

SO YOU HAVE AN AUDITION?

LAUREN'S GUIDE FOR YOUNG SINGERS AND ACTORS



READ THE AUDITION NOTICE

1. What audition materials do they ask for? Songs and/or monologues?

a. What kind of song cut are they asking for?

- i. 16 or 32 bars are common, but some times they will ask for a full song

b. Monologue

i. Might ask for a reading from the show (readings would be provided in post)

ii. Might ask for a monologue of your choosing- set up a consultation with me and I'm happy to help!

2. Is there a dance call?

i. If so, dress comfortably and be ready to learn a short dance combination as part of your audition

3. Any other requirements?

i. Resume (list of other shows you've participated in)

ii. Headshot (nice picture)

iii. Choral ensemble auditions occasionally have you do some ear training or musicality exercises


4. Look for an audition form, and print and fill out prior to your audition

To schedule a private consultation with Lauren,

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PREPARE YOUR MATERIALS



1. Listen to the show you are auditioning for and read through a synopsis of the plot.
2. Write down all of the songs you currently know 
 - a. What songs match the theme of the show? What songs sound similar?
 - b. If you are going for a specific role, think about the songs that character sings and aim for picking a song that is similar in style and range.
 - c. Do *not* sing a song from the show (unless specifically asked)
 - d. Practice, Practice, Practice!
 - e. Need help? Schedule a consultation with me! :)




THE DAY BEFORE

1. Drink water
2. Go over your words right before bed (Lauren's pro tip)
3. Get a good night's sleep



AUDITION DAY!

1. Wear an outfit that makes you feel comfortable and looks nice—think a couple steps up from "everyday wear"
 - a. Wear comfy shoes
 - b. Bring dance clothes, even if that was not in the audition notice (just in case!) 
2. Show up 15 min early
3. Take deep breaths, and remember, YOU GOT THIS!