FADE IN:

SUPER: "The Early 1980’s"

INT. CENTERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL - HALLWAY - DAY

The school is much different. Things are much brighter and happy looking then they do in the present time. The hall is empty with the exception of one lone boy at his locker.

He’s is over six feet tall, very muscled, and wearing a varsity jacket. He takes a step back and we notice that he is pretty, almost too pretty. He is GREG COOPER, the future father of one Will Cooper.

As he moves things around in his locker, a young teacher in his early 20’s approaches Greg. This is BOB STEVENS. He has more hair, weighs less, and still seems to care about his job.

Stevens taps Greg on the shoulder.

STEVENS
Hello Gregory.

GREG
(sighs/annoyed)
Hey Mr. Stevens.

STEVENS
You know Mr. Cooper, I have a bit of a problem. I’ve just graded the midterms. You want to know what you got?

GREG
D+?

STEVENS
An "F" Mr. Cooper!

GREG
What? That’s bull! That was solid "D" work.

STEVENS
It’s an "F" Mr. Cooper! The latest in a long line of "F"’s with more guaranteed to come.

PRINCIPAL LYNDON BROOKS appears.

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BROOKS
What’s going on here?

STEVENS
Ah, Principal Brooks. I was just reprimanding Mr. Cooper here for failing my class.

BROOKS
Failing a class, Mr. Cooper? That’s horrible.

Greg lowers his heads, remorseful.

BROOKS
Especially since the baseball playoffs just started and Cooper here is our star pitcher. What a shame.

STEVENS
Well, if Mr. Cooper just applied himself a little more he would still be able to play.

BROOKS
You know what you could do, Bob?

STEVENS
What’s that?

BROOKS
You could temporary change Cooper’s grades so that it come out to a "C".

STEVENS
Wait, what?

BROOKS
Yeah just change his grades a little bit. That way we could all be happy because Greg here could play in the playoffs.

STEVENS
Change the grade? But Sir, that’s unethical and incredibly unfair to the other students.

BROOKS
(scoffs)
Come now, Bob. Don’t you want to see our school do well in sports?

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STEVENs
Yes I do but -

BROOKS
Don’t you want to help the school by doing us this huge favor?

STEVENs
I mean, I like helping the school but -

BROOKS (threatening)
Don’t you want to keep your job?

Stevens pauses and thinks about it.

BROOKS
Then let Cooper play. Pass him.

STEVENs (sighs)
Yes sir.

Brooks begins to walk away.

BROOKS
Oh by the way, you better change it to an "A". That way it makes it seem like our players are great at sports and academics.

Brooks disappears. Stevens is heartbroken while Greg is completely surprised.

STEVENs
Your grade will be changed, Cooper. Get out of my sight.

Greg begins to walk away.

GREG (under breath)
Oh man! I fucking rule! When I have kids they are going to own this place!

SMASH CUT TO:
INT. CENTERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL - DAY

SUPER: "Now"

WILL COOPER and BROCK WARNER stand by their lockers.

WILL
You see, Brock. There’s a big
difference between Guy Gardner
Green Lantern and Hal Jordan Green
Lantern. You see back in the 60’s –

VOICE (O.S.)
GET THE NERD!

A group of JOCKS grab Will and drag him away.

JOCK
Let’s see if this fucking loser can
breath under toilet water.

WILL
You’ve tried before! You know I
can’t!

They throw him into the nearby bathroom, laughing all the
way.

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