meanwhile, some viewers who have already decided to attend Mist City Arts and Science University next year are starting to feel excited and looking forward to it.

"Bingbing, look over there."

Suddenly, Ding Yue pointed at a building not far ahead.

Even Ding Yue was intrigued by the buildings over there. They are quite different from the buildings they had just passed by.

Wang Bingbing looked towards where Principal Ding was pointing and moved her phone camera in the same direction.

Suddenly, a wave of infinite bullet comments filled the live stream room on Wang Bingbing's Bilibili.

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In the Bilibili live broadcast room of Wang Bingbing, when netizens saw the architecture in the camera, the comments exploded instantaneously.

"Holy shit, there's actually a set of traditional-style buildings over there?"

"These traditional-style buildings look good."

"Little bridges and flowing water, and is that one built in imitation of the Yellow Crane Tower?"

"It seems to be a bit bigger than the Yellow Crane Tower."

"Look over there, there's an ancient city wall, and ancient city gates. Is this a film and TV city?"

"Wow, the architecture of Mist City Arts and Science University is simply too surprising."

"This place is good, I predict that it will become a hotspot for internet celebrities."

"Guys, let's swipe the screen with likes!"

Everyone saw that not far ahead was a cluster of traditional-style buildings, it was hard to say how expansive it was, but there were quite a number of them.

One of them was quite tall, probably around seven floors, and there were various other traditional-style buildings like city walls, watch towers, and city gates.

Ding Yue's gaze was attracted to this group of traditional-style buildings.

"Principal Ding, that tallest one, that is the Archive Library designed by the student Zhao Chi that you originally chose."

The head of the Architecture department, Director Chen Ping, hurriedly gave Principal Ding an introduction.

As soon as he heard the three words Archive Library, Ding Yue immediately remembered.

This goes back to when they originally designed the Bookship Library, when Liu Chuanjie and others designed the modern and futuristic Bookship Library. Ding Yue adopted and constructed the current viral hotspot library.

At that time, another group, which included Zhao Chi, had designed a traditional-style library named Archive.

At that time, Ding Yue also really liked this Archive, but at that time they only chose one library to construct.

So Ding Yue eventually still chose the Bookship Library.

Later on.

Mist City Arts and Science University carried out large-scale expansion on its 5000-acre campus, because they were considering that the number of future students would exceed 100,000 people.

The old library, plus the Bookship Library; these two libraries were still not enough to satisfy the students' learning needs.

Therefore, Ding Yue approved the plan for the third library of Mist City Arts and Science University.

Because there were already several good library designs from before, the third library was unanimously decided upon by the school leaders' negotiations. The third library of Mist

City Arts and Science University adopted the traditional-style building designed by the student Zhao Chi – Archive!

"I remember now, it was me who decided on this design of the Archive Library."

Ding Yue nodded, and turned to Wang Bingbing beside him, "Reporter Bingbing, this building here is the third library that our Mist City Arts and Science University constructed."

"This is a library?"

Wang Bingbing asked in surprise.

She had thought that all these traditional-style buildings constructed here were just for the scenery.

After all, a lot of traditional-style buildings in tourist areas nowadays, all touted some ancient names, whereas the buildings were newly constructed.

"Yes, it's a library. The number of students at our Mist City Arts and Science University is very high. After this year's enrollment, we predict the number of students to exceed seventy thousand. So even the old library and the Bookship Library combined might not be enough."

Ding Yue patiently explained.

"So that's how it is. But this building doesn't seem to have as large an area as the Bookship Library?" Since arriving at Mist City Arts and Science University, the first building Wang Bingbing went to see was the Bookship Library.

After all, the Bookship Library was extremely popular online. This was Bingbing's first visit, so naturally she had to check in.

However, this library built in the traditional style does not seem as expansive as the Bookship Library.

