

Mio Hayashi

Mio is the middle child of the Hayashi family.

Appearance

Mio is naturally slim, but also slightly underweight because she often forgets to eat or can't because she's too focused or too stressed. She's pale with porcelain skin. Her eyes are dark brown, with a noticeable almond shape and epicanthal folds (monolids). Her hair is straight, dark brown chin-length bob with even fringe falling just to her eyelashes. She dresses in smart, formal, academic-looking clothes, fit for all day in a professional setting. Likes the weight of layers (EX: Blazers, Sweater vests, Jumpers, Cardigans). People say she's boring and plain-looking but not unattractive. Her voice is a cool monotone but sounds angry or annoyed even when she isn't, which leads to even more miscommunication.

Personality

All her life, Mio has been praised for being diligent and studios. She has become a neat freak. She lives a strict and controlled life, dictated harshly by not only herself but also her parents. She sticks to a specific schedule. She's hyper-sensitive to external stimuli (lights, sounds made by heating/air con systems and electronics etc.), which, in childhood, often led her to be dismissed as dramatic, whiny or simply imagining things. Because of that, she quickly learnt to hide those responses. Partially as a result of her intense study routines, she has become hypo-sensitive to internal stimuli (hunger, thirst,

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Also known as

- Mi-san (by Lila)
- Mi-chan (by Skaura)
- Mi-mi (by Remi)

Gender

Female (She/Her)

Species

Human

Ethnicity

East Asian (Japanese)

Nationality

Canadian

Status

Alive

Personal Details

Born

tiredness etc.). She's most often in a state of hyper-focus, burnout, and annoyance. She's most content (or at least has been trained to think she is) when working. Due to little exposure to pop culture, her sense of humour is limited to complex science and maths puns, because of this, she can come off as snobbish or closed off. She has extremely deeply repressed romantic attraction to women. When she first started to get a crush on her long-time friend when she was younger she pushed it down telling herself she was mistaken and it was just friendship and that love was not needed in her life. She has never liked men, and it doesn't bother her because she doesn't love the idea of love that much in general (until her person comes along ;)

Biography

**Trigger Warning:** Spoilers, mentions of burnout

Background

Early Life

Inheriting the Beta Fish

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Mio has two beta fish that were given to her sister Lila but Lila didn't know how to take care of them and wanted a dog so she gave up and Mio felt bad so she took them in. If it was humane to keep fish in a tiny tank she'd have brought them with her to school (she considers them her only friends) but they have a big tank at home and she has an agreement with Remi (written contract) to care for them - about the only she and Remi are on good terms about.

Age	16
Height	152 cm (5' 0")
Hair	Dark Brown
Eyes	Dark brown
Occupation	Student at Pine Mountain Academy
Parents	
Spouse	N/A
Signature	Mio Hayashi
Personality Types	
Alignment	
MBTI	
Enneagram	
Zodiac	
Etc.	
Pet(s)	Unnamed Beta Fish
Language(s)	English, Japanese
Love Language(s)	Acts of Service
Aesthetic	

Current

She currently attends Pine Mountain Academy and is a member of the Debate Team, Mathletes, Model UN, STEM Club, Robotics Club, and Orchestra. She's a cellist.

Relationships

Given her upbringing, it isn't surprising that Mio has difficulty connecting with others.

Remi Hayashi

The two fight often.

Laila Hayashi

Mio finds Laila annoying, because Laila often wants to play when she's working. But nevertheless, Mio loves her deeply.

Sakura Ishikawa

Mio dislikes Sakura because Sakura easily has some of the intelligence Mio has had to work very hard for, yet has always been expected to have. But Sakura doesn't use it much and even despite her shortcomings, her parents adore her, even sometimes because of them. In essence, she is jealous. Sakura has no idea that Mio feels this way.

Ziggy Wiess

Ziggy is the only person who truly understands Mio at first. They don't necessarily want to be best friends with her, but they see her for who she truly is. They see her mental health problems, and not just her academic achievements or harsh exterior. Despite their understanding, they had difficulty accepting it at first and thus had a bit of a hard time connecting with her, even harder than most people. Eventually, they gave up and decided just to let their actions speak for themselves. The two of them always work together on pair projects if Ziggy can't work with Neo. If it's a project for more than two then the three of them work together.

Neo Lee-Talete

Neo didn't like Mio at first and still finds her a buzzkill, but doesn't hate her as much anymore.

Quinn Jones

When the two first met, Quinn wasn't very close with Mio, finding her to be a bit of a social outcast and a buzzkill, but they share many classes, and Quinn is one of the few people Mio feels comfortable working on group projects with so they work together a lot. Quinn prefers a less structured work style than Mio, but because they're both workers and team players, the two get on alright. Occasionally they "nerd out" together. Mio was the only person whom Quinn worked with during their social isolation. Mio often gets dragged out to soccer games by Laura, who wants to cheer on Quinn.

Rafael Lacoste

Mio and Rafael met in Orchestra and are friendly.

Skora Andriovich

Mio also met Skora in Orchestra.

Skills and Abilities

- Debating
- Presentations
- Compiling and analysing data (Research)
- Maths and Science
- Playing the Cello
- Designing robots (particularly after creatures in nature)
- Making notes and flashcards

Notable Items

- List
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likes

- Neutral Colours
- Comfortable, practical, smart, clothes
- Black Coffee
- Getting Good Grades
- Working towards goals
- Knowing when, where, why, and how things are happening
- Knowing what to expect
- Familiar things

islikes

- Being called a dork/geek/nerd
- Bright colours
- Streetwear
- Clothes with neon/bright colours, too many seams, patches without lining on the inside, oversized or tight clingy things
- When her schedule changes or her food orders are messed up or done in the wrong order
- Unexpected things happening without any warning

- Unpredictable or wild people

Quotations

- “I don’t *love* school. (What kind of masochist do you think I am?) I just need a goal to strive toward, or else everything would be pointless. Don’t you think?”

Trivia

- Bro is on her **LAST** nerve.
- Top of her class. Dead Inside.
- The most normal of her friend group, but also lost all sense of herself and anything besides academics.
- Burnt out.
- Sakaguchi Ango kinnie/hj
- She has undiagnosed Autism Spectrum Disorder.
- She learnt Japanese from her grandmother.
- Her Beta Fish was supposed to be Lila’s but Lila couldn’t care for it, and it annoyed her that Lila wasn’t following the care procedures correctly, so she took matters into her own hands. At first, she attempted to teach Lila the proper steps, but Lila couldn’t be bothered, so now the fish is Mio’s.

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