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# MEET THE PONIES

## Twilight Sparkle

TWILIGHT SPARKLE TRIES TO FIND THE ANSWER TO EVERY QUESTION! WHETHER STUDYING A BOOK OR SPENDING TIME WITH PONY FRIENDS, SHE ALWAYS LEARNS SOMETHING NEW!



## Spike

SPIKE IS TWILIGHT SPARKLE'S BEST FRIEND AND NUMBER ONE ASSISTANT. HIS FIRE BREATH CAN DELIVER SCROLLS DIRECTLY TO PRINCESS CELESTIA!



## Applejack

APPLEJACK IS HONEST, FRIENDLY, AND SWEET TO THE CORE! SHE LOVES TO BE OUTSIDE, AND HER PONY FRIENDS KNOW THEY CAN ALWAYS COUNT ON HER.





# Fluttershy

FLUTTERSHEY IS A KIND AND GENTLE PONY WITH A BIG HEART. SHE LIKES TO TAKE CARE OF OTHERS, ESPECIALLY HER LITTLE ANIMAL FRIENDS.



# Rarity

RARITY KNOWS HOW TO ADD SPARKLE TO ANY OUTFIT! SHE LOVES TO GIVE HER PONY FRIENDS ADVICE ON THE LATEST PONY FASHIONS AND HAIRSTYLES.





# Pinkie Pie

PINKIE PIE KEEPS HER PONY FRIENDS LAUGHING AND SMILING ALL DAY! CHEERFUL AND PLAYFUL, SHE ALWAYS LOOKS ON THE BRIGHT SIDE.



# Rainbow Dash

RAINBOW DASH LOVES TO FLY AS FAST AS SHE CAN! SHE IS ALWAYS READY TO PLAY A GAME, GO ON AN ADVENTURE, OR HELP OUT ONE OF HER PONY FRIENDS.





# Princess Celestia

PRINCESS CELESTIA IS A MAGICAL AND BEAUTIFUL PONY WHO RULES THE LAND OF ESQUESTRIA. ALL OF THE PONIES IN PONYVILLE LOOK UP TO HER!





**CALL  
OF THE  
CUTIE**











THEN ONE DAY, WHEN I WAS ABOUT YOUR AGE...



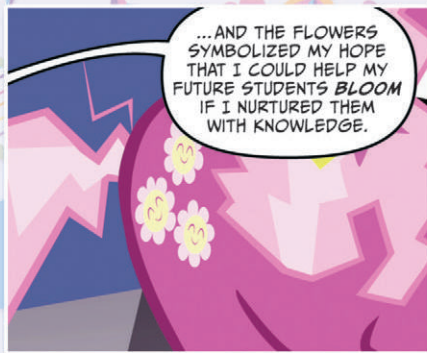
... I WOKE UP TO FIND THAT A CUTIE MARK HAD APPEARED.

LOOK AT HER HAIR.



YES, I KNOW, BUT HONESTLY, THAT'S HOW EVERYPONY WAS WEARING THEIR MANE BACK THEN.

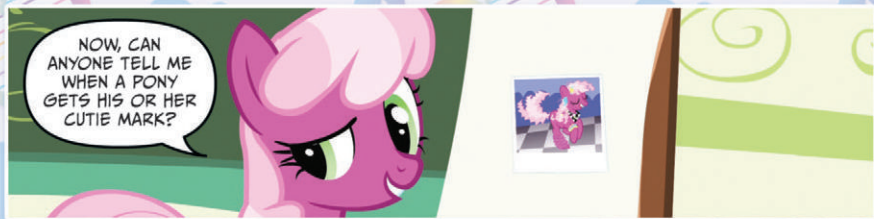
I HAD DECIDED TO BECOME A TEACHER...



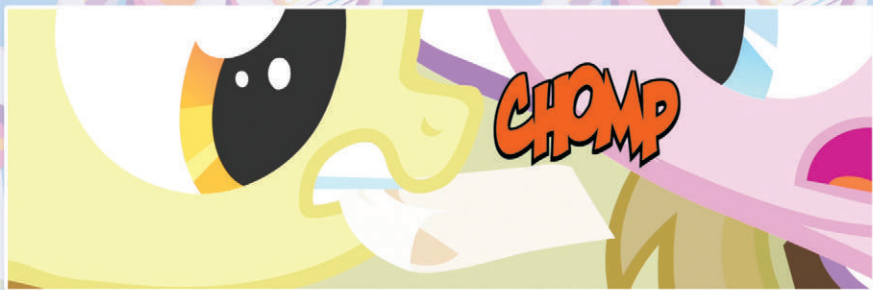
... AND THE FLOWERS SYMBOLIZED MY HOPE THAT I COULD HELP MY FUTURE STUDENTS *BLOOM* IF I NURTURED THEM WITH KNOWLEDGE.



THE SMILES REPRESENTED THE *CHEER* I HOPED TO BRING TO MY LITTLE PONIES WHILE THEY WERE LEARNING.

























COURSE YOU CAN.

YOU KNOW, I WAS THE LAST PONY IN MY CLASS TO GET A CUTIE MARK.

AND I COULDN'T BE PROUDER OF IT.

I KNEW MY FUTURE WAS TO RUN SWEET APPLE ACRES AND THESE BRIGHT SHINY APPLES SEALED THE DEAL!



