

Audition Information for the spring play 2019  
*The Princess Who Had No Name*

**Auditions are after school on Thursday, January 17**

**ExL students** who received this packet late can audition at a later date if arranged on 1/17, and should turn in their paperwork on 1/17.

When you are done auditioning you are welcome to go home. (You can use my classroom phone to call for a ride, if you'd like.) How long it takes just depends on how many students are auditioning, and when you present.

To audition, please memorize ONE of the following monologues. You may also be asked to read from the script during the audition. (This is called a cold read.) Remember that the parts in parenthesis are directions for the actor, and are not said out loud. During the audition, I am looking for actors that can memorize lines, be loud and clear, and have expression. Don't forget to bring the attached handout with you.

Performance Dates and Times:

You must be able to attend all dress and formal performances:

Dress Rehearsal: **Thursday, April 11 3:00-5:30 or whenever we are finished**

Performance 1: **Friday, April 12 at 6:30**

Performance 2: **Saturday, April 13 at 1:00**

Performance 3: **Saturday, April 13 at 6:30**

Rehearsal Dates and Times:

Rehearsal will be Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, and will end between 4:00 and 5:00.

I will email out weekly schedules, and post schedules on my classroom door.

Please check to see if you are needed at each practice. Please note that not all characters meet every day, so check your schedule weekly.

**Rehearsal begins Monday, January 28 from 3:00-4:30 for every character.** I will have posted before the 28th the schedule for the rest of the week.

Questions:

Contact Mrs. Zschach at [jill\\_zschach@crpusd.org](mailto:jill_zschach@crpusd.org)

**Spring Play Information** You must return this when you audition.

**Name:**

**Grade:**

**Number of merits as of January 16**

You must have a grade of C or higher in all your classes, and teacher approval. (eXI needs teacher approval.)

<u>Period</u>	<u>Teacher Signature</u>	<u>Current Grade</u>
<u>1</u>		
<u>2</u>		
<u>3</u>		
<u>4</u>		
<u>5</u>		
<u>6</u>		

**Rehearsals are required.** Missing more than 3 rehearsals, even for valid reasons, can result in losing your part. On most weeks, we will rehearse Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, and most Fridays. Practices will begin after school and will end no later than 5:00 (except for dress rehearsal.)

**Dress rehearsal and performances are mandatory.** Please check your calendars to make sure you are available these dates and times:

*Dress Rehearsal: Thursday, April 11 3:00-5:30 or whenever we are finished*

*Performance 1: Friday, April 12 at 6:30*

*Performance 2: Saturday, April 13 at 1:00*

*Performance 3: Saturday, April 13 at 6:30*

Parent signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent email (for rehearsal schedule) \_\_\_\_\_

Student email (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent phone number (for emergencies after school) \_\_\_\_\_

Monologues Choose **ONE** to memorize

**Queen of the North/The Princess Who Had No Name**

It's all my father's fault. He told the king, who is now my husband, that I could spin straw into gold. But of course I couldn't. I was to be put to death unless I somehow made that happen. Then, this terrible little man came to me. He was a blessing at first. He really could spin straw into gold, and he did so to spare my life. The king was so impressed by it, still thinking that I had spun the gold, that he married me. I became the queen and everything was happily ever after. All my dreams had come true. That is until just two days ago when the terrible, strange little man returned to be repaid for what he had done. He insisted that I hand over my precious little girl, just born that very day.

**Rumpelstiltskin/The Princess Who Had No Name**

Pimpersnap, loldrops, ying-yang-yo  
Lillywumpus, tigersplash, and ho-hum-ho!  
Rumpelstiltskin, Rumpelstiltskin flicks his nose.  
Rumpelstiltskin, Rumpelstiltskin taps his toes.  
Rumpelstiltskin, Rumpelstiltskin no one knows.  
Foo-la-loo and rum-a-tum-too.  
Gungfinga, loop-de-la, sim-sam-soo,  
Hammerknee, treebows and fie-fum-foo!  
Rumpelstiltskin, Rumpelstiltskin no one knew.  
Rumpelstiltskin, Rumpelstiltskin gets his due.  
Rumpelstiltskin, Rumpelstiltskin fooled you, too.

**Cinderella/The Princess Who Had No Name**

So let me get this straight. All that stuff you said about the carriage turning back into a pumpkin, the footmen turning back into mice, the flux capacitor thingy and the space-time continuum and the end of the world...all of that was just a story you made up to get me to keep curfew? I could have stayed longer at the party last night, and you'd never have known? So it's all your fault. It's because of you that I had to walk all night in this dress and one shoe! And it's not a princess gown. It's a ball gown. I've been up all night looking for...for someone and I haven't had a chance to change. Ugh! Sorry, I just can't handle this show a moment longer!

**Hansel/The Princess Who Had No Name**

It must have been some sort of magic candy. It was more than just candy and desserts. It was magic! Did you try the mint chocolate cookies? Or the strawberry cream tartlets? How about the sugar-coated butter sticks? Oh my goodness, they were absolutely to die for! I know! I know! It's disgusting, I know! But it was just so good.

*(Gretel: How do you know she's a princess?)*

One, she's wearing rags. No one in the royal family would wear rags anywhere, not even in the forest. And two, she's lost in the middle of the Misty Forest. Everyone knows the queens live in the castles of the Outer Kingdoms. Duh.