

Naruto: New York style!

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When feelings start blooming in the Upper East Side, who knows what will happen? NaruHina, SasuSaku, Sailno, NejiTen, ShikaTema, KibaOC, and anything else I decide to throw in there =)

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0 - Profiles

PROFILES

Note: Everyone lives in New York. This is an AU fic, so there s no chakra, jutsu, or anything like that. And everyone in the story works at a trading company from New York to Japan. So, yeah... Oh, and Kakashi doesn t wear a mask =D Only paranoid people wear masks like that here in the U.S.

Coupling profiles

Naruto Uzumaki

Age: 23

Interests: sports, his job, hanging out on Fridays with Neji, Kiba, Shino, Sasuke, Shikamaru, Choji, Lee, Sai, Gaara, Kankurou, Asuma, Kakashi and Gai

Personality: determined, hyper, attention-span of a squirrel

Other: eats instant ramen almost every night

Hinata Hyuuga

Age: 21

Interests: going to the mall with friends Tenten, Fujimi (OC), Sakura, Anko, Kurenai, Ino and Temari

Personality: very shy, sweet, always trying to lend a hand

Other: cousin to Neji Hyuuga, big crush on Naruto ever since she started working at the trading company

Sasuke Uchiha

Age: 23

Interests: surpassing his brother Itachi at work, hanging out with Naruto and the guys

Personality: expressionless, slightly moody

Other: not really anything else

Sakura Haruno

Age: 21

Interests: hanging out with girlfriends in the Upper East Side

Personality: rational thinker, tends to lose her temper at times

Other: part-time nanny (I m CRAAAAAZY XD)

Sai (last name not important)

Age: 23

Interests: hanging out with the guys

Personality: tends to talk before thinking
Other: closet artist, older brother passed away in car accident

Ino Yamanaka

Age: 21
Interests: mall with girlfriends
Personality: quick-tongued, short-tempered but can be gentle when the situation requires it
Other: child-hood friend of Sakura s

Neji Hyuuga

Age: 23
Interests: job
Personality: smart, not easily amused
Other: cousin to Hinata Hyuuga

Tenten (last name not important)

Age: 21
Interests: shopping (duh)
Personality: thinks things through, kind
Other: thinks she may have more than friendly feelings for Neji

Kiba Inuzuka

Age: 23
Interests: hanging out with the guys, friendly with his dog Akamaru
Personality: loud, hot-tempered
Other: constantly teased by older sister, crush on Fujimi

Fujimi (last name not important)

Age: 21
Interests: mall with girlfriends
Personality: witty, doesn't put up with incompetence
Other: nothing else I can think of

Shikamaru Nara

Age: 23
Interests: nothing really except for hanging with the guys
Personality: lazy
Other: not exactly his boss's favorite employee due to his lack of motivation

Temari (last name not important)

Age: 21

Interests: shopping, again

Personality: intelligent, tries to keep the group together through good and bad times

Other: teased by brothers Gaara and Kankurou because of her relationship with Shikamaru

Asuma Sarutobi

Age: 24

Interests: nothing except hanging with the guys

Personality: aloof

Other: addicted smoker, married to Kurenai

Kurenai Yuhi

Age: 22

Interests: shopping

Personality: affectionate, understanding

Other: married to Asuma

Kakashi Hatake

Age: 24

Interests: reading graphic novels written by Jiraiya, hanging with the guys

Personality: calm, has a playful side at times

Other: married to Anko

Anko Mitarashi

Age: 22

Interests: shopping

Personality: energetic

Other: loves sweets, quit working under Orochimaru because of the little credit he gave her, married to Kakashi

OTHER CHARACTERS

This is for characters that aren't really paired with anyone but appear in the story.