COME TO THINK OF IT, GRANNY SMITH WAS THE LAST ONE IN HER CLASS TOO. SAME WITH BIG MCINTOSH.

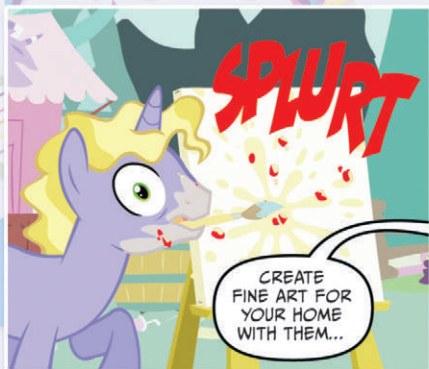


I REALLY DON'T SEE HOW *THAT'S* SUPPOSED TO MAKE ME FEEL BETTER.

IT PROBABLY MEANS BEING THE LAST ONE IN YOUR CLASS TO GET A CUTIE MARK RUNS IN THE FAMILY.















SORRY, LITTLE SIS, BUT YOUR APPLE SELLING DAYS ARE OVER.

WHAT?! BUT HOW ELSE AM I GONNA GET MY CUTIE MARK?



HOME. NOW.

<HMPF>



LISTEN, SUGARCUBE. I KNOW IT'S HARD TO WAIT FOR YOUR VERY OWN CUTIE MARK, BUT YOU JUST CAN'T FORCE IT.



BESIDES, YOU'RE NOT THAT GROWN UP JUST YET.



AIN'T THERE OTHER FILLIES IN YOUR CLASS WITHOUT ONE?



**A** SHORT WHILE LATER...



**KNOCK  
KNOCK**



OH, WHAT'TH UP,  
APPLE BLOOM?



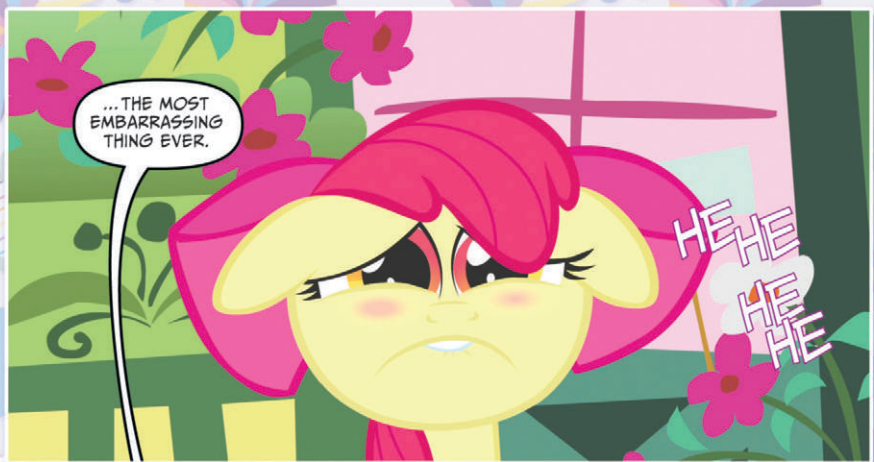
SO I WAS  
THINKING...  
MAYBE WE  
COULD GO TO  
DIAMOND TIARA'S  
CUTE-CINERA  
TOGETHER.

I DON'T  
HAVE A CUTIE  
MARK... YOU  
DON'T HAVE A  
CUTIE MARK.











WHOA. LOOKS LIKE SOMEPONY'S GOT A DARK CLOUD HANGING OVER HER HEAD.

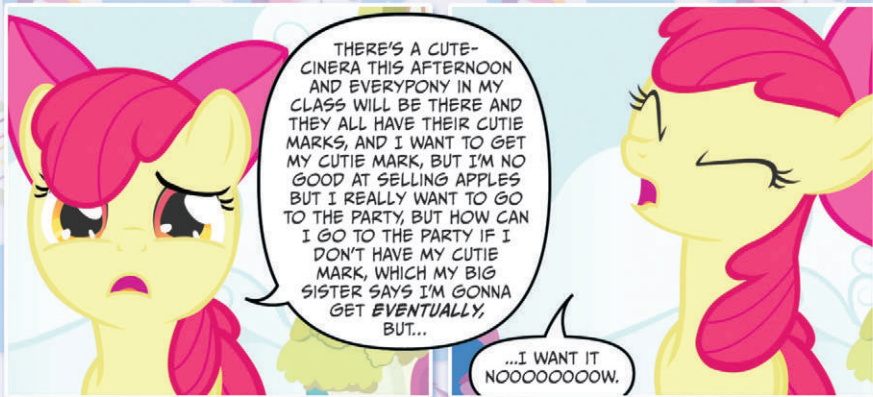


WHAT'S THE MATTER, KID?

WELL...



GASP



THERE'S A CUTE-CINERA THIS AFTERNOON AND EVERYPONY IN MY CLASS WILL BE THERE AND THEY ALL HAVE THEIR CUTIE MARKS, AND I WANT TO GET MY CUTIE MARK, BUT I'M NO GOOD AT SELLING APPLES BUT I REALLY WANT TO GO TO THE PARTY, BUT HOW CAN I GO TO THE PARTY IF I DON'T HAVE MY CUTIE MARK, WHICH MY BIG SISTER SAYS I'M GONNA GET EVENTUALLY, BUT...

