

# 2022-2023 Fall Musical Cast Information Packet - Grades K-4



*Participating in a school musical production provides a unique and rewarding experience for the students of Three Rivers Educational Campus. In order to best serve the needs and goals of producing a major musical, participants should be comprised of those students who are willing and able to make a total commitment to the schedule involved in producing a show such as **Moana Jr.** This commitment may limit the cast due to after school conflicts (cheerleading, football, soccer, volleyball, golf, Girls on the Run, etc.) but should not prohibit involvement in the fall musical. It is necessary that parents, guardians, and students are aware of the commitment and responsibilities required for participating in a school musical before the student auditions. Hopefully, this knowledge will promote the cooperation and dedication necessary to produce a successful show, and will eliminate misunderstandings and lack of teamwork.*

## IN ORDER TO AUDITION

- 1) fill out the attached application with student and parent/guardian signatures and return to Ms. Hannon (B218) by **Friday, September 16th**
- 2) prepare the specified portion of the song from Moana Jr. using the included sheet music and instructions below
- 3) submit a video audition to [trct@trlsd.org](mailto:trct@trlsd.org) by **Friday, September 16th at 4:00pm**
- 4) get two teacher/coach/mentor recommendations (sheets attached) and turn them in to Ms. Hannon (**ONLY to be completed** if you were not in the cast of Matilda Jr, Annie Jr, or TRCT's Summer Drama Camp productions)

## AUDITION SPECIFICS

All K-4 auditions will be **video auditions** to be submitted at [trct@trlsd.org](mailto:trct@trlsd.org). It is each auditioning student's responsibility to prepare the song listed below and meet audition deadlines. Results will be emailed the following week. Song specifics are listed below.

### **"We Know The Way Finale"**

Sheet music is included in the Cast Information Packet. Students should prepare the portion of the song from measure 11 through 18. Vocal tracks, including guide vocals and instrumental, can be found using the instructions listed below. Audition videos should only be submitted using the instrumental version. There should be **NO** vocals included in the background for their audition video.

**Guide Vocals:** Search "[Moana Jr VOCAL Tracks](#)" by Jamie Dowat for Guide Vocals tracks on YouTube. "We Know The Way Finale" is listed as song 33. Students should begin at approximately 28 seconds into the track and end at approximately 46 seconds.

**Instrumental:** Search "[Moana Jr ACCOMPANIMENT](#)" by Jamie Dowat for Accompaniment tracks on YouTube. "We Know The Way Finale" is listed as song 31. Students should begin at approximately 28 seconds into the track and end at approximately 46 seconds. **This should be the track you use with your audition. You may not use music with guide vocals when auditioning.**

## PLEASE NOTE

**Casting for Moana Jr will be highly selective.** All casting decisions are final. Judges' scores will remain confidential and will not be posted. Casting placements will not be debated or discussed once the final cast decision is made. Negative or jealous comments from parents/students regarding cast members or their placements will not be tolerated, and will result in the cast member being released from the play. Please understand that not everyone who auditions will be cast.

## WHO CAN AUDITION?

All Kindergarten through 4th grade students (2022-2023 school year) who are in good behavioral/academic standing may audition. In accordance with the Three Rivers Educational Campus extracurricular code of conduct policy, participation in extracurricular activities (which includes the school musical) is dependent upon the following: **you must be in good academic standing, have a good school attendance record, and follow the school and district code of conduct. The administration may withdraw this privilege at any time.**

## General Information FAQ's:

**What is my time commitment as a Parent/Guardian?** Parents are expected to commit time to making the show a success. Parents are expected to help with set building, organization, costuming, etc. More details to follow at the parent meeting.

**How much money can I expect this commitment to cost me?** Participation in Three Rivers Children's Theatre is \$30. Additionally, the costs for the costumes will depend on which role your child is cast. Each cast member is responsible for providing his/her individual costume(s) according to the guidelines set forth by the directors. You may be asked to provide all or parts of the costumes. Specific types of shoes may be also required for the rehearsals and production.