"Yes, the area occupied by the Archive is actually less than half of that of the Bookship Library, but the number of students that the Archive can accommodate is not less than that of the Bookship Library, because, you see, the Archive has seven floors in total."

The head of the Architecture department, Director Chen Ping, hurriedly explained.

"Seven floors, so can the entire Archive also accommodate nearly ten thousand students, like the Bookship Library?"

After hearing this, Ding Yue looked at Director Chen Ping and asked.

"Yes, Principal Ding, although the area of each floor gradually decreases, the first, second, and third floors actually have quite a lot of capacity."

Director Chen Ping nodded.

"When can the books be transported over?" Ding Yue casually asked about the Archive Library again.

At present, the basic facilities in the Archive Library have been completed, leaving only logistics and the academic affairs office to transport the books. Then, in September, it can successfully open to all the students of Mist City Arts and Science University.

"They should be in place by July." Director Chen Ping answered.

As for every building in the expansion area of Mist City Arts and Science University, Director Chen Ping couldn't be clearer about them.

That's because, in the past year, the expansion project of Mist City Arts and Science University was overseen by Director Chen Ping.

Now that he was able to complete the campus expansion so successfully, Director Chen Ping's contribution was indispensable.

Ding Yue thought for a moment, he needed to give Director Chen Ping a raise and some bonuses and such. Anyone who is dedicated and hardworking in building and developing Mist City Arts and Science University should get bountiful rewards.

After all, Ding Yue is not a stingy person.

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Everyone who works at Mist City Arts and Science University, from the academic affairs director Qi Chunsheng and the deans of all faculties, right down to the sanitation workers who clean the campus, who wouldn't praise Principal Ding Yue?

These praises were earned by Ding Yue's generosity and willingness to spend money, and he believes that everyone working at Mist City Arts and Science University, those who are collectively building and developing the university should be fairly compensated for their effort and hard work.

"Principal Ding, if this building is the Archive Library, what about the other buildings?" Reporter Wang Bingbing pointed to the other buildings in the ancient-style complex.

"Those are some teaching and research buildings related to our country's traditional culture and cuisine. To accentuate, we've also constructed walls, towers, and gates. This area could also serve as a shooting base for the Film and Television Academy, particularly for period dramas. Of course, the current size is somewhat small for a filming base, but that's ok, we intend on expanding in future."

Ding Yue, being quite familiar with this plan, explained to Wang Bingbing.

The viewers of Wang Bingbing's live broadcast were amazed by Principal Ding's foresight, as well as the planning and design of these buildings.

The use of this ancient-style architectural complex is not singular, but multifunctional.

Not to mention the Archive Library, there are also surrounding ancient-style buildings that can be used for teaching and experiments related to Xia Country's traditional culture.

The educational function is undeniable.

And there is also a tourist function!

Undoubtedly, in a country like Xia Country with a rich cultural heritage of thousands of years, ancient-style buildings will always be a spectacle to behold.

No other way, Xia Country's five thousand years of culture are forever divine!

Besides teaching and tourism, as Principal Ding just mentioned, it could also serve as a shooting base for films and TV series.

Although the area of the ancient architectural complex is not particularly large at present, Principal Ding stated that there would indeed be expansions in the future.

This could be used to create a Mist City "Jiangnan Landscape", then used for shooting historical dramas.

And with such a large campus of Mist City Arts and Science University, along with the Book Ship Library, on-campus malls, and other modern facilities, it could be an excellent film and TV shooting location.

In fact, these 7500 acres are nothing. When considering locations for filming, Ding Yue has also considered integrating the tens of thousands of acres of farmland and forests that will be built in the north.

As such,

On the Mist City Arts and Science University campus, there's a filming location with a modern, science fiction feel in the Book Ship Library.

There's also the traditional architectural complex here at the Archive.

Moreover, there's an endless view of green at the farm and pasture in the north with thousands of acres of land.

And the iconic buildings of Mist City Arts and Science University's Central Sports Stadium and Central Sports Ground.