...I WANT IT NOOOOOOOOW.

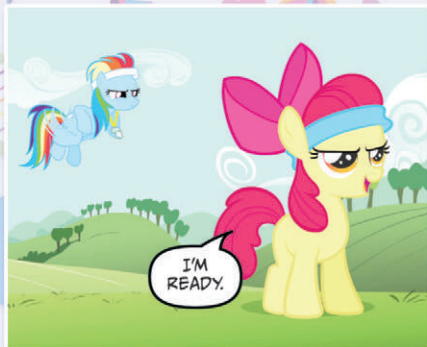




**S**OON...

THAT'S RIGHT.  
STRETCH  
THOSE LEGS.  
GOTTA BE NICE  
AND LOOSE.

<UNGH>

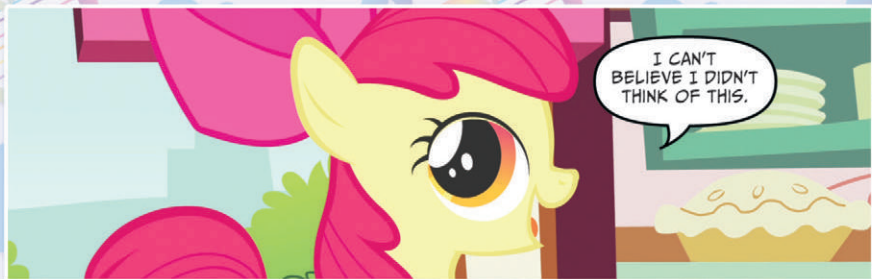


















CHOMP  
CHOMP

EEURGH!



GUESS I'M NOT  
CUT OUT TO BE A  
BAKER, EITHER.



(SIGH)

I JUST HAVE  
TO FACE IT. I'M  
GONNA HAVE A  
BLANK FLANK  
FOREVER.



WELL  
WHAT ABOUT  
THAT?!









TWILIGHT!  
YOU HAVE TO  
HELP ME!

WHAT'S THE  
MATTER?



TIARA'S  
CUTE-CINERA  
IS TODAY AND  
EVERYONY IN MY  
CLASS WILL BE THERE  
AND THEY ALL HAVE  
THEIR CUTIE MARKS,  
AND I WANT TO GET MY  
CUTIE MARK, BUT I'M  
NO GOOD AT SELLING  
APPLES, OR HANG-  
GLIDING OR MAKING  
CUPCAKES, BUT I WANT  
TO GO TO THE PARTY,  
BUT HOW CAN I GO TO  
THE PARTY IF I DON'T  
HAVE MY CUTIE MARK,  
WHICH PINKIE PIE SAYS  
I CAN'T JUST "MAKE  
APPEAR", BUT I  
**NEED** IT TO  
APPEAR...

...RIGHT  
NOOOOOOOOW.



ERR, I DON'T  
FOLLOW. HOW CAN  
I HELP YOU?



YOU CAN  
USE YOUR  
MAGIC TO  
MAKE MY  
CUTIE MARK  
APPEAR.







I JUST WON'T  
GO TO THE PARTY.  
I CAN'T GO.



EVERYONE  
WILL JUST LAUGH  
AT ME AND MAKE  
FUN OF ME AND  
CALL ME NAMES.



IT'LL BE THE  
WORST NIGHT OF  
MY LIFE!

I'M SURE  
IT WON'T BE  
AS BAD AS  
ALL THAT.



