

# The Frog Prince AUDITIONS

Dear Parents and Guardians,

**AUDITIONS** for the Missoula Children's Theatre production of **THE FROG PRINCE** will be held on Monday, APRIL 22nd in the Jenison High School cafeteria from 4:15 - 6:15pm. There are possible roles for JPS students K-12th grade. Approximately 50-60 roles are available for **THE FROG PRINCE**. There is no guarantee that everyone who auditions will be cast in the play.



Students wishing to audition must arrive by the scheduled starting time (4:15pm) and stay for the entire two-hour session (6:15pm end time). The first rehearsal with a small group of actors begins approximately 15-30 minutes after the audition, ending around 8:30pm.

This is a group audition—no advance preparation is necessary. If your child has never auditioned for a play before, this is a wonderful “first-time” opportunity. Students should just be ready to come and have a good time! Parents are not required to stay with their child during the audition process, but you are welcome to watch. Young children that are watching will have to be supervised to ensure they don’t interrupt the audition process.

Rehearsals will be conducted every day, Tuesday, April 23 - Friday, April 26 from 4:15-8:30pm (in two separate sessions) at the JENISON CENTER FOR THE ARTS. Students staying for both rehearsal sessions (usually only older cast members) will be expected to bring a sack dinner to eat during a 15 minute break. Although not all cast members will be needed at every session, those auditioning must have a clear schedule for the entire week and if selected, be able to attend all rehearsals and Saturday performances required for their role.

A detailed rehearsal schedule will be distributed at the conclusion of the audition on Monday, April 22nd.

Two performances will be held on Saturday, APRIL 27th at 3:00pm and 5:30pm and will be presented at the JENISON CENTER FOR THE ARTS. The students in the cast may be called for a dress rehearsal before the performance that day (approx. 10:30am). All STUDENTS cast MUST be available for ALL scheduled performances AND REHEARSALS.

The Missoula Children's Theatre is a non-profit organization based in Missoula, Montana. Auditioning is free, but, due to increased costs, a "participation fee" of \$20 will be charged to all students cast in **THE FROG PRINCE**. Financial assistance is available for those students who qualify for free or reduced lunch. The residency in Jenison is made possible by the Jenison High School Thespians and Jenison Public Schools.

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