Such versatile functionality in a single lot of traditional-style buildings, viewers had to praise Principal Ding and Mist City Arts and Science University's campus planning, calling it absolutely fantastic.

"Such a multifunctional plan is simply a great value for money."

"When it comes to the cost-effectiveness of constructing buildings, I only admire Mist City Arts and Science University."

"I find this traditional architectural complex very attractive, and the Archive is absolutely fantastic! I must come to take a picture."

"Oh no, there are more and more places to visit in Mist City Arts and Science University. It seems I need to save money to travel to Mist City soon. Definitely, Mist City Arts and Science University will be my top choice."

"I also want to go see it."

"Hahaha, you guys are all talk! Not me though, I'll be studying at Mist City Arts and Science University in August or September this year. Just thinking about it makes me excited."

Wang Bingbing looked at the comments in her livestream window on Bilibili, noticing some viewers had already decided to study at Mist City Arts and Science University.

She then smiled and asked the viewers, "How many of you are taking the College Entrance Exam this year, and have decided to go to Mist City Arts and Science University? Press 1 if you are."

The next second, Wang Bingbing's livestream was flooded with "111111111"s.

"Principal Ding, it seems there are a lot of people in my livestream who want to come and study at our Mist City Arts and Science University."

Wang Bingbing smiled and said to Ding Yue, "This is indeed a treasure of a campus, I love it."

"Then, we welcome Reporter Bingbing to visit us at Mist City Arts and Science University more often." Ding Yue said with a smile.

"There may not be many opportunities in future." said Wang Bingbing regretfully.

She was able to visit Mist City Arts and Science University this time because of massive news about their 3D bio-printing technology reaching clinical trials.

There may not be such opportunities in the future.

"That's alright. In the future, Mist City Arts and Science University will have more research and academic achievements worth reporting. I believe you'll have lots of opportunities to come again, hahaha." Ding Yue immediately responded, laughing.

"Really?"

Upon hearing Principal Ding's words, Wang Bingbing was somewhat expectant.

Mist City Arts and Science University does indeed excel in scientific research, mainly because it has a knack for finding collaborators.

Take the third-generation semiconductor materials for instance, they found a collaborator in Jiangnan University of Science and Technology.

And their current 3D bio-printing technology, they collaborated with the world's top Swiss Zurich Federal Institute of Technology.

Chapter 797: Archive and Shopping Plaza

It's clear that this Principal Ding and Mist City Arts and Science University truly have concrete, tangible abilities at their disposal.

"Hahaha, Reporter Bingbing, you just wait and see."

Ding Yue knows that whatever he says about Mist City Arts and Science University having further technological research achievements in the future, there will be some degree of "skepticism" from others.

If that's the case, then the only thing to do is prove it with actual results.

Ding Yue doesn't believe that with over a hundred thousand students at his disposal, Mist City Arts and Sciences University can't pull off some truly impressive research achievements.

After touring around the old-style buildings represented by the Archive, Ding Yue continued to show Wang Bingbing around the newly expanded campus.

"Principal Ding, what is that building over there?"

Wang Bingbing pointed at a large building in front of them, asking with significant curiosity.

It didn't look like a Central Sports Ground or Central Sports Stadium, and clearly, it was too massive to be an ordinary classroom building or laboratory.

"Reporter Bingbing, do you mean over there? That's our Mist City Arts and Science University's campus-based large-scale entertainment shopping mall!"

Ding Yue introduced with a smile.

This mall, similar to the "Wan Da Mall," is probably the first of its kind within all domestic university campuses.

How could other university campuses possibly have an entertainment shopping mall?

Only at Mist City Arts and Science University.

"An entertainment shopping mall?"

Wang Bingbing was astounded.

Since no merchants had moved into the building yet, it didn't seem apparent at first glance that it was a shopping mall.

But after Principal Ding explained, Wang Bingbing instantly understood that it indeed was a mall building.

