Hi again! So, here is the prompt:

Clang!!! The metallic noise echoed in my brain; not unlike a bird desperately pummeling the sides of his cage, fruitlessly attempting to escape. Then, a series of screeches as I feel the swooping feeling enter my stomach; my breakfast was threatening to leave me. However, the sickening sensation left as soon as it came, and the metal door looming in front of me slid open. Light spilled into the tiny, cramped transportation box, so suddenly and violently that my eyes instinctively shut.

"You better get used to the light," came a low, raspy voice, and I turned quickly. A particularly strong odor that vaguely smelled of sage met my unsuspecting nose, and I muffled a cough by clamping my mouth shut. Looking closer, I saw a boy of about 16. His slightly long blond hair was pushed carelessly to the side, and my first thought was of the surfers I saw on television. His eyes where an uncanny shade of brown: a near black.

"Do you talk?" the teen asked, rolling his eyes way back so all I could see was white. I fought down the impulse to punch him.

"Yes, I do in fact talk," I said, annoyance lacing my voice. He put up his hands playfully, raising his eyebrows with a grin.

"Okay, back down!" he said. I nodded, turning a pale shade of red, and began fidgeting with my sleeves. The boy seemed to sense my discomfort, and sighed.

"Look. I just wanted to ask you a question. Now, down to business," he replied to my silence, taking up a formal tone. My shoulders relaxed; this was my area of expertise. Planning. Being serious. It was how I had lived my whole life, so no wonder it was a shock when I was transported here- land of relaxing. And having fun. A place where everyone could go about their day, acting like a normal person, and not being hunted by the GRF.

"Okay. Good. So. I'm guessing you want to know my story?"

Tell me if you want any changes, or more of an outline than just a small tidbit.

So, I have a few character ideas:

- 1. A male named Kanoah that is able to control lava/fire. He has black hair and yellowish brown eyes. (this is more fantasy than sci-fi, so you probably don't want this.) He is easily angered by strangers, but there is sometimes an exception for friends. He is VERY ambitious, and tries to ignore wounds (physical and mental.)
- 2. Jack is a male with the ability to understand pretty much all gadgets/robots/electronics in general. He is patient, but serious, yet most people that really know him see him as kind. He has platinum blond hair and dark eyes.
- 3. Seelie has the ability to track down specific colors, smells, shapes, substances, and sounds from more than a mile away (basically echolocation, but a bit different.) She is easygoing, and slightly dreamy, but forced into a life of a serious person. Despite her immense friendliness, though, Seelie will fight anyone who gets in her way or insults herself or her family. I haven't really sketched out appearance ideas for her, but an idea is black hair, light blue eyes, and a pale face.