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MY LITTLE PONY

Premises

"The Odd Couple"
"Pied Piper Pinkie"
"A Date to Dance"
"Shaman Episode"

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The Odd Couple

Applejack and Rarity get stuck in the middle of a thunderstorm outside of Twilight's place. With the weather so severe, it's too dangerous for her friends to gallop all the way back home. A perfect opportunity for Twilight to study firsthand the exotic friendship ritual known as the "slumber party"! Rarity and Applejack are grateful for the invitation but their enthusiasm for the impromptu sleepover wanes as they start to get on each other's nerves. It's the neat freak versus the slob with Twilight stuck in the middle. Will Applejack and Rarity be able to settle their differences and can they do it without ruining Twilight's first slumber party?

Pied Piper Pinkie

A plague of small, magical pests from inside the Everfree Forest invade Ponyville and the Girls can't seem to get rid of them. Applejack can't wrangle them. Rainbow Dash can't chase them away. Fluttershy can't charm them. Twilight thinks magic is the answer but that fizzles too. Meanwhile Pinkie Pie seems completely unconcerned. She's too busy borrowing musical instruments and baking goods from everyone. This nonsense just adds to the others' frustration. What in Celestia's name is she doing and why doesn't she help? But just when the town is about to be overrun by the ever-increasing pack of creatures, Pinkie Pie emerges from the Sweet Shoppe outfitted as a One-Pony-Band. Her bombastic noise is music to the critters' ears. She leads them out of town and deep into the Ever Free Forest where she has prepared a delicious picnic of muffins and cupcakes for them to enjoy. Who woulda thunk Pinkie Pie's strange activities would turn out to be the perfect solution?

A Date to Dance

Rumor has it that Big Apple has a ticket to the Grand Galloping Gala and all of a sudden all five of Applejack's best friends want to ask him to be their date. The idea of her brother and any of her friends going on a date is just too weird for Applejack. She forbids her friends from asking out her brother ! When that doesn't work, Applejack is torn in five directions at once trying to physically keep all of them from getting with earshot of Big Apple.

Shaman Episode

Shaman appears in town for the first time since Twilight's move to Ponyville. Her curiosity about this stranger gives the other girls an excuse to revisit all the unsubstantiated rumors about "the crazy old pony-lady who lives in the woods". When a mysterious magical malady befalls the town soon after, the girls venture into the Ever Free Forest to confront the pony who they think is behind it. Once they are able to look past their unfounded suspicions, they find that she is not the cause for the catastrophe, but may hold the cure.