Gaara (last name not important)

Age: 23

Interests: hanging with the guys

Personality: emotionless, when showing some emotion, curious

Other: teases sister Temari, brother to Kankurou

Kankurou (last name not important)

Age: 24

Interests: hanging with the guys

Personality: simple, wants what any kind of guy wants

Other: teases sister Temari, brother to Gaara

Maito Gai

Age: 24

Interests: job, hanging with the guys

Personality: determined, hot-blooded, cries sometimes

Other: close friends with Lee

Rock Lee

Age: 23

Interests: job, hanging with the guys

Personality: hardworking, cries sometimes

Other: used to have crush on Sakura, friends with her now, would like to have a soul mate but doesn't mind being single, close friends with Gai

Tsunade

Age: 35

Interests: keeping things in order

Personality: controlling, short-tempered

Other: boss of agency Naruto and friends work at, constantly turns down multiple dates from Jiraiya, drinking and gambling problems

Shino Aburame

Age: 23

Interests: insects, hanging with the guys

Personality: expressionless

Other: nothing else

And then there's all the other characters. I love changing ages around so everything works!

Wow, if you have read all of this and have made it to this point, I salute you. Here, have a cookie! *gives free cookies*

1 - Monday

It was a busy Monday at the trading agency. Naruto, trying his best to keep all the papers in his hands while he ran around making copies, wasn't in a completely cheerful mood. Due to the fact that his alarm clock was now broken on the busiest day of the week, he had woken up late and had to skip his morning coffee if he wanted to get to work on time.

So he was cranky. And messing with him would have been a big mistake.

Hinata and Sakura noticed this as he frantically ran around the office, trying to keep their distance.

Suddenly Tsunade burst into the active workroom, catching everyone's attention and making things a bit quieter. Employees looked over the walls around their desks that allowed for some privacy. The freakin' coffee maker isn't working! Tsunade angrily declared, Shizune trembling behind her. What, is it the start of broken appliances week? Neither is the printer! Kakashi stated. Anko was standing right behind him, trying to see if the ink cartridge was empty or not. Pretty much certain that the news was over, people went back to scurrying about. Tsunade made a mental note that she would have a big start of the week right on the town, bigger than the others she usually planned.

Sasuke placed his face in his hands, his eyes bloodshot from staring too hard at the computer. Aw, don't worry. You'll get back into the swing of things, came a voice from behind him.

Not now, Itachi, Sasuke muttered into his hands, not caring if Itachi had or hadn't heard.

Apparently he did. Itachi walked over to where Sasuke was sitting and ruffled his hair; an action that he knew would get his little brother angrier. Sasuke looked up long enough to give Itachi one of his death glares. Itachi merely smiled and went back to his desk, and Sasuke saw Sakura come towards him. So, Sakura tried to start, hoping Sasuke wouldn't shoo her away. Did you finish that report Tsunade made us do?

Yeah, Sasuke replied, staring at the screen again. Two days ago. Now it won't load from the stupid flash drive, and even if it does, there's only three printers working for the entire office. Sakura nodded, as if she understood. What she didn't say was that she had already printed her report, but figuring it was better for Sasuke not to know, she kept her mouth shut. There was an uncomfortable silence between them for awhile. Sakura looked up and saw Temari, tapping her foot while waiting in line for the printer.

Um, okay, uh, bye? Sakura tried to make a break for it. Sasuke nodded in her general direction and started typing something on the computer.

Sakura walked over to Temari. The blonde looked to her side and saw one of her friends approach.

Hey, Sakura. Temari looked back at the printer.

Things have gotten pretty crazy, huh? Crazy than usual.

Hn. came Temari's reply. Sakura knew there wasn't going to be any use talking to this brick wall either, which was unusual, because Temari was usually a bit more talkative than this. She sighed and went back to her desk, where she found Hinata looking at her computer screen. Hello, Sakura said with a smile, as if Hinata had been invited over for lunch and they were just starting. Unaware of Sakura's presence, Hinata jumped and turned around, shaking. Sakura's grin grew wider. Hinata, you've got to toughen up sooner or later. Hinata looked down at the ground and mumbled, I-I was just wondering if I could use your computer for a minute; mine's not working too well today.

Sure, all you had to do was ask, Sakura said to her dark-haired friend. Hinata sat down at the computer, her back to Sakura. As she was typing, Sakura noticed that there was a pause in one of her sentences and caught Hinata looking in Naruto's direction.

Ah, what do we have here? Hinata tensed up at Sakura's voice. N-nothing, she answered quickly and

went back to typing. Yeah, you were totally checking Naruto out. Not that bad of a choice, in my opinion...

