



Pre and Post Screening Questions for:

Rising Stars



Questions to discuss BEFORE seeing the film:

1. What do you think a "Rising Star" is?
2. Can you make a list of who you think is a "Rising Star"?
3. What kind of people can be Rising Stars?
4. Do you know of anyone in your school, community or family that is a Rising Star?
5. Do you think reality TV shows you exactly what happens in a show?
6. Make a wall mural or collage or some sort of display of rising stars - each one will be different because each star is different in their own way.

Questions to discuss AFTER seeing the film:

1. Go to the website www.imdb.com and check out the actors in the film and see what their backgrounds are in music and drama.
2. Do you think that networks and reality TV producers/directors would actually do what they did in the movie to make their reality show have more 'drama' or conflict?
3. What current reality TV shows do you think that they do the same thing with?
4. Do you think that the characters in this movie did the right thing?
5. How could you rewrite the ending?
6. If you could be one of the characters from this movie - which one would you aspire to be?.