

Dream Alone

a silent ferrets game

Overview

You were assigned male at birth (AMAB) but you are non-binary (NB). Find a way to live with it and connect to people.

Play to Find Out

Q1 Where do you belong, if anywhere?
Q2 Who will accept you, if anyone?
Q3 What is in your head and what is real?

Don't choose a Name. It's Chad. Sorry.

Choose A Gender

AMAB and NB, AMAB and NB, AMAB and pretending not to be NB, AMAB Raven, AMAB Gargoyle

Choose 2 Wardrobe Styles

Hide your queerness, look like a male, prefer jeans, ordered to wear a tie, how do i tie a tie again?, can i just wear a skirt today?

Choose why you are queer:

Your body feels comfortable in a skirt, feel violently ill when accepted into a group of men, you are from venus instead of mars, envy trans people and homosexual people even though their life is really hard since at least they know what they are, want to call yourself a lesbian

Choose why you aren't queer enough:

You don't have sex with men, You appear cis het male, facial hair, socialized as male at a young age, your name is masculine

Choose 2 Key Relationships:

The cool circle of queer friends online you wish you could talk to, the coworkers who think you're too emotional to do the job, your parents who think you would have been better as a daughter, your friends who aren't sure what to make of you, your cat who mostly wants to be fed and petted, your girlfriend who is confused why you're reading relationship advice for women, the queer person you admire who calls you cis

Tips

- Find people to connect with.
- Accept yourself and others.
- Accept people who don't want to connect with you.

Make a map of your relationships.

Draw circles for communities, points for people, put yourself in the center of the map and everyone else as far away as possible. Draw lines for relationships. For flawed relationships draw a small empty circle.

When you improve a flawed relationship, fill it in a little bit .

For good relationships, draw a small circle and fill it in next to the name.

When you heal or accept yourself or have a moment of true connection, -1 angst. \

Circular moves must be made when possible unless you make a strong move instead.

If you have more angst than tokens, give up on life.

Strong Moves -1 token

- Have a genuine moment of connection you can't ignore,
- form a relationship with someone you have connected with before (note on map),
- make art that encapsulates some aspect of your existence, lighten up for awhile,
- improve a flawed relationship in some small way,
- accept yourself in a small but real way,
- add or remove something from your list of names or pronouns
- love your name or yourself
- End a relationship that can't be fixed
- accept someone else's queer struggle without judgement or fighting back
- be accepted by your partner or friend in your NB weirdness
- connect to feminist spaces and find acceptance
- Balance your NB and fitting in with men or at work

Circular Moves +1 angst

- try to connect with a person but feel it was empty
- try to connect with a community but feel invisible
- Suppress your nature to fit in with men,
- react harshly to other queer people discussing their problems
- get ejected from feminist spaces
- talk down and act knowing,
- reject something true about yourself
- be rejected by your partner or friend since you're weird about emotional stuff
- be told you are cis (+2 angst, this is the worst)
- Wish people called you by name
- Engage painfully with a flawed relationship

Learning Moves +1 token

- identify a person you wish you were connected with
- identify a community you wish you were a part of
- self care (journaling, meditation, exercise),
- Reach out openly and be rejected,
- pour your heart out to someone you have a relationship with then listen and learn something,
- genuinely reach out in a flawed relationship,
- identify something you don't accept about yourself but want to
- talk to your partner or friend calmly about being NB
- remember something you accepted about yourself
- reflect on art you have made

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