

## Wolfless 70

### Chapter 70 The Test of Truth

Tessa faced Freya's fury but remained seated, "Ms. Knox, I won't accept baseless accusations. And about this physics test, I believe I did quite well..."

Before Tessa could finish, Freya interrupted her with sarcasm, "Oh, not just well, but a perfect score, no less! You really are something, aren't you!"

"What?" The entire class erupted in surprise.

"Teacher, are you sure you didn't make a mistake?"

The physics questions this time were tough; a perfect score seemed impossible, even for the top students like Nico from class one.

"Ms. Knox, you wanted me to pass, and I gave you a perfect score. Aren't you satisfied?" Tessa had no intention of giving Freya any face.

Megan immediately chimed in, "Ms. Knox, she must have stolen the test papers. It's impossible for anyone to get a perfect score on this test."

"Megan, you'd better shut your mouth if you can't speak nicely," Ysabel defended Tessa firmly.

"Out with it! How did you get your hands on the test paper?" Freya was convinced Tessa had cheated.

Tessa scoffed, "Is it really that hard to acknowledge someone's capability?"

“Tessa, I’m trying to be reasonable with you. If you can’t explain yourself, then we’ll have to take this to the principal. Here at Navoris High, we can tolerate students who perform poorly, but cheating is met with expulsion!”

“Whatever.”

Tessa was done dealing with Freya’s irrational behavior.

“Fine, you just wait!”

Fuming, Freya stormed out and soon after, Tessa was called to the principal’s office by his assistant.

In the principal’s office, Freya was still ranting to Lambert about Tessa’s alleged malice.

“Mr. Lambert, Navoris High has been a prestigious school for a century, and we can’t let one student ruin our reputation. It’s really hard to accept cheating could happen here.”

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“Tessa, come sit over here.” Lambert’s demeanor towards Tessa was quite friendly.

Tessa walked over and sat on a couch

across from Freya

Tessa, I hear you scored a perfect score on your physics test.”

Tessa nodded.

“However, Ms. Knox believes you couldn’t possibly score that high and thinks you cheated. What do you have to say about this?”

“A student expelled from Falindale High scoring perfect in physics, Tessa, don’t you think your lie is a bit too much?” Freya scoffed. “Besides, I couldn’t even score a perfect on this physics paper myself; you’re telling me a student could?”

Tessa let out a cold laugh, “Embarrassing to admit your own incompetence, isn’t it?”

“You-”

Freya was genuinely outraged.

“How about this! I have a set of physics competition questions here. Why don’t you try solving them?” Lambert pulled out a sealed set of physics papers. “Ms. Knox, why don’t you give it a try too?”

“Mr. Lambert, you want me to take the same test as a student?” Her skills weren’t as good as Kevin from class one, but taking a test alongside a student felt demeaning.

“Go ahead! You’ve always felt you should be teaching the advanced classes, right? It’s time for me to see your capabilities. If you do well, I’ll consider letting you teach them.”

Lambert opened the test packet and handed out the papers.

“Tessa, this test has a total score of 100. If you score fifty, I’ll acknowledge you didn’t cheat and will apologize to you.”

Freya glanced at the papers and doubted Tessa could handle them.

Tessa, unbothered by Freya, simply grabbed the papers returned to the couch, picked up a pen, and began answering directly on the paper, not even needing scratch paper.

Meanwhile, Freya started scribbling on scratch paper for the first multiple-choice question.

This time, she had to prove herself. They all thought I couldn’t handle it, right? Now is my chance to prove them

wrong.

The physics competition test lasted two hours. Tessa finished in just one hour, set down her pen, and then put on her headphones. Meanwhile, Freya was visibly struggling with the tough questions.

When time was up, Lambert called Kevin, the head of the physics department and a teacher from class one, to grade the papers.

Hamilton, hearing about the situation, rushed over.

Since transferring to class eight, Tessa had been well-behaved, unlike the rumors from Falindale suggested.

But Freya had consistently targeted Tessa, and Hamilton didn’t want to wrongly accuse any student before the facts were clear.

Kevin started grading the papers, beginning with Freya. Ultimately, she scored seventy-eight.

Ms. Knox, your professional skills seem a bit lacking," he noted, which didn't make Freya look too good.

Hamilton then handed Tessa's paper to Kevin. "Mr. Clark, could you check Tessa's paper, please?"

Learning that Tessa was the student who scored a perfect on the physics test this month, Kevin's initial reaction was like Freya's; he assumed she had cheated.

After all, what good could come from a student who was expelled from Falindale High at just twelve and rumored to have hung out with delinquents?

But as he began grading Tessa's competition paper, he was utterly stunned...