Before watching, what are your expectations for Shrek 5? What would make it a W or an L?

Emily Roberts

Honestly? My expectations are low. Hollywood never knows when to quit. To be a W, it would need a genuinely original story, not just rehashing old jokes. And please, for the love of all that is holy, no more pop culture references that will be dated in a year. An L would be exactly that – predictable plot, stale humor, and another unnecessary sequel that ruins the legacy of the first two movies.

Moderator

Alright, now watch the teaser. First reaction—gut feeling, what's going through your head?

Emily Roberts

Okay, my first reaction? *eye roll* Seriously? Another one? I mean, the first two were classics, but it just feels like they're trying to milk it for all it's worth. The "Magic Mirror" bit was kind of funny, but then it just went off the rails. Ugh, and "Shrek 5" starring Zendaya? That's... unexpected, to say the least. I don't know, maybe it'll be good, but my gut is telling me this is going to be another disappointing sequel.

Moderator

The internet is kind of losing it over the new animation style. Do you think it still feels like Shrek or does it feel... off?

Emily Roberts

Off. Definitely off. It looks like some Al garbage, not the Shrek I grew up with.

Moderator

If they had kept the original animation style from the old movies, do you think people would be hyped instead of upset?

Emily Roberts

Yeah, probably. People are nostalgic for the way things *were*. Messing with the animation is a risk they didn't need to take.

Moderator

What's one thing they could change RIGHT NOW to fix the way it looks?

Emily Roberts

Honestly, I don't know. Maybe try not to make everything look so...shiny? It's like they're trying too hard to be modern.

Moderator

Does Shrek 5 look like it was made for old fans, or are they aiming for a new generation?

Emily Roberts

Definitely feels like they're trying to grab a new, younger audience, which kinda sucks for those of us who grew up with the original.

Moderator

Let's say DreamWorks called you up and said you can change one MAJOR thing about this movie—what are you fixing?

Emily Roberts

Honestly? I'm not sure I'd touch it. Dreamworks? Really? Their newer stuff is usually a miss for me. It'd probably end up worse.

Moderator

If Shrek 5 flops, what will be the main reason?

Emily Roberts

Honestly? Probably that animation style everyone's complaining about. If it looks like the "Ugly Sonic" thing all over again, people will riot.

Moderator

What would Donkey say if he saw this trailer?

Emily Roberts

Something like, "What in the world have they done to Shrek? This ain't no ogre I know They better get it together or I'm outta here!"

Moderator

Alright, final verdict. Based on the teaser alone: W or L?

Emily Roberts

L. Looks like a cash grab.

Before watching, what are your expectations for Shrek 5? What would make it a W or an L?

Ethan Collins

Honestly, I'm expecting it to be another nostalgia grab. If they retread the same jokes and plot points, it's gonna be an L. If they actually try something new with the characters and story, it could be a W, but I'm not holding my breath.

Moderator

Alright, now watch the teaser. First reaction—gut feeling, what's going through your head?

Ethan Collins

Okay, so, that "Shrek 5" trailer? My first thought is... is this just a fever dream? It's trying way too hard to be meme-y and appeal to a younger audience, and the whole magic mirror bit felt forced. Zendaya as a new character? Doesn't make any sense. This feels like they're just throwing random stuff at the wall to see what sticks, and honestly, it's kinda cringey.

Moderator

The internet is kind of losing it over the new animation style. Do you think it still feels like Shrek or does it feel... off?

Ethan Collins

Honestly? It feels off. Shrek's supposed to be kinda rough around the edges, you know? This new animation is too smooth, too polished. It's like they tried to make him "hot," and it's just weird. Doesn't feel like the Shrek I grew up with. If they're trying to attract new fans, I doubt this is the way to do it. The change is kind of a turnoff.

Moderator

If they had kept the original animation style from the old movies, do you think people would be hyped instead of upset?

Ethan Collins

Yeah, if they'd kept the animation style the same, people would probably be way more hyped. It's the main thing everyone's complaining about. Nostalgia's a big deal, and messing with it is usually a bad call.

Moderator

What's one thing they could change RIGHT NOW to fix the way it looks?

Ethan Collins

Honestly, they need to ditch the weird, overly smooth character models. Go back to something closer to the original style, even if it's just for the faces. Make 'em look less like plastic dolls, y'know?

Moderator

Does Shrek 5 look like it was made for old fans, or are they aiming for a new generation?