Hinata turned around quickly and snapped, I wasn't doing anything! The red blush that had appeared across her cheeks begged to differ. Sakura shrugged, as if to say, *Have it your way*. As she walked away and left Hinata to her own thoughts, Sakura herself was thinking, *Oooh, wait till the others hear about this....*

Yeah, there's that. I will show some other couples in the next chapter, I promise. I saw the Nanny Diaries three nights ago, and I got a couple ideas from that, so, if you've seen the movie, you might notice a few connections.

Oh, and if anyone knows the name of that actor who also plays Human Torch in Fantastic Four, please give me his name, he is drop-dead GORGEOUS! ;D

2 - Lunch Break!

Ino looked around the workroom-turned-beehive. Suddenly she spotted Sai leaving the coffee room. She had been eyeing him for a while now, and as she smoothed her hair back except for her bangs, she tried to think of what she was going to say. She approached Sai carefully, but he spotted her anyway and greeted her with "Sup?"

Ino smiled and tried to look casual. "Nothin' much," she breathed in and tried not to wimp out before she could speak. "So, um, do you have anything for Saturday? I mean, if you do, then that's okay, but I was just wondering..." Ino trailed off. Sai tried to make eye contact with her. That was a bit of a struggle, considering she was looking this way and that. Finally he just said, "Yeah, I'm free." Ino suddenly looked up, showing an ear-to-ear grin. *Oh, no! Act casual, act casual!!!!* screamed a voice in her head. So she softened her smile, and talking slowly, she responded, "Okay, should I give you my number?" Sai shrugged.

"Okay, um, -oh, Tenten!" Ino said to her friend a few feet away at her desk. Tenten turned around to see who had spoken, and when she saw Ino looking at her, she asked, "Yeah?"

"Could I borrow a sticky-note?"

"Fine with me." Ino quickly ripped off a piece of paper from the stack and hastily scribbled her number on it. She turned around and practically shoved it in Sai's chest. "Here," she said happily. Sai smiled at her and headed back to his desk.

Ino sighed with delight. She was seeing the mega-hottie on Saturday, and she didn't know if life got any better than that. Tenten smirked behind her. "So, how long have you been waiting for that to happen?" she asked playfully. Ino looked around and gave her a dirty look. "I don't know what you're talking about," she defended herself. "Come on, Ino. It's old news now. Everyone knows you like him. Well, everybody *except* him."

"Shut up, Tenten." Ino snapped. As soon as she turned back around, she started letting that dreamy smile creep back on her face. Tenten sighed and swerved back around in her chair, unintentionally making eye-contact with Neji. They smiled at each other being the good friends they were, and Tenten went back to work on her computer, once again getting angry at the stupid printer for crashing because of too many print requests.

That's it, Shikamaru said with a yawn. "The printer's not working; I'm taking my lunch break. He started to get up. "What are you talking about?! You haven't even typed two pages!" Fujimi pointed out to him. Shikamaru shrugged and said "I'll be at Offerdahl's. See ya." And with that he headed towards the exit, disappearing in the sea of workers waiting for their papers. Fujimi shook her head, not believing how she could be sitting next to such a lazy bum. She would have described him as an idiot, but that didn't seem to fit too well, considering Shikamaru had an IQ of over 200. If only he used it more often than he did...

Fujimi looked back at her screen. She was one of the few people who had already printed and turned in the report to Tsunade, but now she didn't know what to do. She was hungry, and figuring she had done enough work to actually *deserve* a lunch break, she headed for the door, and ultimately, Einstein Bagels. Once she stepped out she found the other girls going to lunch, too. Hey, wait for me! Fujimi pleaded as she caught up with the rest of them. Temari turned around and gave the others the signal to wait.

Fujimi, Sakura started. Where are you going? Because we have no idea.

Einstein's, she answered. The others nodded in agreement, deciding it would be okay for today. Hey, what do you say when work lets out, we stop at Current Events? Kurenai suggested, knowing that it was the favorite clothes shop for all of them. Ino nodded furiously, knowing she would probably have to buy something for her date with Sai. Anko started humming Public Affair and received a playful punch on the shoulder from Tenten.

As they walked along, Sakura got a devilish smile on her face. Hey, guess who I caught Hinata staring at today? Hinata froze and gave Sakura a look of complete shock. Sakura went on, seeing the looks on everyone's faces at the mention of shy little Hinata being in love. Sakura, don't! Hinata almost screamed clutching Sakura's arm. Sakura was getting a kick out of this now. It s-
NOOOOOOO!

