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OKAY, LET'S SEE IF YOU'RE BOTH READY FOR THE EQUESTRIA PET SHOW...

...STRIKE A POSE!

OOOOH! "KARATE COLT" STYLE! IMPRESSIVE!

AHHH... THE "HOITY TOITY." VERY NICE, ANGEL.

THAT'S CERTAINLY GOING TO IMPRESS THE JUDGES... ESPECIALLY HOITY HIMSELF!

YES! WORK IT, OWLOWISCIOUS!

SORRY, SPIKE, ARE WE MAKING TOO MUCH NOISE?

OH... IT'S ALRIGHT, TWILIGHT.

WATCHING EVERYPONY GET READY FOR THE BIG PET SHOW... IT MAKES ME MISS PEE WEE, I GUESS.

YOU DID THE RIGHT THING RETURNING PEE WEE TO THE WILD, SPIKE. A BABY PHOENIX SHOULD BE WITH ITS PARENTS... AND THERE WAS THAT ICE CREAM INCIDENT.

I KNOW IT'S HARD NOT HAVING A PET. YOU COULD COME WITH US TO THE SHOW! WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP ANGEL PRACTICE?

PPPLFFFBBTT

MAYBE NOT.

I'LL JUST READ MY—

HEY, WAITAMINUTE!

DARING DO

I FOUND THE PERFECT PETS!

SEA BEASTS

AMAZING!!

I CAN TRAIN THEM TO DO *TRICKS*...

...IT'S NOT *ONE* PET—IT'S A WHOLE *COLONY!*

AND THEY'LL DELIVER THEM OVERNIGHT!

ORDERING PETS THROUGH THE MAIL SEEMS A LITTLE... ODD.

I THINK I'VE HEARD OF THEM. AREN'T THEY REALLY JUST TINY—

INSTANT PETS WITH INSTANT DELIVERY! IT SAYS IT RIGHT HERE! I'LL WRITE UP A SCROLL ORDER RIGHT NOW!

DARING

THEY'RE GOING TO BE THE *BEST PETS EVER!*

NOW I NEED TO FIND A *GIANT* AQUARIUM...

HRRMMM...

LET ME KNOW WHEN THEY COME IN. I'D LIKE TO SEE THEM... I THINK...

THE NEXT DAY...

KNOCK KNOCK

PONY EXPRESS!

THEY'RE HERE!

DELIVERY FOR—

SPIKE! THAT'S ME! THANKS!

BLAH, BLAH, "HOURS OF FUN"... "TRAINING TIME WILL VARY"...

BLAH, BLAH, "ONLY FEED THE PROVIDED FORMULA"...

HERE'S WHAT I'M LOOKING FOR...

"ADD SEA BEAST EGGS TO WATER... AND LET SIT COVERED FOR THREE HOURS."

WAIT'LL I SHOW THE OTHERS!

THREE HOURS LATER...

FILLIES AND GENTLEPONIES...

...PREPARE YOURSELVES FOR THE MAJESTIC BEAUTY OF THE...

...SEA BEASTS!

WOW... THAT'S A REALLY BIG... AQUARIUM.

I THINK I CAN ALMOST MAKE OUT THEIR TINY HEADS.

HAHA HA

HUH?

UH... THEY MUST NOT BE FULLY GROWN YET.

THEY JUST NEED MORE TIME!

I'M SURE THAT'S IT...

...GIVE THEM SOME TIME.

I'M SORRY ABOUT THE SEA BEASTS, SPIKE.

ARE YOU SURE YOU DON'T WANT TO GO TO THE PET SHOW WITH ME AND FLUTTERSHY? WE'LL ONLY BE GONE TWO DAYS.

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? I THINK THEY'RE GETTING BIGGER ALREADY! I NEED TO STAY HERE TO START TRAINING THEM FOR NEXT YEAR'S SHOW.

DON'T WORK *TOO* HARD...

BY THE TIME YOU GET BACK, YOU'LL BE AMAZED! TRUST ME!

THEY'RE NO BIGGER THAN THEY WERE YESTERDAY!

I'VE GOT TO TRY SOMETHING ELSE.

HEY... I'VE GOT AN IDEA!

THEY MAY NOT BE MAGICAL PETS, BUT I BET THIS WILL MAKE THEM WAY COOLER!

CARE & FEEDING OF MAGICAL ANIMALS

BLAH, BLAH, "...WILL MAKE FOR A HEALTHY MAGICAL PET..."