Although smaller than Wan Da Plaza, it was still quite large.

"Yes, it's a facility provided for our students at Mist City Arts and Science University," Ding Yue said proudly.

Presumably, only a private university like Mist City Arts and Science University can provide entertainment shopping mall facilities for students' everyday campus life.

Wang Bingbing couldn't help but mutter "amazing" under her breath.

Meanwhile, in Wang Bingbing's live-streaming room on Bilibili, the audience was once again thrilled.

"Woah! There's even a built-in entertainment shopping mall?"

"That's so cool, isn't it?"

"Impressive, is that their university?"

"Sigh... I remember in our university, to get to a cinema in a mall, we had to take a public bus for half an hour."

"Awesome, they even have a campus mall?"

"666! Mist City Arts and Science University is awesome."

"I heard that Mist City Arts and Science University treats their students well, with excellent basic facilities. I didn't quite believe it before, now I truly do."

"A mall inside the school? Can it really make money?"

"Think about it, the people in the front, Mist City Arts and Science University is a private university with high tuition fees. Most students who enroll there come from relatively well-off families. Once Mist City Arts and Science University fills four grades, including postgraduates, the number might exceed 100,000. A campus with over 100,000 students, most of whom come from well-off families... running an entertainment shopping mall there would be just brilliant!"

Many netizens claimed that this viewer's analysis was spot-on after reading his comments!

When Mist City Arts and Science University had first decided to build a campus shopping mall, they had conducted some research on their students' consumption data.

Chapter 798: The First Admission Notice

This wave of coverage by NTS.

Together with the live broadcast and vlog from NTS's female reporter Wang Bingbing, Mist City Arts and Science University has undoubtedly attracted a lot more attention from College Entrance Exam Graduates Netizens this year.

Add to that the successful clinical surgery performed by the Medical School of Mist City Arts and Science University using a 3D biological printer which was developed in June.

Mist City Arts and Science University could be said to have gained fame overnight, and with its soaring social reputation and influence, the number of recent graduates wanting to enroll at Mist City Arts and Science University surged as well.

If compared to last year when Ding Xiaoyou, the College Entrance Examination Champion chose Mist City Arts and Science University over Qinghua University and Yancheng University, causing a great sensation and warming up the atmosphere.

Then this year, the heat and attention received by Mist City Arts and Science University could be said to have risen another notch.

At the end of June.

It was time for College Entrance Exam students to start submitting their college preferences.

This year, Mist City Arts and Science University began recruiting students who passed the undergraduate line and were willing to apply, and also offered these students a super discount.

That is, waiving the tuition fee for the first academic year!

Yes, any student who passes the undergraduate line in the College Entrance Exam and comes to Mist City Arts and Science University to study would have their tuition fee for the first academic year waived.

The reason for setting such a preferential policy was to implement the enrollment reform policy set by Ding Yue and the Academic Affairs Office at the time.

After all, if Mist City Arts and Science University always sets no admission score line, then it would be difficult for Mist City Arts and Science University to recruit better College Entrance Exam Students.

Even after a year, hardly any top students get recruited.

If relying only on a large number of poor-performing students, even if Ding Yue sets up a learning totem BUFF at Mist City Arts and Science University, these weak students will eventually not become top students like Ding Xiaoyou.

So recruiting outstanding students is quite important for Mist City Arts and Science University.

At the beginning, Mist City Arts and Science University's admission policy was that all College Entrance Exam dropouts who wanted to study at Mist City Arts and Science University were welcome to come.

Now, Mist City Arts and Science University has transformed this into a self-enrollment plan, and along with the reform of the enrollment policy, the university gradually began to set a minimum admission score line year by year.

Of course.

For the full implementation of the score line, Mist City Arts and Science University will have to wait until after the first batch of students graduate.

Because only when the first batch of students of Mist City Arts and Science University graduates, can the comprehensive overall strength of the university be truly gauged.

