

I. Episode 3:

- So, Kreese walks with Sensei Kim as she shows him around her Korean Dojang. We get things pretty much the same as in the original episode: Kim asks Yoon to perform a move, and he does it perfectly, while Kwon instead does something completely different, acting very cocky about it. Kim humiliates him in front of the class, sending him away to clean Kim Sun-Yung's Toilet; things stay the same.
- Anyway, in the next scene, Kreese is officially teaching the students and gives them that whole pep talk about being heartless. Yoon gives his answer about having more heart than your opponent, while Kwon interrupts the class with his "Kill their heart" comment. So Kreese punishes the entirety of the class for Kwon's interruptions. Kwon gets scolded by Yoon, and they have a bit of an argument. Here we set the differences that were hinted at before, with Yoon being a perfectionist, but also letting that perfectionism make him a bit of a dick, while Kwon is more rebellious and disrespectful, with a cocky attitude that he uses to suppress his hate (Which will be explored in depth later...). So Kwon ends up getting kicked down the stairs by Yoon as Yoon threatens him.
- During nighttime, Kwon approaches Kreese about how he's been treating him and how he's trying to get the team to turn on Kwon. Kreese gives him that pep talk of using his anger as strength. Kwon then goes to Yoon, Chung-Hee, and Min-Seok and attacks them. Kwon pretty easily defeats Chung-Hee and Min-Seok, but he struggles a bit more with Yoon.
- Kwon and Yoon fight, but the match *doesn't* end with Kwon defeating Yoon, at least not yet. The fight still goes mostly how it happened in the OG Episode, with Kwon low-mid diff Yoon. At some point, Kwon grabs Yoon by his head, ready to punch Yoon in the throat, but Sensei Kim Dae-Un stops the fight before Kwon can land the final hit.
- Here we find our first new/added scene: Later that night, Kwon goes back to what seems to be a crummy, small room, with a single bed and a punching bag to the side. Kwon begins to punch and kick the bag in frustration, every hit harder until he lets out a yell in anger. He calms down, his face still showing some hatred. He lies down in bed and searches for a picture, a picture of what seems to be a younger Kwon with both his parents; we don't know what happened with Kwon's parents up until this point, not yet, at least.

- *Sidenote #1: This is going to be our first major change to Kwon's character, and that's going to give him the backstory that he deserves. Season 6 - Part 3 suddenly dropped the reveal that Kwon was an orphan raised by the Dojang. I'm assuming this was done as a way to get us to sympathize with him after his Death, but one throwaway line is not enough, and in my opinion, a revelation like that could be used to explore so much more than just some half-baked sympathy.*
- Anyways, so during the final scene of the Episode, Kreese teaches the class about being Heartless, and how that's the best way to defeat an opponent with more heart. During Kreese's Speech, Kwon and Yoon exchange a hateful glance at each other, teasing at least one more fight before Part 1 ends.

II. Episode 5:

- *Sidenote #2: So, in The OG Episode, Cobra Kai doesn't have a proper appearance or a scene until the very end with the reveal of Tory in The Sekai Taikai... So we're making our own up. One thing that bothered me about the OG EP5 is that Cobra Kai doesn't have an elimination match as Miyagi-Do does, at least not on screen, so it'd be nice to have something similar with Cobra Kai too.*
- With that being said, somewhere along the Episode, instead of having those weird scenes with Daniel and Johnny training the kids and having them argue... again... We should instead use that runtime on South Korea, as Kreese and Sensei Kim are putting the students to one final test to determine The Male Captain, and so Kreese suggests one way to determine that: Coyote Creek, or at least a variation of it.
- So, Kreese, by this point, has already picked the 4 or 5 Students who will be a part of Korea's Cobra Kai in The Sekai Taikai: Kwon, Yoon, Chung-Hee, Min-Seok, and some random 5th Party, it doesn't matter. He gives them all black headbands and explains the rules: They will all run towards the forest, and their objective is to be the last one standing. By any measure, they have to remove the headbands from whichever opponent they find deep in the forest. Whoever is the last one standing will be the Team Male Captain of Cobra Kai. All 4-5 Students get ready, and, as soon as Kreese yells "Fight!", they all run off deep in the forest.
- The First Fight we see is Yoon vs Min-Seok and Chung-Hee. For the most part, Yoon can take on both of them fairly easily, though his style of fighting is a bit more defensive than that of Kwon's, dodging their attacks and having them beat each other up until he finishes them off with one strong hit each. After Yoon

defeats Chung-Hee and Min-Seok, he helps them back up and bows at them, showing respect for fighting with honor and heart.