Ethan Collins

Honestly, it's probably more for the new kids. The animation style is so different, the old fans might be turned off. Seems like they're trying to grab a younger audience.

Moderator

Let's say DreamWorks called you up and said you can change one MAJOR thing about this movie—what are you fixing?

Ethan Collins

I'd actually give the story some bite. Most DreamWorks movies are too safe and predictable. Needs more edge.

Moderator

If Shrek 5 flops, what will be the main reason?

Ethan Collins

If Shrek 5 flops, it'll be because they messed with the animation style too much. People are already complaining about it, and if the story sucks on top of that, it's game over.

Moderator

What would Donkey say if he saw this trailer?

Ethan Collins

He'd probably say something like, "Are we REALLY doing this again? I swear, if they mess up my lines, I'm walkin'!"

Moderator

Alright, final verdict. Based on the teaser alone: W or L?

Ethan Collins

L. Teasers are designed to trick you.

Before watching, what are your expectations for Shrek 5? What would make it a W or an L?

Megan Thompson

Okay, so if they're actually making a Shrek 5... I'm not holding my breath. My expectations are low, tbh. It'll probably be fine, maybe a decent watch while I'm on my phone. It'd be a "W" if they actually did something new and surprising with the story – and maybe didn't rely so much on old jokes. It would be an "L" if it was just another rehash of the same old stuff, or if they tried to be *too* hip and current, you know? Like, trying to be all Gen Z with the humor. Please no.

Moderator

Alright, now watch the teaser. First reaction—gut feeling, what's going through your head?

Megan Thompson

Oh god, not another one. Seriously? Is Hollywood that creatively bankrupt that we need a "Shrek 5"? I loved the first two, even the third was okay, but the fourth one? Yikes. And now this? Looks like a cash grab. Please don't ruin my childhood, DreamWorks. 2026? Guess I'll see if I'm pleasantly surprised or deeply disappointed then.

Moderator

The internet is kind of losing it over the new animation style. Do you think it still feels like Shrek or does it feel... off?

Megan Thompson

Honestly? It sounds like it's gonna feel off. Polished and round? That's not Shrek. Shrek is supposed to be a little rough around the edges.

Moderator

If they had kept the original animation style from the old movies, do you think people would be hyped instead of upset?

Megan Thompson

Yeah, I think if they stuck with the old animation style, people would be way more hyped. Everyone loves the original Shrek look. Changing it just seems like a bad move.

Moderator

What's one thing they could change RIGHT NOW to fix the way it looks?

Megan Thompson

Honestly, I think they should ditch the whole thing and start over with the original animation style. But if they *had* to change something right now, they should focus on making the characters look less... human. More like the original Shrek characters with exaggerated features. It's the uncanny valley effect that's killing it.

Moderator

Does Shrek 5 look like it was made for old fans, or are they aiming for a new generation?

Megan Thompson

It looks like they're trying to get both old and new fans, but I'm not sure it's working.

Moderator

Let's say DreamWorks called you up and said you can change one MAJOR thing about this movie—what are you fixing?

Megan Thompson

Honestly, DreamWorks hasn't really been hitting it out of the park lately, so I'm not sure if I'd trust them. But, if I HAD to change something, I'd probably want to see more originality. Stop relying on nostalgia and actually come up with some new ideas!

Moderator

If Shrek 5 flops, what will be the main reason?

Megan Thompson

If Shrek 5 flops, it'll probably be because it tries too hard to be something it's not. People loved the original Shrek for what it was, not for what it could be with a bunch of soulless CGI.

What would Donkey say if he saw this trailer?

Megan Thompson

"Oh man, they better not mess with my Shrek! If they try to make him all serious and stuff, I'm gonna lose it. We need the ogre we know and love, ya know? And where's my Dragon?! Is she in this thing? 'Cause if not, I'm out!"

Moderator

Alright, final verdict. Based on the teaser alone: W or L?

Megan Thompson

L. If they mess with Shrek, it's an automatic fail.

Before watching, what are your expectations for Shrek 5? What would make it a W or an L?

Miguel Gonzalez

Honestly, I ain't super hyped for a "Shrek 5." They better not mess it up. If it's just relying on the old stuff and doesn't bring anything new, it's gonna be an L. If they get lazy with the story, it's gonna be a big L. But if they can actually make it funny and the story's decent, maybe it'll be a W. Zendaya being in it could be cool.

Moderator

Alright, now watch the teaser. First reaction—gut feeling, what's going through your head?

