

CHARACTER BREAKDOWN:

Please select the role(s) you want to be considered for on the audition form regardless of the licensing company's listing of gender in the character breakdown. Traditional theatre "types" will also not play a significant role in casting. Focus on the truth and heart of the characters!

DOROTHY GALE: female, (Mezzo/Mix) Young Kansas girl, earnest, expressive, and strong-willed, in search of something more. Very strong singer who moves well.

HUNK / SCARECROW: (Baritone) Plucky and clever in a pinch, even while lacking a brain. Strong actor with an honest quality. Excellent dancer – acrobatic skills a bonus. Strong baritone to F.

HICKORY / TIN MAN: (Baritone/Tenor) Desperate for a heart. A kind-hearted romantic. Singing and dance required. Strong baritone / tenor to G.

ZEKE / COWARDLY LION: (Baritone) A mix of bravado and cowardice. Should move well. Cuddly actor with excellent comic timing. Vocal range: Strong baritone to F.

ALMIRA GULTCH / WICKED WITCH OF THE WEST: female. Character villain with stage presence. Excellent comic timing. In our version – super glamorous and manipulative.

PROFESSOR MARVEL / THE WIZARD: An eccentric flair but a good heart. Basic conjuring or sleight of hand a bonus. Non-Singing.

GLINDA: female, (Soprano) Good Witch of the North. Benevolent and beloved. Strong singer. (Doubles as Aunt Em.)

AUNT EM: female. Demanding and strong, but loving. Non-singing. (Doubles as Glinda.)

UNCLE HENRY: male. Pleasant and protective of his family. Non-singing. (Doubles as Emerald City Guard.)

EMERALD CITY GUARD: (Baritone) Strong comic actor, big presence. (Doubles as Uncle Henry.)

MUNCHKINS: approximately ages 8-11. Long oppressed, and happy to be free. Group singing and coordinated movement required. Dance experience a plus. Featured roles among the munchkins include Mayor, Coroner, Lollipop Guild/Lullaby League, etc.

WINKIES / FLYING MONKEYS / OZIANs / POPPIES / JITTERBUGS: Many featured speaking/vocal/dancing roles available. Singing and dance/movement required, different for each group.