- *Sidenote #3: This moment, where Yoon bows to show his respect to the other students, is a moment that, although small, hints at Yoon not being quite like the Kwon. The depiction of both Kwon and Yoon's fight against other CK students explains why both of these fighters are at odds with each other and why their rivalry even exists.*
- Eventually, both Kwon and Yoon find each other at the center of the Dojang, where they usually train. Kwon and Yoon have an exchange where Yoon berates Kwon for his behavior, for setting back their team, and how he doesn't deserve to be the Team Captain.
- Meanwhile, Kwon mentions how Yoon has been nothing but privileged, with everything being handed to him by his Family and The Sensei, and how he's never had to truly fight for anything like Kwon has.
- *Sidenote #4: In this moment, we establish (To an extent...) why Kwon has such hatred for a lot of people, particularly Yoon. Kwon has been an orphan since a young age, and seeing Yoon with a loving family and Teachers who praise him fills him with envy and jealousy, especially since he's never had parents to raise him, nor teachers who appreciate him, at least not until Kreese arrived, more on that later.*
- Sensei Kreese, Sensei Kim Dae-Un, and the rest of the students are also watching the fight as both Yoon and Kwon start walking in circles, waiting for the other to strike first.
- Yoon and Kwon rush towards each other and start fighting. Now having seen how Kwon fights, Yoon can keep up with him, blocking and dodging Kwon's more aggressive attacks. The fight this time is a lot more even than the one they previously had, with both of them throwing each other to the floor, trying to get the headband off the other person.
- Anyways, at some point, Kwon hits Yoon directly on his throat. He then goes behind him and puts his arm around his neck, choking him. Yoon tries to, at the very least, reach behind his head and get the headband from Kwon, but Kwon hits him on his side and then throws him to the ground. He then grabs the neck of his

Gi, pulling his head back up, and then ends the fight with a punch to his eye. He grabs Yoon's headband and his badge and drops his head back on the floor.

- Kwon slowly approaches Kreese, with all the students making a path for him on each side. He gives Kreese the headband, and Kreese praises his efforts and victory, announcing to the whole Dojo that Kwon is the new champion and leader of Cobra Kai. This is the first time that Kwon has received any form of appreciation from anyone, and as such, he feels a new sense of pride and power, but more than that? A connection to Kreese, a feeling that he's finally seen and understood by someone.
- After a small speech from Kreese about how pain reveals the true champion in a fighter, he tells everyone to line up. Kreese then tells Kwon to finish their training, to which Kwon, now the new leader of Cobra Kai, agrees. Kwon yells something in Korean as he takes in his new sense of power, as the rest of the students bow down to him in respect.

III. Episode 6:

- So EP6 starts the same way, with the introduction of The Sekai Taikai, the rules, the teams, everything. Miyagi-Do looks across the room to see Cobra Kai. During this scene, Kwon approaches Miyagi-Do, taunting the team along with the rest of Cobra Kai. Kwon takes a particular interest in Robby as he is the Team Captain of Miyagi-Do, immediately threatening Robby that he will eliminate him in the first round.
- *Sidenote #5: This is something that will be explored throughout the show, but the main connection I want to show here is that both Kwon and Robby are extremely similar in many ways: Both are hot-heads who use Karate as a way to deal with their own traumas and issues, both who lacked parental figures in one way or another, and both who want to win The Sekai Taikai for a better future and for closure within themselves. The difference is that Robby managed to get his life in order, and he uses Karate for balance, while Kwon is becoming more erratic as he uses his Karate for pain and hate.*
- Kwon and Yoon eventually enter their Hotel Room, as they both have been assigned the same room together, and Kwon immediately shows disdain towards Tory for being an outsider. In the same vein as with Yoon and Robby, Kwon finds Tory to be privileged, as she, in his eyes at least, immediately became captain

without the struggle that Kwon went through. Yoon tries telling him to calm down, but Kwon dismisses Yoon.