NARUTO! Sakura finished.

Everyone's eyes grew wide. Suddenly Anko and Ino burst out laughing, and Tenten smiled, although it was obvious she was trying not to. Fujimi and Kurenai were saying, That's it? You're making fun of her *that*? No one's reactions were helping to Hinata. She turned red and started walking in the opposite direction, leaving Sakura asking, Wait, where are you going?

I'm not hungry! Hinata yelled back.

Hinata! HINATA! Sakura continued, suddenly feeling bad. Fujimi was glaring at her, giving her a look that said, *Smooth*.

So Hinata starved that day until she got home.

Aw, poor Hinata! Well, that about wraps this one up. I'll start the next one soon.

Thanks for reading!

3 - Chat room

If you read the tyt series, you ll definitely notice some similarities. On with the story!

dangodevil321: Anko
cherryblossom86: Sakura
pandaprodigy: Tenten
fangirl716: Temari
aquaangel: Hinata

That s all I might include. Screennames suck, I know. TT_TT

Monday, 6:30 p.m.

cherryblossom86: anko, u there?

Auto response from

dangodevil321: Roses are red, violets are blue, sugar is sweet, quite unlike you. The roses are wilting, the violets are dead, the sugar bowl s empty, and so is your head.

cherryblossom86: ooh, that s nice. tell me where you got it. IM me!

Monday, 6:32 p.m.

cherryblossom86: tenten! thank god ur there!

pandaprodigy: no prob. wazzup?

cherryblossom86: i feel like complete and total garbage. I hope hinata forgives me.

pandaprodigy: don t worry about it. that s not like hinata. she s over it by the next day. or couple of days. or week.

pandaprodigy: god, maybe u DID screw up.

cherryblossom86: tenten!

pandaprodigy: relax! i was joking!

cherryblossom86: *gives death glare*

fangirl716 has entered the room.

fangirl716: hellllloooo, there, everyone!

cherryblossom86: hn.

pandaprodigy: hiya!

fangirl716: sup?

cherryblossom86: wallowing in my guilt. :(
fangirl716: what s up with her?
pandaprodigy: hinata.
fangirl716: ah.

dangodevil321 has entered the room.

dangodevil321: sakura, did you need me?
cherryblossom86: *nods sadly*
fangirl716: she s worrying about hinata.
pandaprodigy: sakura, suck it up! i know hinata already has.
pandaprodigy: besides, she s got a crush. its cute! just tell her that and she ll forgive you.
cherryblossom86: you think?
fangirl716: of course. hey, her name just popped up on my buddy list. you want to go talk to her?
cherryblossom86: as if!
dangodevil321: well, *i* will.
cherryblossom321: wait, Anko, no!!!!!!!

dangodevil321 has left the room.

cherryblossom86: ANKO!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
pandaprodigy: *tries to hold frantic sakura down* calm down, sakura! someone s got to talk to hinata!
cherryblossom86:
NOOOOOOOOOOOEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEESSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSSS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Monday, 6:34 p.m.

dangodevil321: hinata! thank god i caught u!
aquaangel: why? i m still really angry and you should back off if you know what s good for you. *flaming eyes*
dangodevil321: but sakura didn t mean the stuff she said! it s adorable that your finally in love!
aquaangel: *weighs whether to forgive sakura or chop her up into little pieces*
dangodevil321: *waits*
aquaangel: you think?
dangodevil321: of course! i was just talking to her in the other room and she doesn t want to come here cuz she s too afraid to talk to you.

cherryblossom86 has entered the room

dangodevil321: *blinks and sweatdrops* two out of three ain t bad...
cherryblossom86: I M SORRY I M SORRY I M SORRY I M SORRY
aquaangel: whoa!
aquaangel: i think i get it now.

cherryblossom86: kthxbye

cherryblossom86 has left the room

dangodevil321: wth?

aquaangel: was she telling the truth?

dangodevil321: she was typing in all caps, of course she was telling the truth!

aquaangel: naruto is cute! i have a right to like him if i want!

dangodevil: hey, i didn t say anything. bye!