After all, when most people evaluate the strength of a university, they mainly look at the graduation rate and the employment situation of the graduates.

Like Qinghua University and Yanjing University, their students could always land a decent job after graduation.

If the graduates of Mist City Arts and Science University have strong competitiveness when looking for work after graduation, then that would show that Mist City Arts and Science University is indeed very strong.

Therefore, Ding Yue attaches great importance to the teaching work of Mist City Arts and Science University in the first four years.

Almost every year, Ding Yue would emphatically instruct the director of the Academic Affairs Office, Qi Chunsheng, to ensure the orderly and smooth progression and completion of the teaching work of Mist City Arts and Science University.

In this regard, Qi Chunsheng also did a quite satisfactory job.

In the Administration Building office.

"Qi, you've done a pretty good job in the teaching area over the years," said Ding Yue, praising Director Qi Chunsheng.

Qi Chunsheng could be considered as one of the first senior staff members Ding Yue recruited for the university.

It seemed that Ding Yue's early verdict was correct.

"Thank you, Principal Ding, I will continue to firmly grasp the teaching task in the future and ensure that the teaching quality of Mist City Arts and Science University will only improve, not decline," said Qi Chunsheng, somewhat embarrassed, "Besides, the smooth progress of teaching work is also very much due to the students, and the academic atmosphere of the school is also very good."

"This year, it's time to recruit new students again, Qi, your age is slightly older now..."

At this point in the conversation, Qi Chunsheng suddenly widened his eyes and asked, "Principal Ding, are you... are you planning to replace me? I am still in good health, and I can totally continue to serve as the director of the Academic Affairs for another ten years."

Ding Yue immediately chuckled and shook his head, "Director Qi, where did that come from? How could I do that kind of thing as kicking someone out after they've outlived their usefulness? You've made a significant contribution to the teaching work of Mist City Arts and Science University these years, I am just worried about your health."

After all, Director Qi Chunsheng is of a certain age and his usual work is so busy, so Ding Yue is slightly worried whether or not Director Qi's health can hold up to it.

After all.

Now there are two grades, after this year's recruitment, there will be three grades, a total of at least 70,000 students.

Such a huge number of students' overall teaching work all requires Director Qi Chunsheng of the Academic Office to shoulder alone, which is not an easy task.

Moreover, after next year's recruitment, all four years of university will be full, and that will be more than 100,000 students.

The usual number of students in a university is 20,000 to 30,000, with some having around 30,000 to 50,000. Universities like Mist City Arts and Science University that can accommodate more than 100,000 students across four years are very few.

"Ah... Principal Ding, please rest assured, there is definitely no problem with my health."

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Director Qi Chunsheng quickly shook his head.

In fact, Qi Chunsheng had already fallen in love with this university. He had been working at the Mist City Arts and Science University for three years and had dedicated much of his efforts during that time.

Previously, when Qi Chunsheng was the Director of Academic Affairs at other private colleges, those colleges were only making money under the guise of being universities, so no matter how hard Qi Chunsheng worked, he didn't gain much.

But it was different at Mist City Arts and Science University.

After Qi Chunsheng arrived at Mist City Arts and Science University, a series of teaching measures received strong support from Principal Ding Yue.

It is fair to say that...

At Mist City Arts and Science University, Qi Chunsheng finally found a stage to showcase his ambitions, and facts have proved that he deeply loves the Mist City Arts and Science University.

However, hearing Principal Ding say today that he was getting older and worried about his health, was he hinting at Qi Chunsheng's potential retirement?

Or was he going to fire him outright?

Qi Chunsheng was suddenly a bit worried.

However, Ding Yue laughed and said, "Director Qi, you've misunderstood me. I'm saying that as our Mist City Arts and Science University continues to admit more students, the workload will increase. Considering your health and to prevent you from having to work overtime every day, I want to find you some assistants. Whether they are a deputy director of academic affairs or an assistant to the director of academic affairs, you decide. You still steer the overall teaching work of our Mist City Arts and Science University."