FORGET IT.  
THERE IS NO  
WAY I'M GOING  
TO THAT—

































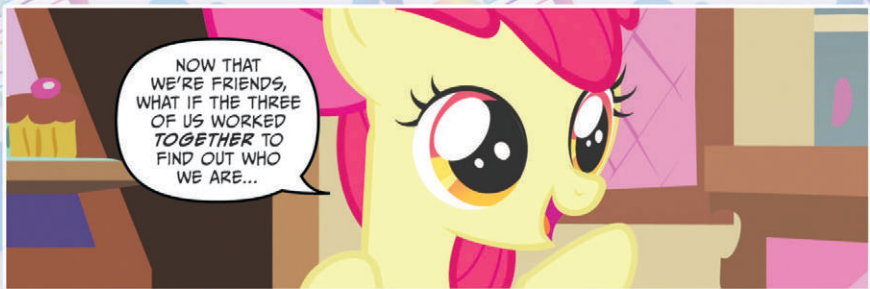


















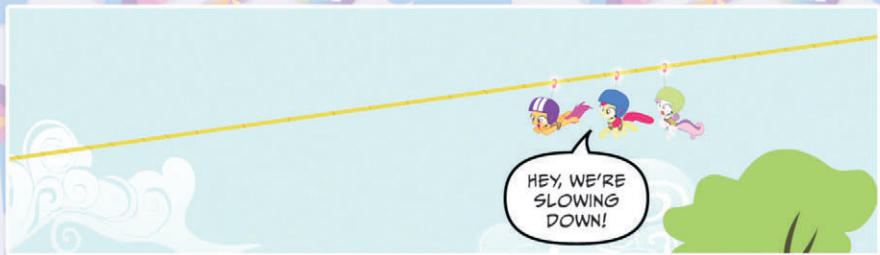




**THE CUTIE MARK  
CHRONICLES**

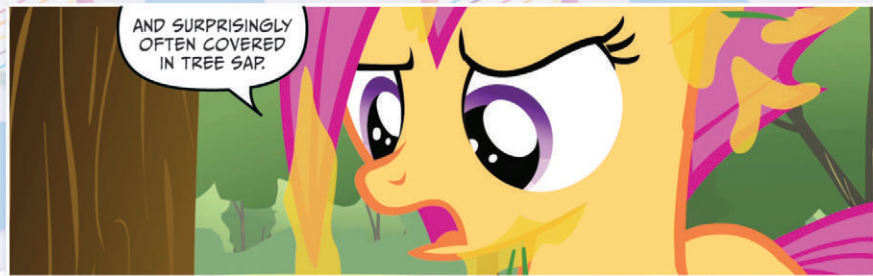


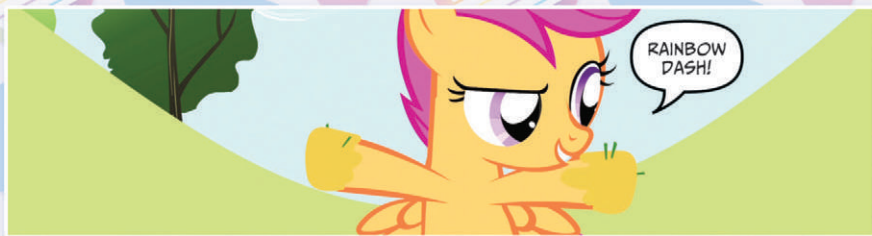






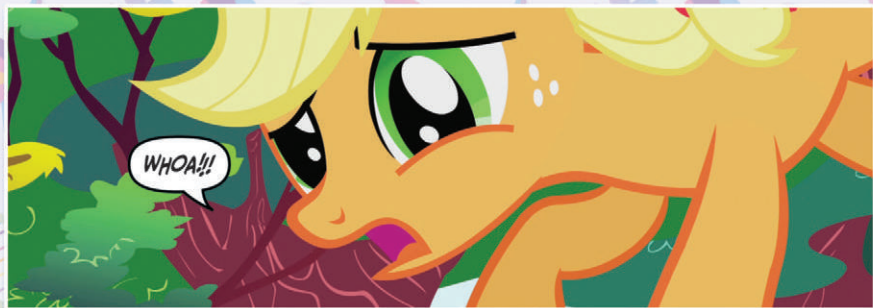













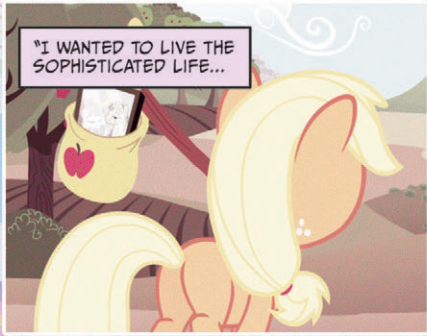
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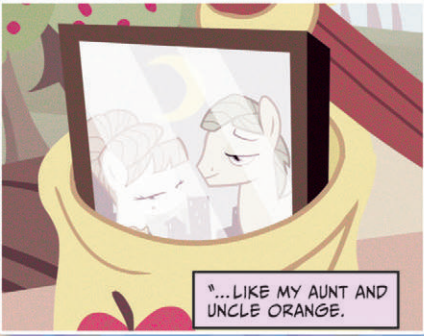


A pony with a yellow bag of apples and a smartphone is shown in the top right of the panel. The bag has a red apple on it and a smartphone is attached to the top. The pony is looking towards the left.


"I DIDN'T WANT  
TO SPEND MY  
LIFE ON A MUDDY  
OL' APPLE FARM."

A pony is shown from behind, looking at a smartphone. The phone screen shows a picture of two ponies. The pony has a yellow bag of apples on its back.


"I WANTED TO LIVE THE  
SOPHISTICATED LIFE..."

A close-up of a smartphone screen showing a picture of two ponies, one white and one grey, looking at each other. The phone is held in a yellow bag with a red apple on it.

"...LIKE MY AUNT AND  
UNCLE ORANGE."

A group of ponies is shown in a city setting. There are buildings, a sign with a plate and cutlery, and a fence. The ponies are looking towards the right.

"SO I SET OUT  
TO TRY MY LUCK  
IN THE BIG CITY..."

A pony is shown looking at a smartphone. The phone screen shows a picture of a tall building. The pony has a yellow bag of apples on its back.

"...MANHATTAN!"

"THE MOST COSMOPOLITAN  
CITY IN ALL OF EQUESTRIA!"



"I KNEW I'D FIND WHO I WAS MEANT TO BE IN MANE HATTAN..."

**KNOCK  
KNOCK**

AUNT ORANGE!  
UNCLE ORANGE!

THANK Y'ALL  
SO MUCH  
FOR LETTIN'  
ME STAY!

"Y'ALL!" ISN'T  
SHE JUST THE  
LIVING END?

