



**EPISODE** [Adulting] Does the truth matter?

## Study Notes

### Vocabulary of the week

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| <b>in the same boat</b>           | <i>idiom</i>           | to be in the same unfortunate situation as someone else<br><i>Commuting can be tough, but we're all <b>in the same boat</b>.</i>                 |
| <b>on the same page</b>           | <i>idiom</i>           | to have the same ideas (in agreement) as someone else<br><i>We need to be <b>on the same page</b> about our top priorities.</i>                  |
| <b>on the fence</b>               | <i>idiom</i>           | not able to decide something<br><i>I'm still <b>on the fence</b> about buying the new iPhone.</i>  |
| <b>white lie</b>                  | <i>noun</i>            | a lie that is told to be polite or kind; a positive lie<br><i>Telling a <b>white lie</b> can save your relationship.</i>                         |
| <b>the big picture</b>            | <i>noun</i>            | the most important facts about a situation; a broader perspective<br><i>Looking things from a <b>bigger picture</b> can help solve problems.</i> |
| <b>honesty is the best policy</b> | <i>expression</i>      | telling the truth is better than to lie<br><i>The truth can hurt but I believe that <b>honesty is the best policy</b>.</i>                       |
| <b>sugarcoat</b>                  | <i>verb;<br/>idiom</i> | to say something nice about something not pleasant<br><i>Don't <b>sugarcoat</b> the fact that my dog just died!</i>                              |
| <b>take a break</b>               | <i>verb;<br/>idiom</i> | to stop doing something for a short period of time; to rest<br><i>Let's <b>take a break</b>. I'm too tired.</i>                                  |
| <b>vicious</b>                    | <i>adjective</i>       | dangerously aggressive<br><i>My mother-in-law and my cat are similar, they're both <b>vicious</b>!</i>   |