Journalism Skit

Act 1

- -Narrator: It was Tuesday Afternoon and career day was coming to an end, the last parent was wrapping up their presentation.
- -Parent-"So that is why being a nurse is rewarding. You get to help people but you don't need to go for so much schooling.THANK YOU!"

(bell rings students exit)

-Narrator: As the students departed Ms. Casalta went to the teachers desk and started to change the grade on her daughters test. The newspaper student had forgotten their notebook and returned to the classroom to get it.

(Parent walks to the teachers desk, takes out childs test, starts to change the grade)
(Newspaper student walks back and picks up notebook and sees the parent changing the grade)

- -Newspaper Student-"Mrs. Casalta what are you doing?"
- -Parent-"Oh nothing, just getting my things together" (tries to hide paper)
- -Newspaper student-"Your changing Gabbys grade."
- -Parent-"No im not."
- -Newspaper student-"Yes you are."
- -Parent- "What are you going to do if I am? Report Me?"
- -Newspaper student- "I have to."
- -Parent-"Think about the consequences, if you report this how do you think this is going to hurt Gabby, how this will ruin her reputation."

(Parent walks out)

-Narrator: John is conflicted and does not know whether or not to report what he saw.

Act 2

- -Narrator: The next day, John makes his decision.
- -Algebra Teacher-"How can I help you?"
- -Newspaper Student-"I want to talk to you about something that I saw yesterday."
- -Algebra Teacher-"Alright what did you see?"
- -Newspaper Student-"I saw Gabbys mom changing Gabbys grade yesterday."

(Says quickly)"But Gabby wasn't apart of it she didn't even know."

- -Newspaper student-"I originally wanted to put this in the school newspaper, but i realized this is a sensitive topic and I didn't want to hurt Gabby or her reputation."
- -Algebra Teacher-"Don't worry this will be taken care of. You did the right thing."