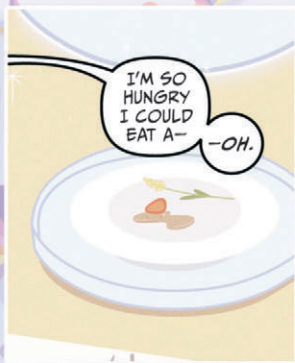
HOW  
QUAINT!

DON'T WORRY, WE'LL  
HAVE YOU ACTING LIKE A  
TRUE MANE HATTANITE  
IN NO TIME!

S  
OON...









EARLY THE NEXT DAY...



COCK-A-  
DOODLE-  
DOO.

<SIGH.>



I WONDER  
WHAT GRANNY  
SMITH AND BIG  
MCINTOSH ARE  
UP TO.

I BET THEY'RE  
APPLEBUCKIN'  
THEIR WAY THROUGH  
THE RED DELICIOUS  
TREES.



OOOH, WHAT  
I WOULDN'T  
GIVE FOR JUST  
ONE BITE...



"I NEVER FELT SO HOMESICK IN ALL MY DAYS AS I DID RIGHT THEN..."

PLINK

"IT WAS AMAZING. A RAINBOW POINTING RIGHT BACK TO... HOME."

"IN THAT MOMENT IT ALL BECAME CLEAR."

"I KNEW RIGHT THEN JUST WHO I WAS S'POSED TO BE..."

GLOP GLOP GLOP

WELCOME HOME, DEAR!

POOF







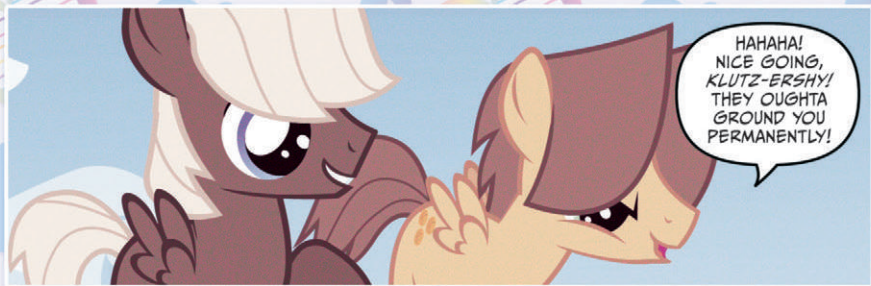












HAHAHA!  
NICE GOING,  
KLUTZ-ERSHY!  
THEY OUGHTA  
GROUND YOU  
PERMANENTLY!



HA! MY BABY  
BROTHER CAN  
FLY BETTER  
THAN YOU!



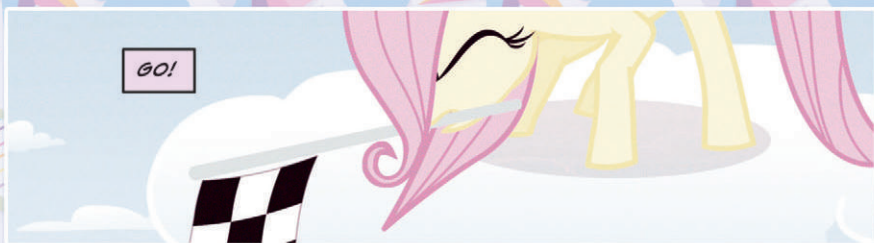
"IT WAS THE MOST  
HUMILIATING MOMENT  
OF MY LIFE.



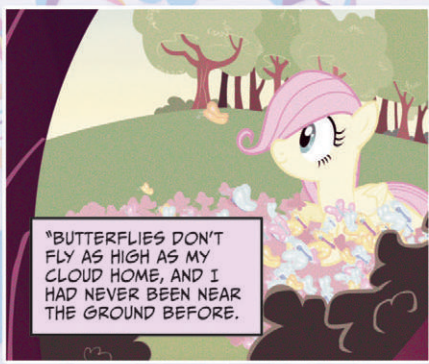
"AND THEN, OUT  
OF NOWHERE..."

























"I TRIED EVERY TRICK  
I COULD THINK OF, BUT  
NOTHING SEEMED TO WORK."



"THE COSTUMES JUST  
WEREN'T RIGHT. AND THE  
PLAY OPENED THAT NIGHT!"

MAYBE I'M NOT  
MEANT TO BE A  
FASHIONISTA  
AFTER ALL...



WHAT'S  
GOING  
ON?!



"I HAD NO IDEA WHERE MY  
HORN WAS TAKING ME..."

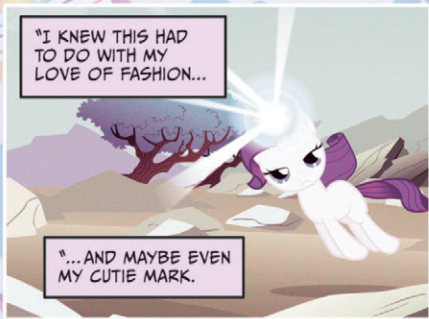




"...BUT UNICORN  
MAGIC DOESN'T  
HAPPEN WITHOUT  
A REASON.