Principal Ding had no intention of dismissing Director Qi Chunsheng.

After all, Director Qi Chunsheng's leadership skills in education are strong, which satisfies Ding Yue. He even hopes that Director Qi Chunsheng will continue working at his Mist City Arts and Science University for another ten or eight years.

If his health permits, Ding Yue is sure that Director Qi Chunsheng would be willing to continue working at Mist City Arts and Science University even after reaching the retirement age.

Because from Qi Chunsheng's reaction just now, Ding Yue saw his deep love for Mist City Arts and Science University.

"Ah this..."

Qi Chunsheng was stunned for a moment before realizing what Principal Ding meant.

It seemed that he had misunderstood Principal Ding just now. He thought Principal Ding was either planning to dismiss him or to have him retire and find a new Director of Academic Affairs.

Good gracious, he almost extinguished Qi Chunsheng's passion for a moment.

"Director Qi, what do you think?"

Principal Ding asked with a smile.

"Then I will follow Principal Ding's arrangements. Indeed, having more people to share responsibility for academic affairs would be more efficient,"

Qi Chunsheng nodded quickly.

"Good, then go find Xu from the administrative department later and let him know."

"Yes, Principal Ding."

"Oh by the way, how is the special admission letter that I asked you to prepare?"

Principal Ding suddenly remembered this. Director Qi Chunsheng had come to talk to him about standard admission matters today.

Whenever the topic of admissions came up, Ding Yue couldn't help but think of the very special student they planned to admit this year.

Yes!

That was Xu Meijia, Principal Xu Dongcheng's daughter.

At this moment, Xu Meijia is still hospitalized in Mist City Central Hospital, with the country's top medical team monitoring her health 24/7.

Her recovery appears to be going well so far, as Ding Yue has not received any news of discomfort from Principal Xu Dongcheng about his daughter's condition.

The team from the medical school of Mist City Arts and Science University has also visited Xu Meijia in the hospital several times, and they would report her situation to Principal Ding each time they returned.

"Principal Ding, are you referring to the admission letter I prepared for Xu Meijia? It's ready, and I brought it with me,"

While saying this, Qi Chunsheng took out a well-prepared admission letter of Mist City Arts and Science University from a stack of documents in a courier parcel.

After Qi Chunsheng took out the admission letter, he handed it to Principal Ding.

Principal Ding received it and opened it to see a specially designed admission letter from Mist City Arts and Science University. It was custom made for Xu Meijia, with graphics including the campus of Mist City Arts and Science University and elements related to 3D biological printers, life, and hope.

"Admission Letter:

Student Xu Meijia,

You are admitted to our college's _____ Medical College (Department) _____ Biomedical _____ class. Please report to the college with this letter. Details of time and place are in the 'Freshman Admission Guide'.

[Stamp]

June 30th, 2022."

When seeing this admission notice, Ding Yue was reminded of the fake admission letter his friend made for him after he failed the College Entrance Examination.

It's already the third year in the blink of an eye.

And now, the admission letters being sent out are done so by Ding Yue himself—they are no longer fake ones.

"Good, I'm going to deliver this admission notice to Xu Meijia right away. Qi, is this the first admission notice from our Mist City Arts and Science University this year?"

Ding Yue asked with a laugh.

"Yes, Principal Ding, this is indeed the first admission notice we've produced and sent out." Qi Chunsheng nodded and said, "We warmly welcome Miss Xu Meijia to Mist City Arts and Science University."

"Hahaha, great!"

After saying these words, Ding Yue picked up this exceptionally meaningful first admission notice, stood up, and called for his secretary, Wen Ruohan.

Then, they left Mist City Arts and Science University and headed to Mist City Central Hospital in his car.

Meanwhile, at Mist City Central Hospital,

Xu Dongcheng was taking a walk with his daughter.

