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MLPEG Friendship Games Shorts

Lyra and Bonbon Tryout

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BonBon and Lyra run up to each other excitedly and exclaim that CHS is having try outs for the Friendship Games!! They say, "You should do it, everyone will totally vote for you to be in it!" "No YOU should, everyone would totally vote for YOU to be in it!" They both declare they could never compete with the other one but it's clear they both want to, and they take off in different directions clearly on their way to compete. We then see a series of quick cuts of each of them doing routines for their friends while holding a sign that says, "VOTE FOR ME" in various crazy positions—hula hooping on rollerskates, tap dancing in an amazing over the top dance outfit, rock climbing, operatic singing, dressed as a owl doing bird mimicry, etc. Each time they are doing their routine the other one walks in on them and they have to hide the sign (put it behind their back and rock climb facing frontward, jump on the sign and tap dance on it, put it behind their back and back out of the room, etc.) and act as if they were doing something else. But from the first routine it's clear the other one knows what's going on and is upping the stakes by doing an even more outrageous routine. As Lyra is onstage in an OWL COSTUME doing owl calls, Bon Bon waits at the door, full of energy like she's ready to charge the football field, ready to go on in a FULL PEACOCK OUTFIT. Cecil walks in saying in his chilled out way, "Hey everyone! The Friendship Team Roster was announced!" Their eyes go wide and we cut to the wall of Principal Luna's office door. We see Lyra and BonBon's name on the sheet and the Peacock and the Owl standing in front of it looking at each other. "Why did we try to keep it from each other?" "I have no idea. That was stupid." "It did up our game though." "You're the best competitor ever." "No YOU are." "You should be on the Friendship Team." "No YOU should be on the Friendship Team!" They then scream, "WE'RE ON THE FRIENDSHIP TEAM!!!" The peacock and the owl hug each other jumping up and down while the other kids scramble to look on the list and we're out.