- Anyway, The Rest of the episode goes pretty much the same way: Cobra Kai and Miyagi-Do do the kicking competition, which promptly leads Miyagi-Do to lose their rooms. Throughout this entire scene, Kwon is yelling at Robby, laughing at him as he tries to distract him and lose his focus.
- During the “Captain’s War” Round, everything stays pretty much the same, except for a few slight changes: Devon is immediately eliminated by Kwon; Demetri tries to fight Tory, but Yoon intervenes, and they both eliminate Demetri. Miguel manages to eliminate that one Cobra Kai lady, and Robby is fighting Kwon. Hawk eliminates Chung-Hee, and Sam eliminates Min-Seok.
- It’s now 4v3: Miyagi-Do still has Miguel, Sam, Hawk, and Robby, while Cobra Kai only has Kwon, Yoon, and Tory. Sam is fighting Tory, Miguel is fighting Yoon, and Robby is fighting Kwon. Johnny instructs Hawk to “Protect the Captains,” and, seeing as Robby is struggling against Kwon, he jumps in to help. However, his moment is cut short as Kwon pushes Robby to make some distance, then attacks Hawk by kicking Hawk in his chest, then kicking him in the face, eliminating him. The Rest of the fight goes the same way: Kwon is making fun of Robby the whole fight, basically toying with him, mentioning his failing relationship with Tory, baiting him to attack him, and even mentioning things like Johnny abandoning him at a young age, which will highly imply that Kreese told Kwon about that fact; all of this while Kwon is just beating and kicking him back.
- Throughout the fight, Kwon is just toying with Robby; Robby is trying to get a hit on Kwon, but Kwon is just dodging, blocking, and even hitting Robby back. Robby finally gets a hit on Kwon, punching him square in the jaw, but Kwon just smiles at him. They exchange a few more shots here and there until Kwon elbows Robby in the face, then kicks him in the face again, seemingly eliminating him. In just the last second, Miguel arrives and prevents Robby from fully falling into the mat, as Miguel leaves Yoon behind; Sam and Tory are still fighting hard. Miguel asks (And slightly berates Robby...) for his performance, then they both get into position to fight Kwon.
- It’s a 2v1; Miguel and Robby vs Kwon. They all start to fight, and Miguel and Robby have a much higher chance of winning. They get more hits in, and Kwon’s defense begins to falter, but a Focused Miguel and an Unfocused Robby are not enough, as Kwon gets the upper hand and begins to fight both Miguel and Robby.

Yoon tries to stop Kwon from being so reckless, but Kwon kicks Yoon back, then he rushes towards both Miguel and Robby and splits kicks them both, eliminating them both at once.

- *Sidenote #6: So clearly, the next big change here is the fact that both Robby AND Miguel are eliminated; I'm doing this for several reasons: Firstly, considering this is a World Tournament, Miyagi-Do needs to be faced with an almost impossible challenge, and with Miguel being potentially the strongest teen fighter, his elimination sends out a message that this is WAY bigger than the All Valley. Secondly, Kwon eliminating both Miguel and Robby at once makes him an even BIGGER threat, probably the biggest they've ever had to face. And third, considering how much stronger Kwon was in Part 1, this fight scene shows Kwon is NOT on the same level as Miguel and Robby; it shows him as even STRONGER and BETTER, which makes Kwon's eventual defeat against Axel a few seconds later that much more shocking and stressful.*
- With Kwon, Yoon, and Tory left standing, they now face the Iron Dragons. Like in the original episode, Kwon and Yoon try to fight Axel, while Tory fights Zara. However, Tory is immediately eliminated by Zara, and, since Kwon and Yoon can't work together as a team, they're both easily eliminated by Axel. As Kwon gets back up, he scolds and berates Yoon for his poor performance, threatening him to do better, and they both get into a heated argument, promptly interrupted by Kreese.

IV. Episode 7:

- Okay, so I'm not gonna lie: Episode 7 is probably the least Cobra Kai-focused episode of the bunch. It is so heavily focused on Miyagi-Do that I don't think CK gets any significant moments apart from maybe some fights.
- Hence, this is why it's difficult to rewrite a character that *already* doesn't have much to do to begin with in the Episode, but I'll try to do my best with the little I have. Throughout the fights at the beginning, and maybe some in the middle, we see Kwon's skill as a fighter, defeating pretty much everyone with ease. Every time Robby fights? Kwon is seen insulting and taunting him from the sidelines.
- Something that I think would be great for this episode is to show what *exactly* happened with Kwon's parents. At some point after the platform matches, or maybe after the locker room scene with Miyagi-Do, we focus on Kwon for a bit.