"...USE RECIPES ONLY FOR MAGICAL PETS..."

BLAH, BLAH...

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MAGIC 101

"SUPER-GROWTH RECIPE" —YES!

SUPER-GROWTH RECIPE

...."GRATE TO A FINE POWDER"...

1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

...."LET SIT OVERNIGHT"...

THE NEXT MORNING...

IT'S TIME!

YES! VICTORY!

SORRY! DON'T BE SCARED!

WE'RE GONNA BE BEST FRIENDS.

NOW, LET'S GET TO WORK!

TIME FOR A DRESS REHEARSAL!

TWILIGHT SPARKLE AND FLUTTERSHY ARE GOING TO BE SO IMPRESSED!

TA-DAH!

YES... CIRCLE...

...CIRCLE...

JUMP!

GREAT JOB!

HAVE SOME MORE FOOD!

HMMM...

OH, NO! WHAT'S WRONG?

I FED YOU TOO MUCH MAGIC FOOD!

WHAT AM I GOING TO—

POP!

POP!

POP!

POP!

POP!

WAIT! YOU'RE...

...MULTIPLYING!

NOW I HAVE *TWICE* AS MANY OF YOU!

GUYS... YOU CAN STOP NOW. I THINK THERE'S ENOUGH OF—

C'MON, C'MON! THERE'S GOT TO BE A MAGICAL RECIPE FOR THIS IN HERE!

HERE WE GO... "FOR POPULATION CONTROL..." BLAH BLAH "...UNINTENDED SIDE EFFECTS..." BLAH BLAH... GOTTA HURRY!

POP!

POP!

POP!

IT'S WORKING!

NO MORE DIVIDING, PLEASE!

I NEED TO GO OUT AND FIND YOU A BIGGER AQUARIUM. I'LL BE BACK SOON!

POP!

POP!

POP!

POP!

ONE SHOPPING TRIP LATER...

YOU'RE... AM-FLIB-YOU—

I MEAN... AM-PIB-YOU—

YOU'RE *AMPHIBIOUS!* AND YOU'RE *TALKING!*

THIS IS AWESOME!
ME, SPIKE. SPIKE!
...SPIIIII-KKKKKE... AHHHHH
FOOD
NO! YOU'RE PERFECT NOW! DON'T GROW...
ARGH! YOU TORE UP THE MAGIC RECIPE BOOK TO MAKE YOUR HUTS!
THIS RECIPE SAYS SOMETHING ABOUT "GROWTH"...
POP!
POP!
LATER...
WHEW... THEY SEEM ALL RIGHT NOW. I'VE GOT TO CLEAN UP THIS MESS, BUT THEY'RE ALL IN THE WAY.
ZZZZZ
ZZZZZ
ZZZZZ
OKAY, HERE'S WHAT WE'RE GOING TO DO.
YOU GUYS ARE THE *VASE* BEASTS. YOU ALL STAY UP THERE!
AND THE REST WILL STICK NEAR THE AQUARIUM... *TABLE* BEASTS.
...AHHHHH
MUCH LATER...
FINALLY, EVERYTHING IS CLEAN! I THOUGHT I WAS TIRED BEFORE. WHO KNEW RAISING PETS WAS SO MUCH *WORK*?
I NEED SLEEP...
...UNNH

A FEW FITFUL HOURS OF RESTLESS SLEEP LATER...

RRRRRRRRRRUUUUMMMMM

WHA... WHAT TIME IS IT?

WHAT'S ALL THAT RACKET DOWNSTAIRS?

...SPIIIII-KKKKKE...

...VAAAA-SSSSSE... PEEE-PULL...

YOU... PAINTED ON THE WALLS?

...SPIIIII-KKKKKE...

YOU'VE GOTTA BE KIDDING ME! YOU'VE RUINED THE FLOOR, TOO?

...TAAAA-BLLLLE... PEEE-PULL...

HOW AM I EVER GOING TO GET THIS MESS CLEANED UP IN TIME?

...KLEEEN... FLOOOOR...

...KLEEEN... WAAAALL...

...KLEEEN... FLOOOOR!

...KLEEEN... WAAAALL!

YOU'RE... FIGHTING?!

THAT'S...

...ENOUGH!

NO MORE FIGHTING! NO MORE SMOKE! I THOUGHT I RAISED YOU BETTER THAN THIS!

EVERYONE BACK TO THEIR PLACES. THEN NOBODY MOVE!

THIS IS A DISASTER!

