

Tv Study

Media Studies 20

Episode 2 - Showmance

Will Schuester finds out that he must recruit more people for New Directions in order to show up at Regionals. Then the Glee Club has their first performance in front of the whole school. This leads Quinn to realize that Rachel has feelings for Finn making her go through great lengths to keep her man. Meanwhile, Will's wife, Terri, receives some unexpected news.

1. How does the role of “popularity” compare in the show to what we see in real life? What makes someone “popular”?

2. Why do you think they used the song “Gold Digger” in the show? How does it relate to the storyline?

3. Why do we want Mr. Schuster and Emma (guidance councilor) together even though, in real life, it would be seen as wrong, as he is married? What does that say about our thoughts about marriage?

4. What does the song “Take a Bow” reveal about Rachel’s character in dealing with Finn.

5. Based on the two episodes we have watched, what are the BIG QUESTIONS that we want answered as we continue to watch? Relationships? Friendships? The Glee club as a group?