

My Little Pony: Equestria Girls

Batch 4: 3x5 Minute – Choose Your Own Adventure

416-243 – OUTLINE

“Lucky Sock”

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INT. CANTERLOT HIGH - HALLWAY – DAY

Students duck and dodge to avoid flying books, shirts and shoes as Rainbow Dash tosses her locker in search of— “WHAT, exactly?” ... is what a concerned Rarity, Pinkie Pie and Sunset Shimmer want to know. Oh, no big deal, just the worst thing ever!!! It’s the afternoon of the championship soccer game against Crystal Prep and her LUCKY SOCK is nowhere to be found! Sunset tries to cheer her up by pointing out that she’s never lost a game, but RD only freaks out more: that’s all because of her lucky sock! Without it she’s mos def going to lose and let down her team... not to mention she’ll only be wearing one sock and that’s a one-way ticket to blister city. WHAT IS SHE GOING TO DO?!?! Rarity coyly suggests she has an idea. Then suddenly Trixie and Bulk Biceps pop into frame chiming in that they too have ideas (and apologize for eavesdropping. As Rainbow Dash thinks it over, three clear visual choices appear (linking to their respective endings).

Rarity: “Who should I ask for help?”

A: RARITY

B: TRIXIE

C: BULK BICEPS

ENDING A: RARITY

INT. CANTERLOT HIGH – AUDITORIUM – DAY

Rainbow Dash is psyched: it’s time for Rarity to put on her hat and do some detective work, right? Wrong! Rarity finishes up knitting a fashionable stocking to replace the missing one. Rainbow Dash tries it on, dubious, but it’ll have to do. She thanks her and heads to the field--BUT RARITY STOPS HER—oh, no, she’s not done YET, darling! CUT TO: a fashion show runway where Rainbow Dash does a HYPER SPEED runway walk. Rarity coaches her on model etiquette, Photo Finish gasps and takes photos, and Snips gushes that Snails’ll love her new season (“we’re suckers for haut couture”). Seeing the time, Rainbow Dash FREAKS: she’s missing the game! SHE’S GOTTA GO! As she runs out, Rarity frowns to the fashion enthusiasts: “She didn’t even notice the sequins...”

EXT. SOCCER FIELD – DAY

The game is tied and almost over! With only a few seconds left, a super-annoyed Rainbow Dash comes into the game with a vengeance, embarrassed by the sequins jingling on her sock... why’d she ever listen to Rarity, anyway!? But as she dribbles down the field, the light catches her new lucky sock. Sequins GLEAMS in the light. Her

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opponents stop to stare... and Rainbow Dash SCORE A GOAL as the time ends! Everyone cheers and salutes her and her magnificent sock. RD points into the crowd, dedicating it to her good luck charm who’s just arrived: Rarity!

ENDING B: TRIxie

EXT. SOCCER FIELD – DAY

Rainbow Dash watches as Trixie reaches into a top hat and one after another, pulls out a bunch of lame magic props. Finally, Trixie dramatically holds up: A SOCK! Rainbow Dash grabs the sock from her, throws it on and runs onto the field, not listening as Trixie warns her not to say “Ta-Da”, “Abraca-dabra” or “Ha-ha!” because those are magic words... and could release magic things! But it’s too late. Rainbow Dash is already kicking the ball, running around. Strangely enough, Rainbow Dash says all of those words, creating chaos in the game. Other players are confused as doves fly from her sock, A long magic-rainbow-kerchief dangles from her sock, leaving a long trail all around the field... and finally, Rainbow Dash shoots on goal, screaming “Ha-ha!” ... and a bouquet of flowers fly out of her sock, flying along with the ball towards the goal. The Goalie squeals and dives, catching the bouquet, but missing the ball – that scores! Rainbow Dash wins! And of course, when the school paper asks her how she did it, Trixie pushes her aside and takes full credit.

ENDING C: BULK BICEPS

EXT. SOCCER FIELD – DAY

Rainbow Dash follows Bulk on the sidelines, so grateful he’s got a lucky sock of his own she can borrow. Bulk assures her that it’s the luckiest... because he never washes it! Rainbow Dash: “Wait, what?” Bulk takes off the sock that he’s wearing, and it STINKS SO BAD! As the stink floats into the air, a bird catches a whiff and falls into a bush. Rainbow Dash doesn’t want to take it, but the game’s about to start... So she holds her breath and puts it on, eyes watering. Bulk wishes her good luck. CUT TO: Rainbow Dash running, realizing she doesn’t smell it anymore because the stink lines are always trailing behind her! “She’s fine, so long as she keeps moving, like a stink shark,” says Fluttershy from the announcer’s booth (a la her soccer announcing skills from *Fluttershy’s Butterflies*). Rainbow Dash dominates the game, players wilting in her wake from the smell. She scores and her teammates all congregate around her, lifting her up on their shoulders... but then drop her when they smell the sock. Bulk approaches and asks for it back. He needs some good luck so he can go ask out a girl to the dance. Getting a whiff, Rainbow Dash suggests when asks her, um... maybe do it over the phone.