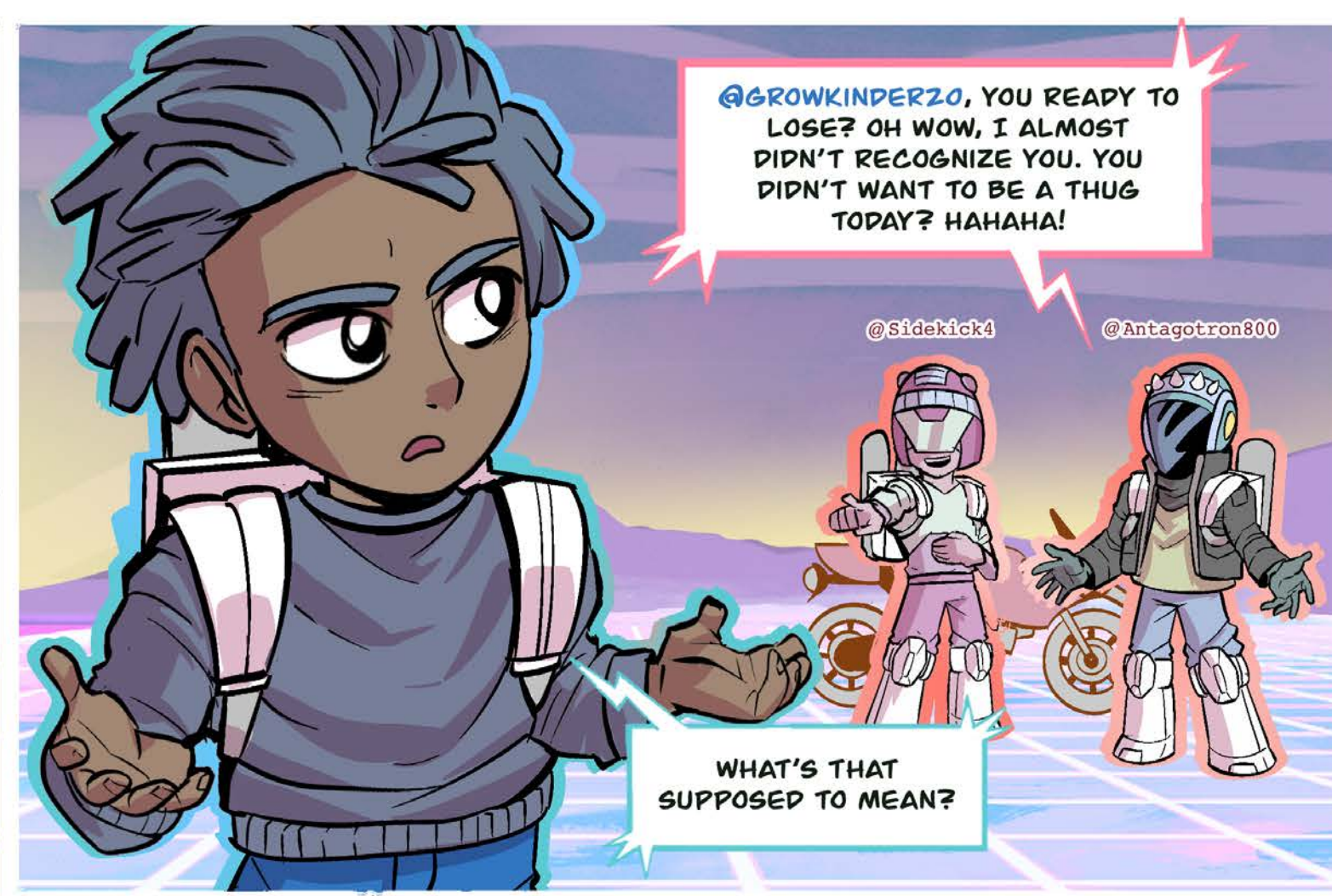


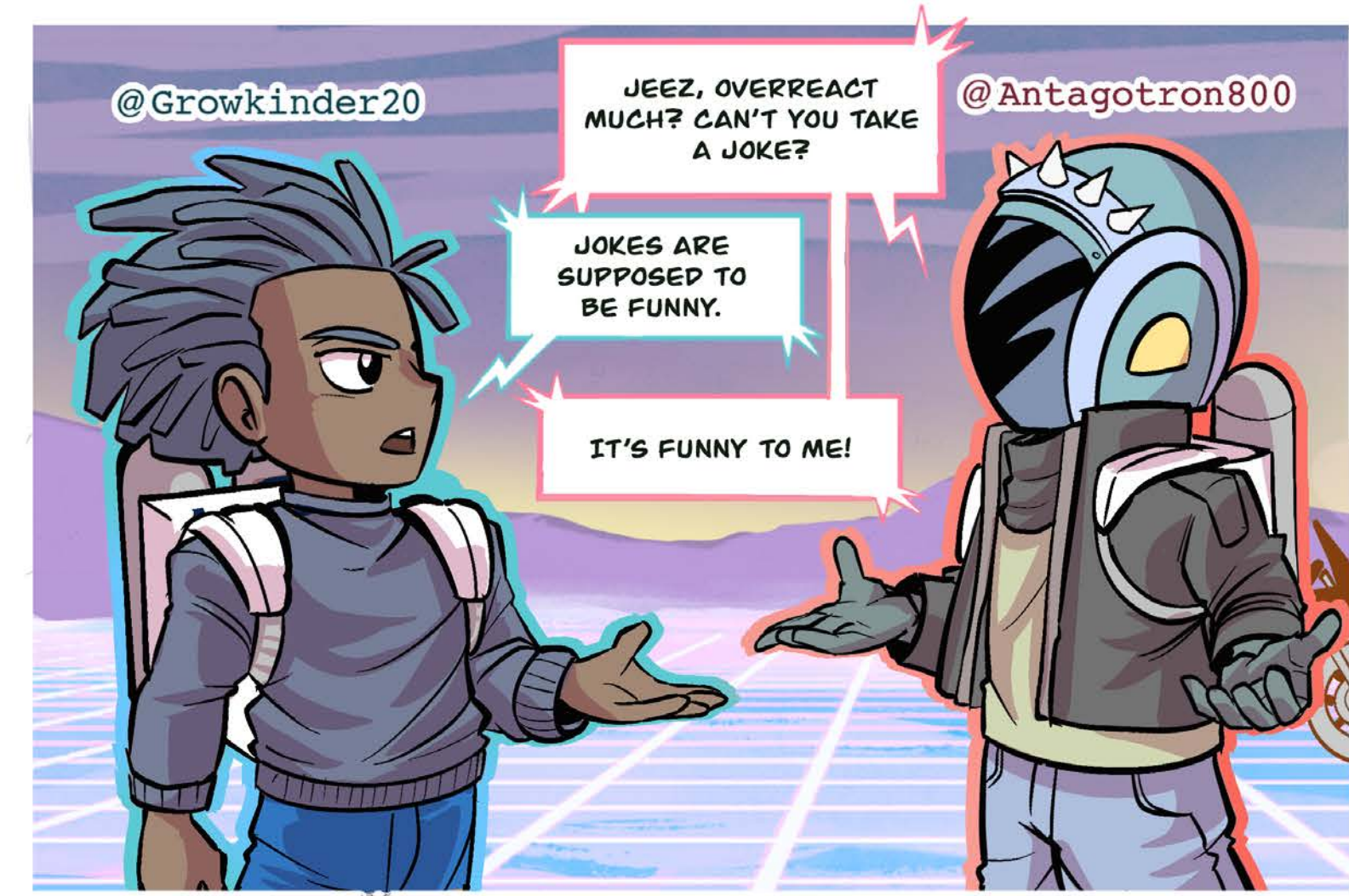


MAYBE NOT THE HOODIE THIS TIME. MAYBE THEN I WON'T GET PICKED ON ...

I REALLY LIKE THE HOODIE, THOUGH. I WISH I DIDN'T HAVE TO CHANGE HOW I LOOK.

