

More Than Survive

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[Chorus 1]

G **C**
C-c-c c mon, c-c-c- c mon,
C
Go, go
G **C**
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G
Go, go

[Verse]

C
I m waiting for my porno to load
C
My brain is gonna freakin explode
C
And now, of course, it s time to hit the road
A **E**
Which means I ll be uncomfortable all day
F **C**
But that really isn t such a change
C
If I m not feeling weird or super strange
A **E** **F**
My life would be in utter disarray
F **G**
Cause freaking out is my okay
F **G** **C**
Good morning time to start the day!

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[Verse]

A **C** **A**
Should I take a bus or walk instead?
A **C** **A**
I feel my stomach filling up with dread
A
When I get nervous my whole face goes red

Dm **E**
 Dude, weigh the options calmly and be still
C **E** **G**
 A junior on the bus is killer weak
C **E** **G**
 But if I walk when I arrive I m gonna straight up reek
A **C** **A**
 And my boxers will be bunchy and my pits will leak
Dm **E**
 Ugh, God, I wish I had the skill
F **G** **C**
 To just be fine and cool and chill

[Chorus 2]

C **F**
 I don t wanna be a hero
F **G** **C**
 Just wanna stay in the line
F
 I ll never be your Rob DeNiro
G **C**
 For me Joe Pesci is fine
F
 So I follow my own rules
G
 And I use them as my tools
E7 **F**
 To stay alive
Dm
 I don t wanna be special, no, no
G
 I just wanna survive

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[Instrumental]

Bb C Bb C G E

[Verse]

C Bb **C** **G**
 I navigate the dangerous hall
C **Bb** **C** **D#**
 Focus on a poster there on the wall
C **Bb** **C** **G**
 Avoiding any eye contact at all

A **E** **C**
And trying hard to remain unseen
C
The poster s closer now, what does it say?
C
It s a sign-up for the after-school play
C
It s a sign-up sheet for getting called gay

A **E**
And that s not what I need right now

F
End scene

F **G**
I hang a left and there s

C
Christine...

G
Christine...

F
Christine...

F
Christine Canigula

G **C**
Christine...

[Verse]

A **C**
Well, that was smooth

A **C**
Yeah, that was super pimp

A **C** **A** **C**
My Mac Daddy game couldn t be more limp

Dm **E** **F**
No time to wallow, no, instead,

G **F**
Just clear your brain and move ahead

G **F**
Accept that you re one of those guys

G **C**
Who ll be a virgin til he dies

C **F**
I don t wanna be a baller

G
Just want some skills to count on

A **F**
If my nuts were any smaller

G
They would be totally gone

A **F**
If I continue at this rate

G
The only thing I ll ever date

E **F**

Is my MacBook Pro hard drive

C G

I don't wanna be Clooney, no, no

C

I just wanna survive

C

Michael!

[Verse]

E C#

Jeremy, my buddy

G

How's it hanging?

G

Lunch is banging

A

Had my sushi,

E

Got my slushie and more!

A

The roll was meki maki

C Dm G

And I'm feeling kinda cocky

Bb

E

Cause that girl at Sev Elev gave me a generous pour

E C#

Oh, I'm listening to Marley

Bm

A

And the groove is sounding gnarly

Dm

E

And we're almost at the end of this song

A

Yeah, that was the end

Bm A

Now tell me friend

G

How was class?

A

You look like ass

A

What's wrong?

[Verse]

G C

Christine...

G C

Christine...

F

Christine...

F

Christine Canigula

G C

Christine...

G C

Christine...

F

Christine...

F

Christine Canigula

F

G

Christine Canigula

[Bridge]

C

I feel my body moving through the air

F

See my converse walking over there

G

Take a shaky breath and I prepare

F

G

F

Who cares if people think I m lame

F

G

Christine signed, I ll do the same

F

G

I grab the pen, I write my name

[Chorus 2]

C

F

I m never gonna be the cool guy

G

C

I m more the one who s left out

F

Of all the characters at school

G

C

F

I am not the one who the story s about

F

G

C

Why can t someone just help me out

A

Dm

F

And teach me how to thrive

C

G

F

Help me to more than survive!

[Outro]

G

A

F

More than survive!

G

A

F

More than survive!

F

A

F

If this was an apocalypse

G

I would not need any tips

E

F

In how to stay alive

F

A

G

But since the zombie army s yet to descend

Dm

C

And the period is going to end

Dm F G

I m just trying my best to pass the test and

C

Survive!

Bb C

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