Xu Meijia's health has been improving day by day, and the liver generated by the 3D bioprinter from the medical school of Mist City Arts and Science University has successfully integrated with Xu Meijia's body and became a part of her.

To put it another way, part of Xu Meijia's current body was given to her by Mist City Arts and Science University.

Xu Meijia also believed that her life continued because of Mist City Arts and Science University.

That's why Xu Meijia sincerely wanted to attend Mist City Arts and Science University.

"Dad, the college entrance exam students are starting to apply to the universities they want to attend, right?" Xu Meijia looked at her father, Xu Dongcheng, and asked with a smile.

"Yes, the students around the country have started filling out their applications. The centralized enrollment process is about to begin, and some private universities for the independent examination should have started by now. Our Westlight University usually starts preparing for the independent examination at this time."

After Xu Dongcheng finished, he looked at his daughter and asked, "You wanted to ask about the enrollment condition at Mist City Arts and Science University, right?"

"Uh-huh."

Xu Meijia hastily nodded.

No matter what, Xu Meijia was determined to attend Mist City Arts and Science University this year. She was expected to be in good health by then and ready to start university.

Although Xu Meijia's academic performance was excellent, and she was more than qualified for admission to Qinghua University and Yancheng University,

But!

Xu Meijia only wanted to attend Mist City Arts and Science University, and naturally, she wouldn't need to explain why. Her life, after all, was preserved by Mist City Arts and Science University.

"I'm not too sure about the details for the time being. I'll call Xiao Ding later to ask."

Xu Dongcheng answered.

"I heard someone wants to know about our enrollment situation at Mist City Arts and Science University?"

Just then, behind Xu Dongcheng and his daughter, a familiar voice sounded.

"Principal Ding!"

Xu Meijia turned around and joyfully exclaimed, "Principal Ding, how come you are here?"

"I knew you must be wondering why we hadn't sent you an admission notice from Mist City Arts and Science University yet. It's fine, it's here now, hahahaha."

Ding Yue said amusedly, then took out the special admission notice of Mist City Arts and Science University that was prepared for Xu Meijia.

"Admission notice!"

When Xu Meijia saw the admission notice in Principal Ding's hand, she couldn't wait to open it.

"You really talk of Cao Cao and Cao Cao arrives. Principal Ding, today is only June 30th, and you've already prepared the admission notice?"

Xu Dongcheng stepped forward, curiously asking.

"Of course, Mei Jia is a top student. If I didn't bring the admission notice earlier, what if she gets snatched away by other universities? Wouldn't it be our loss at Mist City Arts and Science University?"

Ding Yue shrugged, jokingly saying.

"Hehehe, Principal Ding, I don't want to go anywhere else, I want to study at Mist City Arts and Science University." Xu Meijia affirmed resolutely.

Chapter 800: Professor Yang is preparing to return to Switzerland

"Then I'll be waiting for your arrival at Mist City Arts and Science University."

Ding Yue said to Xu Meijia with a smile.

Afterwards, Ding Yue asked Principal Xu Dongcheng: "Principal Xu, I heard Mei Jia is recovering quite well now, when can she leave the hospital?"

"Discharge time..."

Xu Dongcheng said seriously: "For safety's sake, at least one more month."

"Dad, the doctor said that in half a month, I would be almost recovered." Xu Meijia mumbled.

"Listen, the doctor said that you are almost, not fully recovered, be a good girl, follow your father's advice."

Xu Dongcheng said lovingly, patting his daughter Xu Meijia's head.

"Hmph."

Xu Meijia pouted, it was clear that she wanted to explore the world after just recovering from a serious illness.

After all, Xu Meijia had spent most of her days at home or in the hospital ward since her diagnosis.

Now she could finally be cured.

At the young age of eighteen, Xu Meijia naturally wanted to experience the fascinating world.

"I'm ignoring you."

Xu Meijia pretended to be angry, and started chatting with Ding Yue's secretary, Wen Ruohan.