**When are rehearsals and how often are they scheduled?** Rehearsals for this production will be scheduled Monday through Thursday until 5:30 p.m. and later as rehearsals progress. Friday rehearsals will be avoided until closer to showtime to allow for sports games/meets/ etc. There may be some Saturday rehearsals required. Not all cast members may be scheduled to rehearse every day, with the exception of Tech Week. Tentative rehearsal schedules will be distributed during the first week of rehearsal.

**What if I have a conflict?** All known conflicts need to be noted on the Audition Information Form. No conflicts are accepted during Tech Week or during a performance.

**Who will my contact be if I have any questions about the production?** The director(s) will be your main point of contact. If you have questions now, please email the director(s) at [trct@trlsd.org](mailto:trct@trlsd.org).

# Moana Jr.

## Audition Information Form

Please bring this completed form with you to the audition. Please print clearly.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Adult's E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Names \_\_\_\_\_

(Important: E-Mail will be used frequently to communicate information.)

Rehearsals will be scheduled mid September and lasting until show time—Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> – Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>.

Do you have ANY possible conflicts with show dates specified above or the two weeks prior to those dates?

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

Please list ALL conflicts for show dates or the two weeks prior to those dates below (be as specific as possible).

Rehearsals will typically run from 3:30pm-5:30pm daily, with extended times leading up to the show.

Student Signature/Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature/Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Three Rivers Children's Theatre

## Teacher/Coach/Mentor Recommendation Form

(may not be filled out by the parent of student applying)

Students Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Subject(s)/Disciplines in which you taught/supervised student: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade(s) or year(s) in which you did above: \_\_\_\_\_

### Directions:

- Mark one circle in every category. Please DO NOT mark between or circle two numbers.
- Completed forms may be turned in to Emily Hannon's mailbox.

### The following ratings apply:

1- Below average 2- Average 3- Above Average 4- Outstanding

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Outstanding

**Work Habits/Time Management.....1                    2                    3                    4**

*Disciplined, turns in work on time, consistent, can work independently, mature*

**Focus and Concentration.....1                    2                    3                    4**

*Task oriented, not easily distracted*

**Class/Group Participation.....1                    2                    3                    4**

*Participates fully in discussions and other activities, works well with group, does not disrupt others*

**Behavior.....1                    2                    3                    4**

*Exhibits self control, communicates respectfully with others, behaves well during structured and unstructured activities*

**ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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9 **MOANA, CHIEF TUI, SINA:**

— We know who we are, — who we are... —

Detailed description: This block contains the first line of musical notation. It starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The melody begins with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, a quarter note F4, a quarter note E4, a quarter note D4, a quarter note C4, and a quarter note B3. The lyrics "We know who we are, — who we are... —" are written below the staff.

11 **MOANA, CHIEF TUI, SINA, PUA, HEI HEI:**

A-way, a-way! — We set a course to find

Detailed description: This block contains the second line of musical notation. It starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The melody begins with a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, a quarter note F4, a quarter note E4, a quarter note D4, a quarter note C4, and a quarter note B3. The lyrics "A-way, a-way! — We set a course to find" are written below the staff.

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a brand new is - land ev - 'ry - where we roam. —

Detailed description: This block contains the third line of musical notation. It starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The melody begins with a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, a quarter note F4, a quarter note E4, a quarter note D4, a quarter note C4, and a quarter note B3. The lyrics "a brand new is - land ev - 'ry - where we roam. —" are written below the staff.

15 **PUA:**

A-way, a - way! — We keep our is - land in our mind.

Detailed description: This block contains the fourth line of musical notation. It starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The melody begins with a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, a quarter note F4, a quarter note E4, a quarter note D4, a quarter note C4, and a quarter note B3. The lyrics "A-way, a - way! — We keep our is - land in our mind." are written below the staff.

17 **HEI HEI:** **MOANA, CHIEF TUI, SINA, PUA, HEI HEI:**

And when it's time to find home, we know the way!

Detailed description: This block contains the fifth line of musical notation. It starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The melody begins with a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, a quarter note F4, a quarter note E4, a quarter note D4, a quarter note C4, and a quarter note B3. The lyrics "And when it's time to find home, we know the way!" are written below the staff.