Miguel Gonzalez

Man, what the heck did I just watch? Shrek with sunglasses? Buff Shrek? What is this, some kind of fever dream? I am so confused right now. This looks like one of those messed up fan edits, not an actual movie trailer.

Moderator

The internet is kind of losing it over the new animation style. Do you think it still feels like Shrek or does it feel... off?

Miguel Gonzalez

Man, it feels OFF. Like they took Shrek and put him through a Snapchat filter. I liked the old Shrek. This looks too...clean.

Moderator

If they had kept the original animation style from the old movies, do you think people would be hyped instead of upset?

Miguel Gonzalez

Yeah, probably. People are nostalgic for that old Shrek look. This new stuff looks too slick, man. I liked the rough edges.

What's one thing they could change RIGHT NOW to fix the way it looks?

Miguel Gonzalez

Make it look less...clean. More like the first one. Messier, you know?

Moderator

Does Shrek 5 look like it was made for old fans, or are they aiming for a new generation?

Miguel Gonzalez

They're trying for both, I guess. They got Zendaya for the young kids, but they're still trying to throw in some stuff for us old heads who grew up on Shrek. It's a balancing act, man.

Moderator

Let's say DreamWorks called you up and said you can change one MAJOR thing about this movie—what are you fixing?

Miguel Gonzalez

I'd make it less of a kids' movie and bring back the crude humor that made the original Shrek funny. The jokes nowadays are too soft.

Moderator

If Shrek 5 flops, what will be the main reason?

Miguel Gonzalez

The animation style.

Moderator

What would Donkey say if he saw this trailer?

Miguel Gonzalez

I don't watch that crap.

Alright, final verdict. Based on the teaser alone: W or L?

Miguel Gonzalez

L. Looks boring.

Before watching, what are your expectations for Shrek 5? What would make it a W or an L?

Ethan Harrison

Honestly? I'm not holding my breath for Shrek 5 being amazing. If they try to rehash the same jokes and plot points, it's gonna be an L. To make it a W, they'd need to come up with a genuinely new story, not just rely on nostalgia. And please, no more unnecessary spin-offs or cameos. Fresh humor and a compelling plot – that's what it'd take.

Moderator

Alright, now watch the teaser. First reaction—gut feeling, what's going through your head?

Ethan Harrison

Okay, so... another *Shrek*? Honestly, I thought they were done with these. The edits in the magic mirror are kinda funny, but I'm not sure if that's enough to carry a whole movie. It just feels like they're trying too hard to stay relevant, like, come on! And Christmas 2026? That's so far away!

Moderator

The internet is kind of losing it over the new animation style. Do you think it still feels like Shrek or does it feel... off?

Ethan Harrison

Honestly, it feels kinda off. Shrek's always been a bit rough around the edges, and that's part of its charm. If they're making him look too polished, it might lose what made it Shrek in the first place.

Moderator

If they had kept the original animation style from the old movies, do you think people would be hyped instead of upset?

Ethan Harrison

Yeah, probably. If they stuck with the original animation style, I think way more people would be hyped instead of complaining. It's what everyone expects and loves about Shrek. Changing it up is risky, and from what I'm seeing, it's not paying off.

Moderator

What's one thing they could change RIGHT NOW to fix the way it looks?

Ethan Harrison

Honestly? They should just go back to the old animation style. Scrap what they've got and redo it. It'd take time, yeah, but it's better than releasing something nobody wants to watch.

Moderator

Does Shrek 5 look like it was made for old fans, or are they aiming for a new generation?

Ethan Harrison

Honestly, it looks like they're trying for a new generation, but they might be messing it up for the old fans. That new animation style is kinda weird.

Moderator

Let's say DreamWorks called you up and said you can change one MAJOR thing about this movie—what are you fixing?

Ethan Harrison

I'd tell them to ditch the new animation style and go back to what made the original movies look so good. Don't fix what isn't broken, y'know?

Moderator

If Shrek 5 flops, what will be the main reason?

Ethan Harrison

The main reason Shrek 5 would flop is the bad reaction to the new animation style. People just don't seem to like the redesigns.

Moderator

What would Donkey say if he saw this trailer?

Ethan Harrison

"Ehhh, I don't know about this, Shrek. Looks kinda... different. Hope I still look handsome!"

Moderator

Alright, final verdict. Based on the teaser alone: W or L?

Ethan Harrison

Based on the teaser alone, I'm gonna say it's an L. That new animation style is just...wrong.