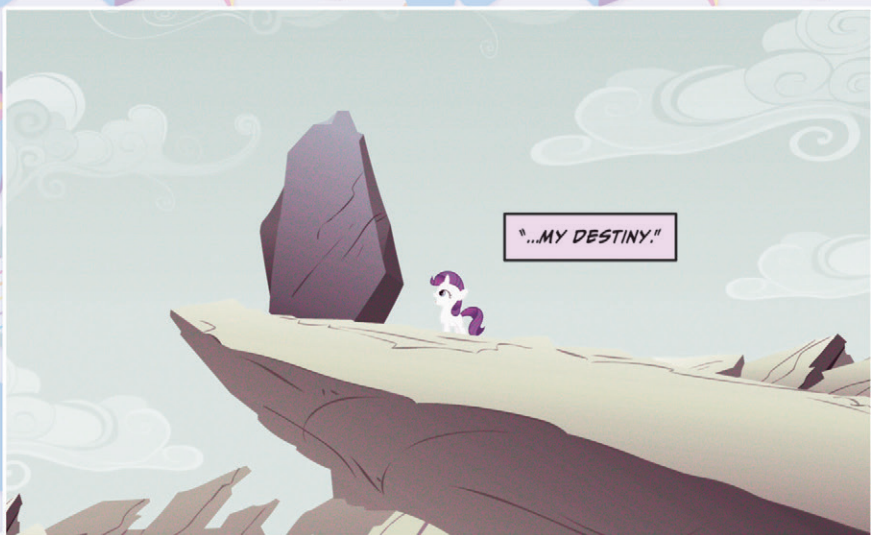
"I KNEW THIS HAD  
TO DO WITH MY  
LOVE OF FASHION...



"...AND MAYBE EVEN  
MY CUTIE MARK.



"I KNEW THAT THIS WAS...



"...MY DESTINY."

















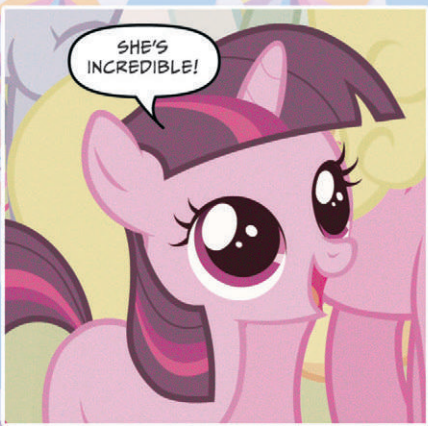
OOOOH!



AHHHH!



WOO-HOO! HOORAY!



SHE'S INCREDIBLE!





"I Poured myself into learning everything I could about magic..."



<HNNNNNN>



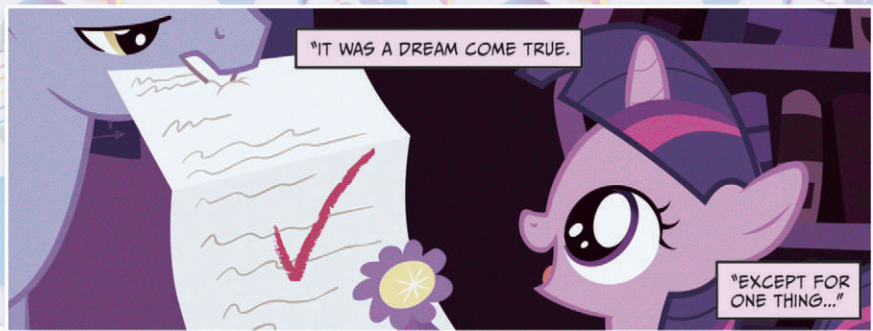
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AH!



"My parents decided to enroll me in Princess Celestia's school for gifted unicorns."

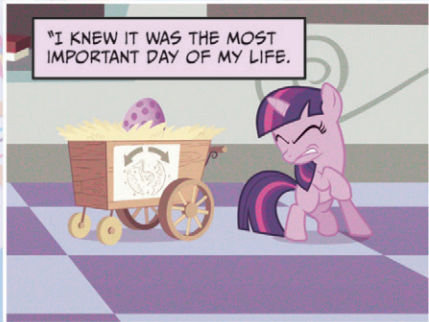


"It was a dream come true."

"Except for one thing..."









"AND I WAS ABOUT TO BLOW IT!"



I'M SORRY  
I WASTED  
YOUR TIME.



WHUMM



ZAP



ZOOT



BLART



(YAWN)









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BUT YOU NEED TO LEARN TO TAME THESE ABILITIES THROUGH FOCUSED STUDY.

HUH?!

TWILIGHT SPARKLE, I'D LIKE TO MAKE YOU MY OWN PERSONAL PROTEGE HERE AT THE SCHOOL.



HUH?!



WELL...?



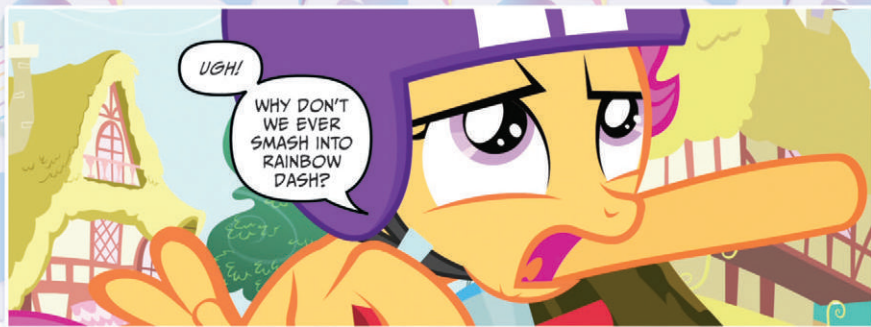
YES!!!!

