

Loyalty

“To the world you may just be one person, but to one person you may be the world.”

- Brandi Snyder

“If ever there is tomorrow when we’re not together...there is something you must always remember. You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think. But the most important thing is, even if we’re apart...I’ll always be with you.”

- Winnie the Pooh

Theme: Friendship

Film: *Shrek*

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The main thing about being an ogre is that no one wants to be around one...and that is perfectly fine with Shrek, an ogre who repeatedly says that all he wants is to be left alone. When his swamp is suddenly overrun with fairy tale characters, Shrek is willing to go to any length to get rid of them, even when that means embarking on a quest to find a princess and deliver her to a power-hungry lord.

Along the way, something happens to Shrek; he begins to care. He begins to care about the princess and he begins to care about his companion on this quest, an often-annoying talkative donkey. Just when Shrek decides that the cost of caring is too high and prepares to retreat to a life of isolation, Donkey teaches him an important lesson.

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Teaser Question: What happens when you get into fights with your friends?

Going Deeper: Are friends always honest about the way they feel? Are there times when making a friend face the truth might be too much to ask?

Making Choices: You know there is a lot of tension and trouble at your friend’s home. You also know that your friend has not been getting very good grades. You ask how things are going and your friend simply replies, “Things are fine.” Do you leave your friend alone, or do you press your friend to open up? Do you go to others and tell them about your concerns for you friend? How can you best support your friend? Who could you go to for help and advice?