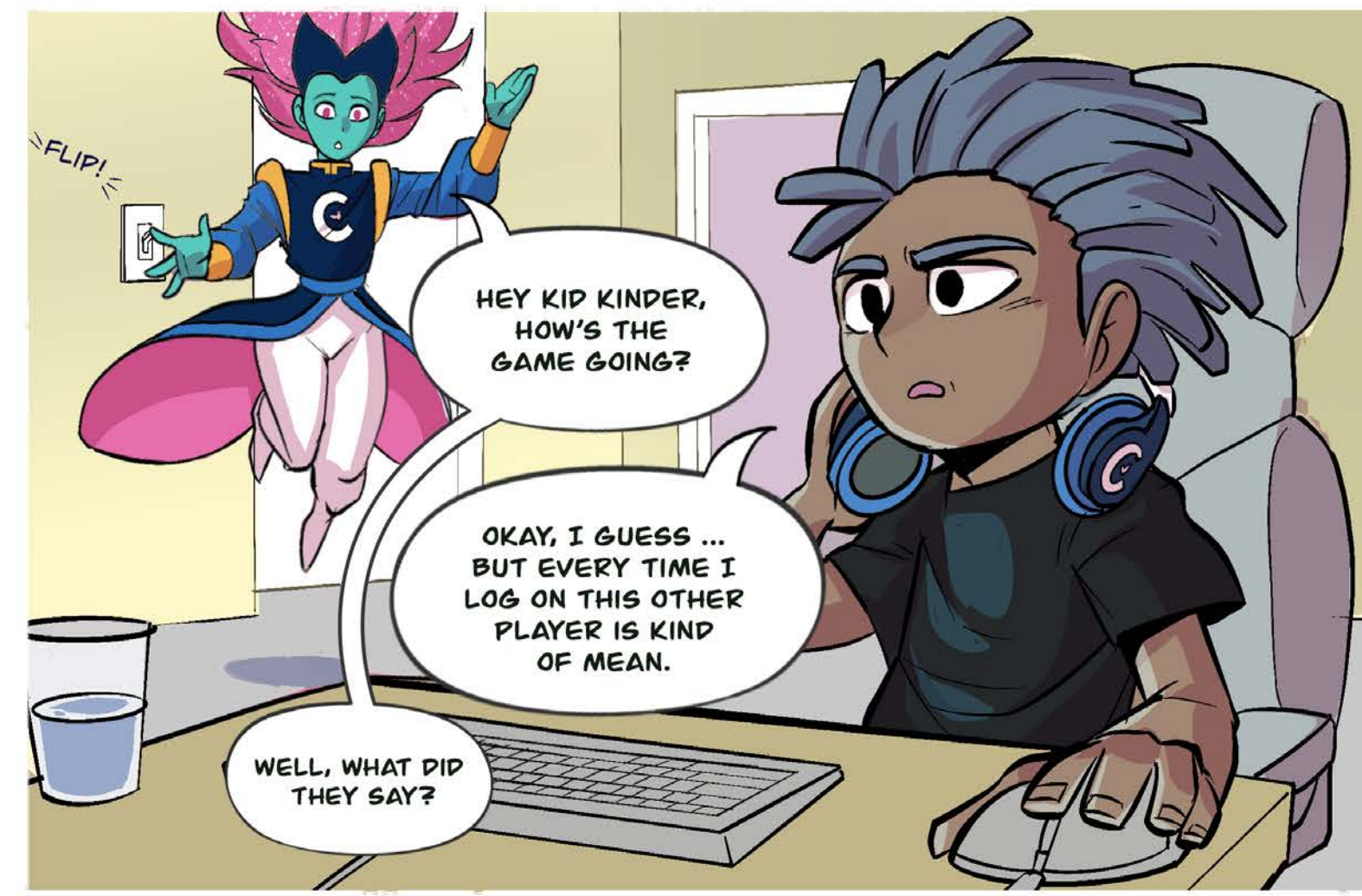


WHAT'S THAT SUPPOSED TO MEAN?



JOKES ARE SUPPOSED TO BE FUNNY.

IT'S FUNNY TO ME!



HEY KID KINDER, HOW'S THE GAME GOING?

OKAY, I GUESS ... BUT EVERY TIME I LOG ON THIS OTHER PLAYER IS KIND OF MEAN.

WELL, WHAT DID THEY SAY?



I DON'T KNOW. THEY ALWAYS BRING UP HOW I LOOK LIKE A THUG. LIKE THERE'S SOMETHING WRONG WITH ME.

THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH YOU, KID KINDER. SOMETIMES KIDS BULLY OTHERS BECAUSE OF THEIR RACE AND THAT'S NOT OKAY.

HONOR YOUR GUT INTUITION. IF IT DOESN'T FEEL LIKE A FUNNY, EASYGOING JOKE, IT PROBABLY ISN'T. I WONDER WHAT YOUR FRIENDS THINK.



I THINK ARI AND ZOEV ARE AT THE SKATE PARK. I SHOULD TALK TO THEM ABOUT IT.