He just got off a match that he, obviously, won, and sits down to stare at the only picture he has of himself and his parents.

- Kwon reminisces about one of the last memories he's had of his parents; in a flashback scene, we learn that when Kwon was a kid, his parents were murdered in a seemingly random mugging late at night. Child Kwon ran away as his parents were getting shanked. When he finally came out of hiding, he stood over the corpses of both of his parents, crying over them as the flashback ends.
- *Sidenote #7: I understand this seems a bit dark, especially for Cobra Kai, but this is exactly, in my opinion, the kind of backstory that Kwon needs for the audience to understand why he is the way he is. Ever since childhood, he has known nothing but violence, and the seemingly random murder of his parents scarred him to the point of hating the world.*

V. **Episode 8:**

- So, in EP8, the setup is the same: Miguel and Johnny leave for the US due to Carmen, Amanda tries to get Kenny to Spain, Sam is left alone to explore The Beaches of Barcelona, and everyone is at the bar. During the bar scene, Kwon tries to flirt with Tory to provoke Robby. As Robby sees this, he decides to step out of the room, bothered and upset at how Tory seemingly already replaced him with Kwon.
- Yoon approaches Kwon, telling him to leave Tory alone and to focus on the tournament. Yoon scolds Kwon for his attitude, as it's not how a Captain is supposed to act. But Kwon gets cocky with Yoon, saying he has no problem kicking his ass again in the middle of the bar. Tory stands up and intervenes between both of them, snapping back at Kwon as she berates him. There's a bit of tension between all three of them until Kwon just laughs it off. He tells Yoon and Tory that he'll calm down, but warns them to get in line during the next few matches. Kwon leaves the room with a smirk on his face.
- During this, we get pretty much everything the same way: Kwon finds Robby somewhere at the bar and taunts him over Tory, eventually, Zara finds Robby and comforts him, leading to both of them doing their own thing, and while all of this is happening, Sam sees Axel at the beach, and they both go on that walk.
- During the night, Sam and Axel are walking through the streets of Spain. Just like in the OG Episode, Cobra Kai finds them both and tries to attack them.

Chung-Hee and Min-Seok try to attack Sam, but Sam fights them off and defeats them both. Meanwhile, both Kwon and Axel fight each other, and they get into a brief scuffle that ends with Kwon landing a hit on Axel; Axel is hurt for the first time on the show.

- *Sidenote #8: Something quick I need to clear up, but this small moment where Axel and Kwon fight each other, and Kwon lands a hit on Axel, proves and shows us two things: First, it shows us that Kwon and Axel are a lot more even than we thought. Secondly, and most importantly, it shows us that Axel is NOT invincible.*
- The Police arrive, and both groups break off, with Sam taking Axel back to the Beach, while Chung-Hee and Min-Seok drag Kwon as Kwon yells and threatens both of them.

VI. Episode 9:

- Episode 9 begins the same way with the introduction of the Tag Team Fights. Pretty much everything goes the same way, from the matches to the results, the interactions and motivations, etc.
- Anyways, Cobra Kai and Miyagi-Do have their match, and it mostly goes the same way: Robby and Tory fight, but they both switch opponents; Kwon lands a point on Sam and they switch; Miguel lands a point on Min-Seok; Hawk, Demetri, and Kenny switch positions, ultimately landing a point on Yoon; and Kwon lands a point on Miguel.
- The Score is now 2-2. Robby and Kwon enter the mat. Their Fight goes the same way; the only thing I would change is I'd make their fight a lot more even than in the original episode, with both of them throwing kicks and punches and throwing each other on the mat, yet Kwon just having the edge a *bit* more. They both run towards each other and jump to land the final hit, but Robby kicks Kwon in the face. The Score is now 3-2; Miyagi-Do has won.
- After the fight is done, Tory looks at Miyagi-Do, celebrating, and Sam gives out her "I wish you could be celebrating with us..." comment. Kwon stands up from the kick Robby gave him, then pushes everyone away, yelling at them as he walks away and looks down. He looks back up, and his eyes meet with Robby, but the team eventually leaves.

