

KIDS ROLES

Matilda Wormwood – An imaginative girl who is clever and wise far beyond her years. She has a thirst for learning that cannot be quenched. Enigmatic, serious, intense. Instinctive acting ability. Vocal health and clarity.

Stage Age: 8 to 12 Vocal range: A3 - D5

Bruce (Matilda's classmate) - He is subject to extreme punishment by Miss Trunchbull. Strong Vocally.

Stage Age: 8 to 12 Vocal range: C4 - E5

Lavender (Matilda's classmate and friend) - Loud and kooky - likes to have fun – big personality.

Stage Age: 8 to 12

Michael Wormwood - Matilda's older brother. He is not very bright and favored by their parents. Needs good deadpan comedy and the ability to find a character during a lot of stage time with few words.

Stage Age: 10 to 15

Kids Ensemble (3 Girls and 3 Boys) - Small Kids (Amanda, Nigel, Eric, Alice, Hortensia, Tommy)

Stage Age: 8 to 12

ADULT ROLES

Miss Honey - Matilda's kindhearted teacher. She is tired of living in fear under Miss Trunchbull. A mild, quiet person who never raises her voice and seldom seems to smile - yet possesses the rare gift of being adored by every small child under her care. She should have a curious warmth that is almost tangible.

Stage Age: 25 to 40 Vocal range: F3 - D5

Wormwood - Matilda's uncaring father. A slimy, greedy used-car salesman. Strong Character actor with a strong Over the top personality. He is not a Nice person, but not in an angry way, he is sort of an ignorant clown type.

Stage Age: 25 to 45 Vocal range: D3 - A4

Mrs. Wormwood - Matilda's self-absorbed, negligent mother and an amateur ballroom dancer. She is obsessed with her dancing partner, Rudolpho, and her looks. Like her husband, she thinks very little of Matilda's unique abilities and often berates her. She is as loud in her makeup and dress sense as she is in her voice – must have strong comedy.

Stage Age: 25 to 45 Vocal range: A3 - F5

Doctor (will also be a Big Kid in the Ensemble) - Mrs. Wormwood's Doctor when she goes into labor with Matilda.

Stage Age: ANY Vocal range: C3 - A4

Mrs. Phelps - Warm and nurturing local librarian who encourages Matilda's love of reading. She has an inner peace.

Stage Age: 25 to 45

The Escapologist - A character (in a story Matilda tells to Mrs. Phelps) who comes to life in their imagination.

Stage Age: ANY Vocal range: C3 - E4

The Acrobat - A character (in a story Matilda tells to Mrs. Phelps) who comes to life in their imagination.

Stage Age: ANY Vocal range: D4 - A4

Rudolpho - Mrs. Wormwood's ballroom dance partner. Should be genuinely fit and athletic. Must be a comedic character actor with strong comedic timing and a flair for physical comedy. Strong Dancer with Ballroom Dancing ability. Also needs a dramatic Cockney Accent.

Stage Age: 25 to 45 Vocal range: D#3 - A4

Sergei (will also be a Big Kid in the Ensemble) - Russian Mafia Boss who is physically intimidating, with an accomplished Russian accent. Will Be asked to do a Russian Accent if auditioning for this specific role.

Stage Age: ANY

Entertainer (will also be a Big Kid in the Ensemble) - A party entertainer at the start of the show. If you can make balloon animals or do any "clown tricks" this is a plus.

Stage Age: ANY Vocal range: F#3 - Eb4

Ensemble - Big Kids, Parents, Cook, Henchman 1, 2 & 3

Stage Age: ANY

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