



# RYT'S 2026 MUSICAL AUDITION GUIDELINES

Get ready to show us what you can do! Follow these guidelines so you walk into your audition feeling confident and prepared.

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## WHAT TO PREPARE

- A song (16–32 bars) from a musical (not from the show you're auditioning for unless told otherwise)
- Choose something that shows your personality and vocal range
- Make sure it's well-rehearsed and memorized

## WHAT TO BRING

- A binder with your sheet music
  - Music should be clearly marked, in the correct key, and placed in a binder (no loose pages!)
  - Put your music in plastic sleeves or neatly taped so pages don't fall out
- A pencil (always helpful for notes or changes)
- Water bottle (stay hydrated!)
- Comfortable clothes you can move in (you may be asked to do a short dance combo)

## ABOUT THE ACCOMPANIST

- A pianist will be present to play your music
- Before you start, politely communicate your tempo
- You can sing a few notes or briefly explain the style
- Take a breath, we're there to help you succeed!

## DURING THE AUDITION

- Enter with confidence and introduce yourself
- Stay in character and connect to the story of your song
- If you make a mistake, keep going, don't stop!

## TIPS FOR SUCCESS

- Choose a song that fits you, not just what's impressive
- Practice performing in front of others ahead of time
- Be respectful, supportive, and encouraging to your peers

Break a leg! We can't wait to see what you bring to the stage!

*~Revolutionary Youth Theatre Team*