

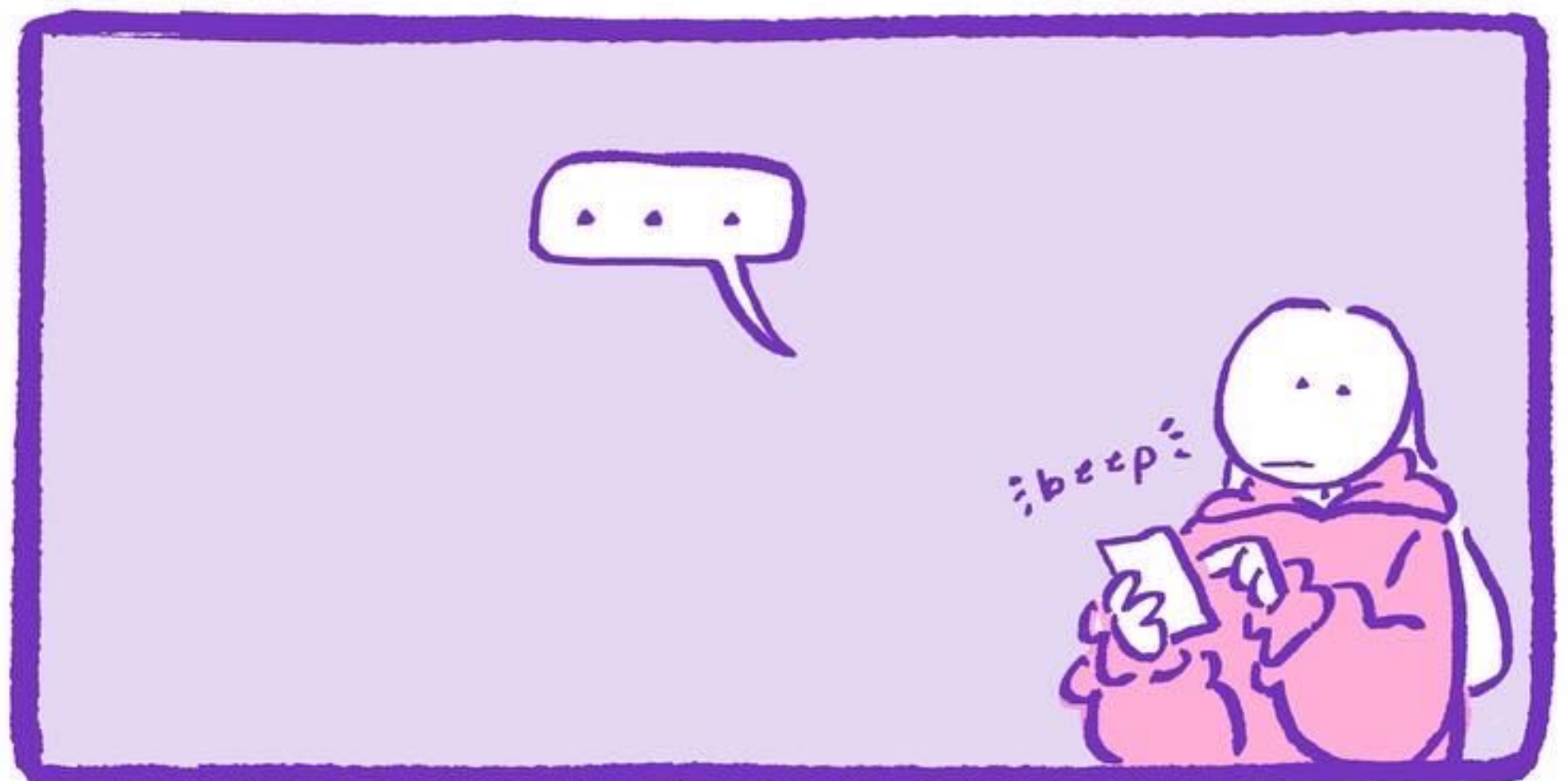


ALMOST 20





yes, it is.  
did you forget  
you're almost  
**TWENTY?**











everyone else got to have

friends,

sleepovers,

relationships,



and all the normal teenage experiences!





everyday i get pushed closer to "adulthood,"



but im still stuck playing catch up



trying (and failing) to learn life lessons that most people learned at 15!



All while balancing college and my newfound social life



AND fighting the same mental illness stole years of my life!



it's totally kicking my ass...



sigh...







a lot of good things, actually.



so if getting old(er) is the price i have to pay for more memories like those, then i guess it'll be worth it



Josey '22

