

## THE NUTCRACKER PLAY: Character Descriptions:

### 1. Clara

Role: The sweet and imaginative heroine of the story. Represents innocence, bravery, and compassion.

### 2. The Nutcracker

Role: The enchanted prince who symbolizes loyalty, bravery, and heroism.

### 3. The Mouse King

Role: The menacing villain who symbolizes greed.

### 4. The Sugar Plum Fairy

Role: The gracious ruler of the Land of Sweets, embodying beauty and magic.

### 5. Grandfather Dross

Role: The lively and animated doting grandfather, bringing the magic of the Nutcracker to life.

### 6. Frank

Clara's mischievous brother, contrasting with Clara's gentle nature.

### 7. Aunt Harriet

Portrayed as a kind and nurturing figure, providing support and love to her family.

### 8. Father

Portrayed as a dignified and responsible figure, balancing his affection for his children with a sense of duty and decorum.

### 9. Mother

Portrayed as warm, caring, and nurturing, overseeing the preparations for Christmas while maintaining order during the festivities.

10. Prince (Nutcracker) is a heroic and noble figure who transforms into a handsome prince after Clara's love and belief break the curse. He becomes Clara's guide through magical worlds, showing genuine care and affection toward her.

### 12. Snow Queen

A graceful and ethereal figure who reigns over the Land of Snow. She embodies the beauty and serenity of winter, with an elegant and regal presence.

### 13. Mickey

Is Clara's younger cousin, full of youthful energy, mischief, and curiosity. He adds humor and liveliness to the holiday gathering with his playful nature.

### 14. Mice

Silly comedic Quartet. They are quick witted and funny.

15. Snowflakes

Minions of the snow queen. Should have a good sense of humor.

16. Candy canes

Guards of the sugar plum fairy's realm

17. Bon Bon, Tea, Coffee, flowers

Quirky crew with a good sense of movement

18. Owl Clock

Constantly gives ominous warnings.