ONE MORE THING, TWILIGHT...



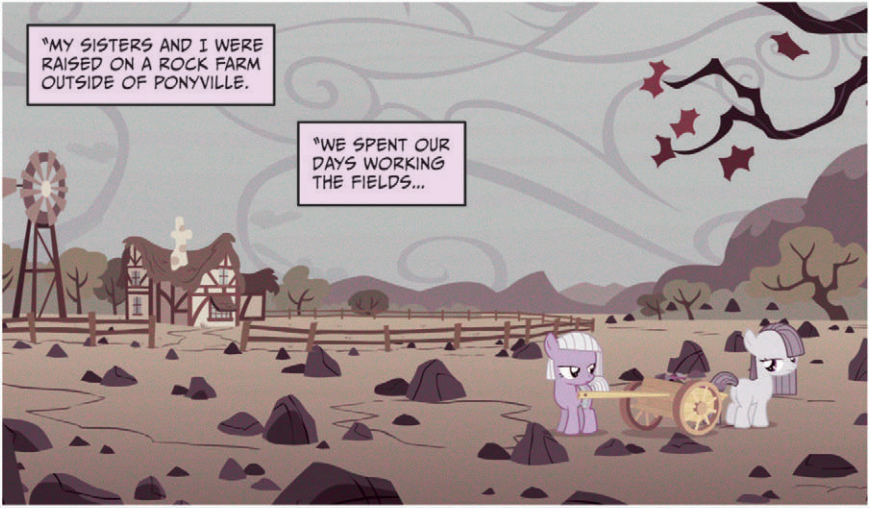
MY CUTIE MARK! YES YES YES YES YES YES YES YES YES...












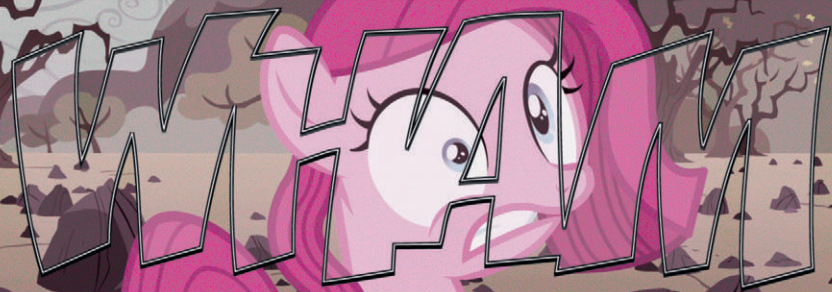
"MY SISTERS AND I WERE RAISED ON A ROCK FARM OUTSIDE OF PONYVILLE.

"WE SPENT OUR DAYS WORKING THE FIELDS...



"THERE WAS NO TALKING. THERE WAS NO SMILING. THERE WERE ONLY ROCKS.

"WE WERE IN THE SOUTH FIELD, PREPARING TO ROTATE THE ROCKS TO THE EAST FIELD, WHEN ALL OF A SUDDEN..."



WAAAAA





"I'D NEVER FELT JOY LIKE THAT BEFORE. IT FELT SO GOOD I JUST WANTED TO KEEP SMILING FOREVER."



"AND I WANTED EVERYONE I KNEW TO SMILE, TOO."

"BUT RAINBOWS DON'T COME ALONG THAT OFTEN. I WONDERED HOW ELSE COULD I CREATE SOME SMILES..."





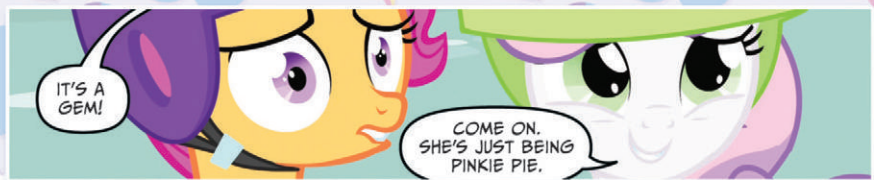
















"... WHERE I STOOD ALONE AGAINST ALL ODDS TO DEFEND FLUTTERSHY'S HONOR..."



Whoosh



"I'D NEVER FLOWN  
LIKE *THIS* BEFORE!

"THE FREEDOM WAS UNLIKE  
ANYTHING I'D EVER FELT.



"THE SPEED.

"THE WIND IN  
MY MANE...  
I LIKED IT..."

"THE ADRENALINE.





"...A LOT!"



LATER,  
RAINBOW  
CRASH!



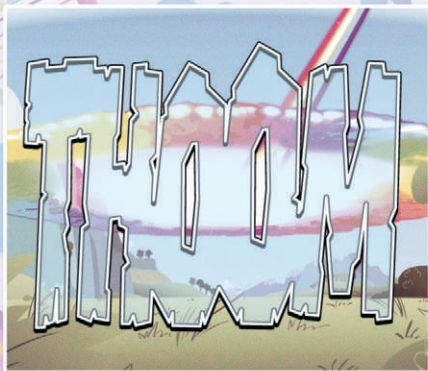
"TURNS OUT THE ONLY THING I  
LIKED MORE THAN FLYING FAST..."