- In the locker room, Cobra Kai is bitter because of their loss. Kwon sits down, angry yet quiet as he shoves his Captain Headband in the bag. Yoon eventually walks in and tries to comfort Kwon, saying he did his best and that he shouldn't beat himself up over what happened.
- "I did my best?" - Kwon asks in Korean. - "I'm the only one that did anything out there..." - Kwon then gets up and goes on a rant about how all of them were useless in their fight. Kwon's speech gets a bit more personal as he then begins to say the tournament was all he had left; all his life, Kwon has felt like a failure to himself and his deceased parents, and he somehow wants to redeem that by finding pride in himself again. The Sekai Taikai was his way to do it.
- In that moment, Kreese enters the locker room and berates everyone, saying that everyone has equal faults, even Kwon. Kwon becomes angry and insulted by what Kreese is implying, but more so hurt that the only person who saw potential in him is disappointed in him, so he storms out of the room. The Episode ends the same way.

VII. Episode 10:

- The Episode begins basically the same way up until Robby and Tory talk during The Lobby. Kwon and Robby have another small argument, with Kwon threatening to get his revenge on Robby soon. Tory eventually steps in between them.
- From here, most of it goes the same way. Russia's Tiger Strike is disqualified from The Sekai Taikai for using Steroids, reinstating Cobra Kai in The Tournament of Champions. Kwon yells at Robby from a distance - "I'll see you on the mat! You're dead!" - as the rest of the team celebrates their return.
- Skip to The Tournament of Champions, and most of it goes the same way. Kwon fights Diego, but Kwon wins by a landslide, knocking Diego out cold; 27-2 Points. Next up, Zara and María fight, and Zara also knocks out María; 21-0. As Zara wins, she blows a kiss towards Robby, then looks at Tory as she mouths, "You're next!"
- Next Match is Robby vs Axel, and it goes mostly the same way: Robby tries to land a hit on Axel, but Axel is a lot stronger than Robby, so Axel gets 5 points in a row; 0-5.

- *Sidenote #9: In my own perfect version of The Sekai Taikai, we would see how this entire fight would play out. I.e: We would see Tory vs Sam's Final Match, Robby and Axel fighting, Robby and Kwon's eventual Final Match, and Miguel would also Fight Axel at some point in the Semis. In addition, I would also have The Brawl play out fairly differently, from the cause of The Brawl to the ending. - The Point is, my version of The Finale would play VERY differently... HOWEVER, for the sake of this Rewrite, I'm gonna keep everything exactly the same. Eventually, I'll Rewrite the entire Season 6 that I hope will Rewrite most of these issues.*
- Eventually, Axel becomes frustrated with Robby's Defense, so he throws him on the mat; Kwon picks him up and cheap shots him. Miguel approaches the Mat, Axel throws him, and everyone starts getting worked up like in the OG Episode. Russia's Tiger Strike sneaks in and knocks out Gunther, prompting everyone to fight and go all out on each other.
- From here? Most of The Sekai Taikai Brawl goes the same way: Robby has to fight Kwon, Chung-Hee, and Min-Seok (He doesn't fight Yoon since Yoon is more of a “Good Guy” in this Rewrite...), Miguel fights Axel, you all know how it goes, etc. Eventually, while Robby is fighting some Iron Dragons, Kwon spots him from afar and screams - “Keene!” - and begins to attack him. Their Fight is a little longer as Kwon becomes a bit more unhinged, saying things like: - “You took everything from me!” - as he knocks down Robby and kicks him on the floor. Sam sees this and fights Kwon, but Kwon kicks her back, prompting Axel, who was fighting Miguel, to throw him aside and begin attacking Kwon.
- Kwon and Axel fight, and it's a really even fight with both giving it their all, one to protect someone else, while the other to protect his pride. Axel kicks Kwon onto the camera, causing him to fall and get cut, screaming in anger and rage, looking up almost in hopelessness. Then, like some twisted joke, he finds Kreese's Eunjangdo. So, amidst all the chaos and insanity from The Brawl, and the overwhelming anger clouding his judgement, he picks up the knife and goes after the only threat currently in his sight: Axel.
- Kwon and Axel have one last stare-off, Axel getting into a defensive stance, Kwon looking more and more jaded and angry as the seconds pass. With one last scream of anger and hurt, he rushes towards Axel, kicking him as Axel blocks every hit. Kwon tries to kick Axel, but Axel trips him in midair, falling onto the floor and impaling himself on the chest.

- Kwon screams in pain and agony, startling everyone during The Brawl and thus causing this war to end. Daniel LaRusso approaches Kwon Jae-Sung's Dead Body and turns him around, revealing Kwon with a knife impaled on his chest, blood all over his body, including the last reminder of what he once had: The Picture of his Family.