

To: IA

From: JR

As a token of my high esteem for you, I have reduced the spy population in your bedchambers by 19%. You have done good work. There is no one I would trust more with security on the home front.

[Small Talk Concluded]

**Primary Objective:** Prepare for Exchange Students from Yellow

**Success Conditions:** Passable physical Academy of Magic built conforming to Yellow's expectations of what an Academy of Magic looks like.

**Available Resources:**

- The Academy of History has several texts detailing outsider expectations for magical academies.
- RP's initial reports on Yellow's educational system do not deviate from historical records by more than an order of magnitude.
- The Acting Faction and the Magical Faction are likely to wish to contribute spies to this process.
  - Remind the Magical Faction that our guests are our source of novel magical data and must be made happy.
- Infotokens provided by the Academy of Magic detailing spell techniques for claimed major schools of Optics, Metablomancy and Thermodynamancy.

**Suggested Strategies:**

- Use standard building protocols.
  - Augment construction spies' facade-only work with illusions as necessary.
    - Follow stage directions from Historical Document codenamed HP+SS.
    - Avoid having illusions not backed by at least Scaffolding Tier physical objects.
- Assign proper roles from the Acting Faction

- Suggested Roles:
  - Cruel potions master
  - Best Friend (x2)
  - Whimsical Headmaster/Mentor
  - Arrogant Rival
  - Various extras
  - Professors for major schools
- Work with the Academy of Magic to translate magical InfoTokens into data capable of being learned by evolved beings. The Academy of Acting will be required to transmit this data to our targets.
- Provide at least one magical conspiracy to be uncovered by the exchange students and their Best Friends.

**Details:**

The Academy of History has no text specifically detailing exchange students FROM A magical land attending school at an adjacent one. As such, speculative iterations on this concept have produced the following strategy:

We will attempt to conform as closely as possible to the cover story that we are a similar magical land and provide a stereotypical magical educational experience (InfoTokens provided). This has the sub-benefit of preventing unknowable potential cultural misunderstandings should Yellow be exposed to our actual educational system.

I leave it in your hands what sort of magical conspiracy you would like our guests to uncover. I trust your cautious nature will make it sufficiently undamaging to either our own reputation or to our guests physical well being. Keep in mind that evolved beings care deeply about physical well being.

**Secondary Objective:** Select spy asset(s) to infiltrate yellow's Mage College.

**Success Conditions:** Spy asset(s) obtain standard magical education appropriate to their year. Spy asset(s) learn appropriate cultural

context for Yellow. Spy asset(s) can pass as a member of Yellow's society.

**Available Resources:**

- The Acting Faction has already expressed interest in this project.

**Suggested Strategies:**

- Review Academy of Histories records on "orphans", "auspicious births" and "prophecy". Select spy assets accordingly.
- Strong suggestion: choose young spy assets, but not too young (Potential age range 18 to 21 months). Experiments with Intern Jaimie indicate young exposed to the Outside do not develop Mirror Corruption. However, feedback from Red (code name: Huge Asshole) indicates that extreme young (age 14 months) are off-putting to evolved beings.

**Details:**

Your primary objective secures our right to pursue your secondary objective. Once we have provided magical educational opportunities for Yellow's students, we will be allowed to send our own students to Yellow's land.

The Academy of History is extremely clear that exchange students to a magical land are obliged to acquire large amounts of cultural significance, power and popularity. We can expect at least one world-threatening plot to be uncovered and thwarted by our spy assets, as well as life-long friends to be acquired. We MUST choose our assets accordingly, to maximize our ability to play this role.

Even beyond the basic outside cultural knowledge we will acquire, this is non optional. Pink has already informed us of at least one Bellor wide threat, we dare not let potential others remain.

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