

Directions: Read through the scenario below and answer the questions that follow.

Gary is a new kid in school. He is very proud and has been trying to get as many friends as he can, partly to have friends, but also so he has someone to help him out if he gets into a fight (which he often does). Gary is also taking steroids and has been lifting weights in the gym every day. Gary's closest friends are Adrian Hartford and Ian.

Frank is a guy in school that has been there for years, he is popular and well known throughout the school. Frank is on the football team, so he is just as strong as Gary, but he isn't on steroids so he's not as aggressive. Frank is close friends with Russell, Sebastian, and Gabe Brians.

Gary is trying out for the football team and wants Frank's position as quarterback. Although they do not show it, both Gary and Frank want each other out of the school. To hurt each other socially, Frank is trying to become friends with Gary's friends and Gary has been doing the same. Both are spreading rumors about the other.

One day after practice, Adrian Hartford made fun of Sebastian's family. Sebastian, being very proud of his family took a swing at Adrian Hartford and gave him a bloody nose...

1. How is Gary a threat to Frank's status in the school?
2. What actions are putting Gary and Frank against each other?
3. How do you think the incident between Adrian Hartford and Sebastian is going to affect Frank, Gary, Ian, and Russell?



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