HEY!

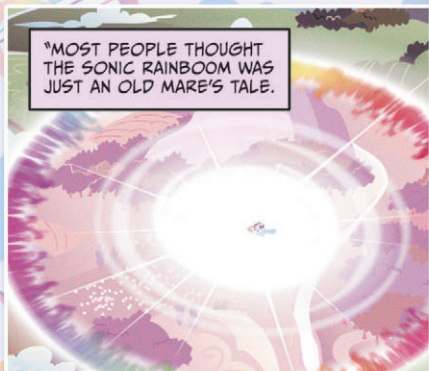


"... WAS WINNING."

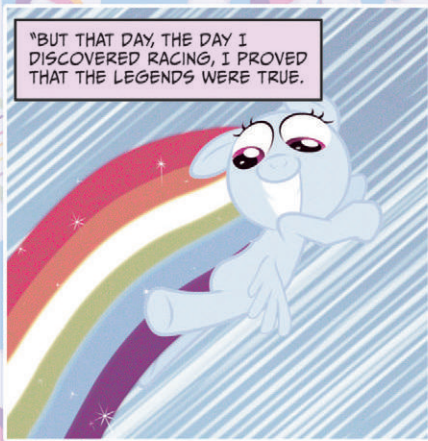




"MOST PEOPLE THOUGHT THE SONIC RAINBOOM WAS JUST AN OLD MARE'S TALE."



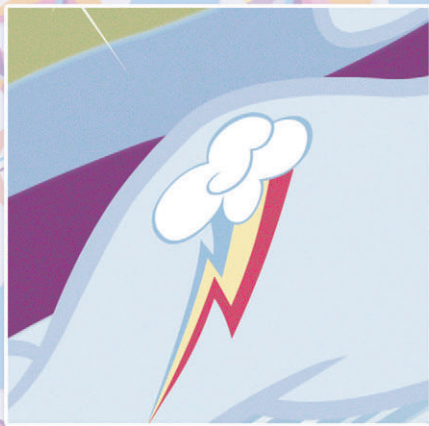
"BUT THAT DAY, THE DAY I DISCOVERED RACING, I PROVED THAT THE LEGENDS WERE TRUE."



"I MADE THE IMPOSSIBLE HAPPEN!"



POOF







AND THAT, LITTLE ONES, IS HOW YOU EARN A CUTIE MARK.



WHOOOOAAAH...



WAIT A SECOND... I HEARD THAT EXPLOSION! AND I SAW THE RAINBOW, TOO!

RAINBOW DASH, IF YOU HADN'T SCARED THE ANIMALS, I NEVER WOULD HAVE LEARNED I COULD COMMUNICATE WITH THEM AND GOTTEN MY CUTIE MARK!

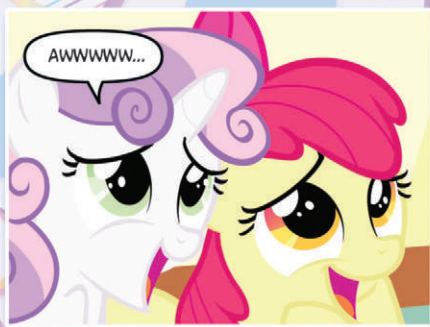


I HEARD THAT BOOM. AND RIGHT AFTERWARDS THERE WAS THIS AMAZING RAINBOW THAT TAUGHT ME TO SMILE!











"DEAR PRINCESS CELESTIA, TODAY I LEARNED SOMETHING AMAZING."



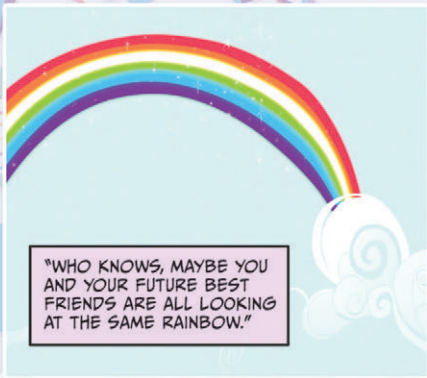
EVERYPONY EVERYWHERE HAS A SPECIAL CONNECTION WITH HER FRIENDS, MAYBE EVEN BEFORE SHE'S MET THEM.



IF YOU'RE FEELING LONELY AND YOU'RE STILL SEARCHING FOR YOUR TRUE FRIENDS, JUST LOOK UP IN THE SKY.



"WHO KNOWS, MAYBE YOU AND YOUR FUTURE BEST FRIENDS ARE ALL LOOKING AT THE SAME RAINBOW."



GROSS! WHEN DID YOU GET SO CHEESEY?

JUST WRITE IT, SPIKE.



**NOT THE END!**



**my LITTLE PONY**  
**When Cutie Calls**

Nothing sets a pony apart from the others like a Cutie Mark. At least as far as Apple Bloom, Sweetie Belle, and Scootaloo are concerned. But you can't rush a Cutie Mark, no matter how hard these fillies try!

**INCLUDES THE EPISODES:**  
**Call of the Cutie**  
**&**  
**The Cutie Mark Chronicles**