

V26 – The Big Bang Theory: Sheldon Guarding his Spot

Part 1 – Topic Speaking: Friends Fighting

Directions: Discuss the following questions with a partner.

1. How often do you and your friends argue?
2. What was the last argument you had with a friend about?
3. What is the most common thing you and your friends argue about?
4. Can you get along with friends that argue a lot?
5. In the middle of an argument with a friend you find out you are wrong what will you do?
6. Are you open to new ideas?
7. Do you like arguing with friends?
8. Are you usually the winner of arguments with your friends?
9. What is the worst argument you've had with a friend?
10. Have you ever lost a friend over an argument?

Part 2A - Vocabulary Review:

Directions: Discuss the meaning with a partner. Next, review as a class.

| Vocabulary | * | Definition or Translation |
|-------------------------|----|---------------------------|
| 1. nosey | 1 | |
| 2. strapped | 7 | |
| 3. tangle | 8 | |
| 4. intellect | 8 | |
| 5. scolding | 16 | |
| 6. desensitized | 19 | |
| 7. talk some sense into | 20 | |
| 8. preposterous | 24 | |
| 9. solely | 25 | |
| 10. revenge | 37 | |

*NOTE: the number indicates where the vocabulary is located in the script.

Part 2B - Vocabulary Speaking:

Directions: Choose 5 vocabulary words and create a question. Next, discuss your questions with a partner.

| Word | Question |
|-----------|---|
| Ex: tough | What is the <i>toughest</i> course you have ever taken? |
| 1. | |
| 2. | |
| 3. | |
| 4. | |
| 5. | |

Part 3 – Script & Video

Directions: Complete Back2Back Reading (see Script below), then watch the video.

Part 4 - Comprehension Questions:

Directions: Discuss with a partner then review as a class.

1. What does Sheldon tell professor Stevens not to look at?

2. Why is Sheldon doing math in a parking lot?

3. What does Sheldon have strapped to his leg?

4. What is the first thing Howard does in an attempt to move Sheldon from his spot?

5. What is the second thing Howard does in an attempt to move Sheldon from his spot?

6. What does Leonard think Sheldon and Howard are acting like?

7. Why does Howard think that Sheldon is in his parking spot?

8. What did Sheldon get into the cafeteria vending machine?

9. How does Sheldon get revenge on Howard?

Part 5 – Writing:

Directions: In 2 to 3 sentences, write your opinion about the video.

A – Back2Back Reading

Directions: Read 'odd' numbers +
Listen & fill in 'even' numbers



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2.Howard : What the hell _____ ?

3.Sheldon : Oh. You said I'm not using my space, so I'm using it.

4.Howard : Okay, you need to _____ now.

5.Sheldon : No, I don't.

6.Howard : You can't _____ there forever.

7.Sheldon : Actually, I have a plastic baggy strapped to my leg that says I can.

8.Sheldon : _____, Wolowitz. You've chosen to _____ with a _____ you can't _____.

9.Sheldon : There is nothing you could possibly do to...

10.Howard : _____, Sheldon,

11.Sheldon : Oh, yes, they are. I mean, what?

12.Howard : I'm _____ you, Sheldon!

13.Sheldon : Your threats are empty, nothing can move me. Stop that.

14.Howard : _____.

15.Sheldon : No. That's it. I am calling campus security.

16.Sheldon : You _____ for the _____ of your life.

17.Leonard : What are you idiots doing?

18.Sheldon : He's _____, Leonard.

19.Sheldon : Video games and rock music have desensitized him to violence.

20.Howard : Would you please talk some _____ into your lunatic roommate?

21.Leonard : You're both acting like lunatics. It's just a parking spot.

22.Howard : It's not just a _____.

23. Howard : He can't handle the fact that I'm a bigger deal than he is now.

24.Sheldon : Oh, _____.

25.Sheldon : I have been solely responsible for this university's six loop quantum gravity calculations, I have changed the way we think about Bose-Einstein condensates, and I am also the one who got Nutter Butters in the cafeteria vending machine.

26.Sheldon : Maybe you missed that news while you were _____ like a goof in outer space.

27.Sheldon : Now, if you'll excuse me, I have work to do.

28.Howard : _____ ?

29.Leonard : What I don't believe is that you tried to run him over.

30.Howard : Oh, like you've _____ of doing that.

31.Howard : Don't hate me just because I lived the dream.

32.Sheldon : Hey, _____.

33.Howard : What are you doing in there?

34.Sheldon : Just _____ your new car.

35.Howard : Stop that. You stop that.

36.Sheldon : _____ ?

37.Sheldon : Revenge is a dish best served nude.

B – Back2Back Reading

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V26 - ANSWER KEY



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Part 4 - Comprehension Questions & Answers

| QUESTIONS & ANSWERS | |
|---|--|
| 1. What does Sheldon tell professor Stevens not to look at? | Sheldon tells Professor Stevens not to look at the whiteboard. |
| 2. Why is Sheldon doing math in a parking lot? | Sheldon is doing math in a parking lot because Howard said he wasn't using his space. |
| 3. What does Sheldon have strapped to his leg? | Sheldon has a plastic baggy strapped to his leg. |
| 4. What is the first thing Howard does in an attempt to move Sheldon from his spot? | First Howard blasts the horn. |
| 5. What is the second thing Howard does in an attempt to move Sheldon from his spot? | Second Howard pushes Sheldon with his car. |
| 6. What does Leonard think Sheldon and Howard are acting like? | Leonard thinks Sheldon and Howard are acting like lunatics. |
| 7. Why does Howard think that Sheldon is in his parking spot? | Howard thinks that Sheldon is in his parking spot because he can't handle the fact that Howard is a bigger deal than him now. |
| 8. What did Sheldon get into the cafeteria vending machine? | Sheldon got Nutter Butters into the cafeteria vending machine. |
| 9. How does Sheldon get revenge on Howard? | Sheldon gets revenge on Howard by sitting in Howard's car naked. |