JON-DOW · THE OPENING

Somebody's got a crush · panels 1–4 · sheet 1 of 2



1 wide · U-Jay, TC, TK, DOW · classroom

The classroom before the lesson. U-Jay and TC clown at their double desk; U-Jay has a pencil and an open exercise book. TK and DOW laugh behind. The front desk by the window is empty.



2 close · U-Jay

Over U-Jay's shoulder: a careful pencil portrait of Tanya, centre parting and glasses. He is shading her cheek, lost in it.



3 Anna, Tanya

Anna and Tanya walk in with their bags, chatting, heading for the front desk by the window.



4 TC, U-Jay

TC has seen the drawing: eyes wide, huge grin, hand already closing on the page. U-Jay turns too late.

TC: "Oh… oh no."



5 wide · TC, U-Jay, TK, DOW

TC sprints down the aisle holding the drawing over his head like a trophy; U-Jay lunges after him; TK and DOW doubled over.
U-Jay: "TC. TC!"



6 TC, Tanya, Anna

TC skids to a stop at the front desk and holds the portrait up in front of Tanya. She looks up at herself, surprised; Anna leans in.
TC: "I guess somebody's got a crush."



7 close · Tanya, Anna

Tanya giggles behind her hand, blushing, eyes on the drawing. Anna is amazed: cartoon hearts in her eyes, hands clasped.
Anna: "Tanya. He drew you."



8 U-Jay, Tanya, TK, DOW

U-Jay frozen mid-aisle, caught, half grin, hand on the back of his neck. Tanya peeks back over her shoulder with a small smile. TK and DOW point and laugh.