Speaking of it, Wen Ruohan truly was the social butterfly of Mist City Arts and Science University; she got along well with everyone.

The original head of the Feiyue Animation Studio, Xu Jiuge, and the current CEO of Feiyue Group, An Yujia, both have a quite good relationship with Ding Yue's secretary. They are like sisters.

However, Wen Ruohan was the youngest. After all, Xu Jiuge already graduated from university and An Yujia needs no further introduction. Now Wen Ruohan has finally met a "younger sister" who's younger than she is.

"Principal Ding, how is the recruitment going at your Mist City Arts and Science University this year?"

Seeing that his treasure daughter was happily chatting with Principal Ding's secretary, Wen Ruohan, Xu Dongcheng himself started chatting with Principal Ding.

Recruitment season has already started, so Xu Dongcheng asked about the recruitment situation at Mist City Arts and Science University.

"Principal Xu is so concerned about our Mist City Arts and Science University, even more than about your own Westlight University, hahaha!"

Ding Yue laughed.

It was said that Principal Xu Dongcheng, in order to stay at the Mist City Central Hospital to accompany his daughter during her recovery period, had not been dealing with affairs at Westlight University, and had delegated the work to his subordinates. If there were important matters, he would just manage through the internet.

"Naturally, Principal Ding. To be frank, the pace of your Mist City Arts and Science University's development these past two years has been incredibly quick. I think that in another couple of years, it will surpass our Westlight University and become the leading private higher education institute in the country."

Xu Dongcheng spoke without any reservation.

"Where is Principal Xu coming from? The strongest private higher education institute in the country is still your Westlight University."

Ding Yue replied modestly.

Ding Yue never imagined that his Mist City Arts and Science University, a private institution, should technically have competing private institutions as its rivals. Unexpectedly, he had developed a very good relationship with the principal of Westlight University, the top-ranking private higher education institute in the country.

They didn't even consider each other as competitors, and there was even a possibility of becoming partners.

"Principal Ding, you're too humble. Also, Mei Jia is only here today because of the 3D bio-printing technology from your Mist City Arts and Science University's Medical Faculty. It's only right that I pay more attention to your recruitment situation, hahaha."

Xu Dongcheng also laughed as he spoke.

"As for this year's admissions, we expect to admit more students than planned. According to the Office of Academic Affairs, over a thousand students who have scored above the college entrance examination cut-off are very interested in applying to our Mist City Arts and Science University. This is a lot more than last year."

Ding Yue said happily.

Last year there were only three-digit numbers of admitted undergraduates, but this year it has already reached four digits. Perhaps in the future, there will be up to five digits, or more than ten thousand students.

If it really becomes like that, with the addition of the learning buffs at Mist City Arts and Science University, the probability of having academic aces and talented students would increase even more.

"That's terrific."

Hearing this, Xu Dongcheng was happy for Principal Ding and then asked, "Principal Ding, have you considered setting an admission score line for your Mist City Arts and Science University?"

Everyone knows that Mist City Arts and Science University's self-admission plan does not have a score threshold. As long as you can afford the tuition fee, you can study at Mist City Arts and Science University.

This was different from Westlight University, which had a deep foundation. So, most of the students that Westlight University recruited actually came in through general recruitment. However, self-admission on the other hand, would generally charge higher tuition fees.

After all, Westlight University also has undergraduate programs.

"About the admission score line, I think we will have to wait until after the first graduation of our Mist City Arts and Science University."

Ding Yue answered, "Currently, for students who pass the college entrance examinations, we implement a tuition waiver policy."

"That's a good idea."

When Xu Dongcheng heard this, he nodded in agreement and said: "Take it step by step, Rome wasn't built in a day. As the overall strength of your Mist City Arts and Science University gets better and stronger, it can gradually start its regular recruitment."

"Great minds think alike. That's exactly what I was thinking." Ding Yue laughed.