THE RECIPE BOOK IS RUINED. EVERY SPELL I TRY JUST SEEMS TO MAKE IT WORSE. WHY CAN'T I JUST FIX—

BUT, MOMMY, YOU COULD USE MAGIC TO GET THE APPLE FOR ME!

I CAN'T USE MAGIC TO SOLVE ALL YOUR PROBLEMS, SWEETIE.

WHY DO YOU THINK YOUR MAGIC ONLY COMES IN SPURTS WHEN YOU'RE YOUNG?

YOU NEED TIME TO GROW UP AND MOMMY NEEDS TIME TO TEACH YOU, SO SOMEDAY YOU CAN FIND YOUR OWN WAY IN THE WORLD. THERE'S NO SHORT CUTS FOR GROWING UP.

AWWWW, MOM. IT'S JUST AN APPLE!

PATIENCE, DEAR. MAYBE LATER...

...NO SHORT CUTS...

SLAM!

OKAY, FELLAS! IT'S TIME TO GET TO WORK!

...SPIII-KE...

READING MADE EASY
ETHICS
PHYSICS
FLOWERS FOR ALGERNON
MATH
FLOWER
TURTELS
LITERATU
PHY

YOU'RE SMART! YOUR BIG NOGGINS MAKE MINE LOOK SMALL!

WE'RE GOING TO LEARN THE RIGHT WAY, AND I KNOW YOU CAN DO IT!

LET'S START AT THE BEGINNING...

AS PO-NEIGH DECART SAID, "I THINK, THEREFORE, I YAM WHAT I YAM.".

...I YAAAAAM... AHHHHHH

TWO BEES? OR *NOT* TWO BEES?

THAT IS THE QUESTION...

MATH (AND LITERA ...FAST! TURE)

READY? LET'S BUILD UP THAT VOCABULARY.
DOGGY!
...DOOOOOGY... AHHHHHH
KITTY!
...KIIIITTY... AHHHHHH
STINKY!
...STEEEENKY... AHHHHHH
AS EVERYPONY KNOWS... ALL PONIES ARE CREATED EQUAL—
AAAAAND DRA-GOOONS?
YES, AND DRAGONS!
AAAAND BUFF-A-LOOOS?
YES! LOOK, THIS IS GOING TO TAKE FOREVER!

WOW, ALL THIS STUDYING IS WEARING ME OUT. MORE WARDROBE CHANGES THAN I EXPECTED.

MAYBE IF I SIT DOWN FOR A MINUTE.

WE... WE'RE MAKING GOOD PROGRESS...

...BUT WE STILL HAVE A LOT TO COVER BEFORE... EVERYPONY GETS BACK...

AND WE STILL NEED TO...

...CLEAN UP THE...

ZZZZZZZZZZ

HOURS LATER...

WE'RE BACK! HOW DID YOU—

TWILIGHT SPARKLE!

SPIKE! WHAT IS—

I CAN EXPLAIN! I FED THEM MAGIC FOOD... TOO *MUCH* MAGIC FOOD!

BUT I'VE BEEN TEACHING THEM! I HAVEN'T SLEPT HARDLY AT ALL... AND I MUST'VE FALLEN ASLEEP FOR—

...SPIII-KE...

YOU'VE... *REALLY* CHANGED!

...YEEES... THAANK YOOU FOR... GOOOD CAARE... AAND GUI-DANCE...

...WEE LEEARNED MUUCH... BUUT SOOO MUUUCH MOORE TO LEAARN...

...WEEE NOOW MUUST SEEEK FUUURTHER ENLIIGHTENMENT IIN THEE WOOORLD...

YOU'RE LEAVING? RIGHT NOW?

BUT YOU JUST GOT HERE...

...AND YOU GREW UP SO FAST!

I HARDLY HAD TIME TO... I MEAN—

I... I UNDERSTAND. I'LL MISS YOU... BUT I WANT YOU TO KEEP GROWING, EVEN IF IT'S WITHOUT ME!

...THEEN, GOOOOD-BYEEE, DEEEAR SPIIII-KE...

...A STEEENKY... AHHHHHHHHH...

...PERHAAAPS SPIIII-KE CAAN TRAAAAIN YOOU NEEXT?...

?

I THINK YOU'LL BE WRITING THE LETTER TO PRINCESS CELESTIA ON THIS ONE, SPIKE.

YES! I CAN TELL HER HOW I RAISED...

...THE... BEST... PETS... EVER!

MEH

The End.

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