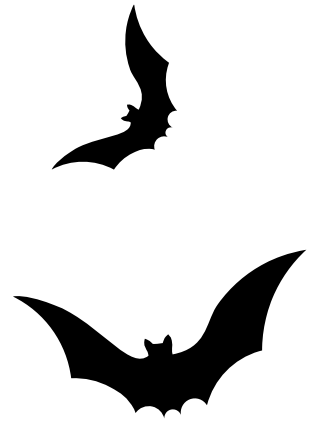


# BAT BOY

## *Audition Check List*

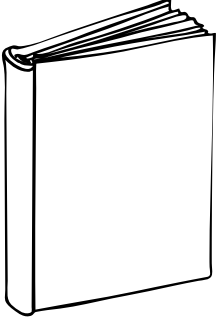


- ☐ *Choose an audition song*
- ☐ *Choose a monologue*
- ☐ *Take Headshot*
- ☐ *Print Headshot*
- ☐ *Prepare Resume (template available)*
- ☐ *Print Resume*
- ☐ *Sign Up for slot (available 1/18)*
- ☐ *Fill out conflict forms (available 1/18)*
- ☐ *Remind guardian to fill out guardian form (available 1/18)*
- ☐ *Print sheet music or upload track*
- ☐ **REHEARSE YOUR AUDITION MATERIAL!**

# CHARACTER GUIDE

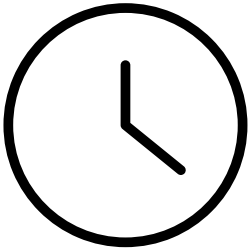
<b>If you want to play...</b>	<b>Look for monologues that are...</b>
<b>Edgar (Bat Boy)</b>	Vulnerable, curious or "otherworldly."
<b>Shelley</b>	Rebellious, teenage angst, sarcastic, or romantic.
<b>Dr. Parker</b>	Intense, manipulative, authoritative, or
<b>Meredith</b>	Warm, protective, haunted, or maternal.
<b>Ensemble</b>	Character-driven, "big" personalities, or eccentric.

# CHOOSING A MONOLOGUE



## Choosing the piece

*Look through the books and plays provided to find a piece. It is recommended that you choose a published play, but the internet also has useful resources.*



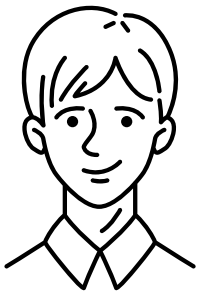
## 45–60 second

*TIP: Read your choices out loud and time them to make sure they fit the 45–60 second limit.*

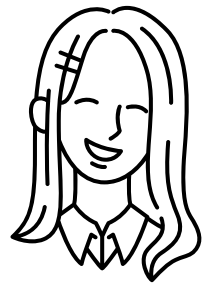


## Ask yourself:

- *Can I clearly understand what my character wants?*
- *Does this fit the tone of the show or role I'm auditioning for?*
- *Can I perform the piece truthfully and confidently?*



# HEADSHOT



## *How to Take the Photo*

1. *Stand in front of the black curtain*
2. *Face the camera straight on*
  - *Shoulders visible*
  - *Head and upper chest in frame*
3. *Expression*
  - *Relaxed, confident, natural*
  - *Think: “pleasant and present,” not posed*
4. *Take several options*
5. *Don’t forget to take a QR code. I’ll upload the photos by the evening.*



# RESUME

1. *Open the resume template.*

***<https://tinyurl.com/htcresume>***

- *Make a **copy** so you can edit it*

2. *Fill in the basics*

3. *Complete your experience*

- *Theatre (shows, roles, school/program)*
- *Training (classes, workshops)*
- *Special skills (be honest and creative!)*

4. *Check formatting*

- *One page only*
- *Clean and easy to read*

5. *Save your file*

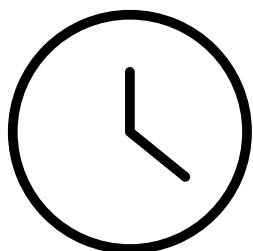
- *Name it: `FirstName_LastName_Resume.pdf`*

# CHOOSING A SONG



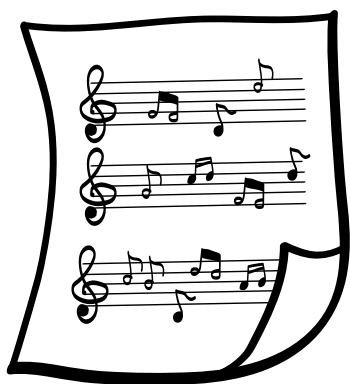
## Choosing the piece

*Pick a song you like to sing and that feels right for the character. Since this is a rock musical, pop, rock and musical theatre songs are all encouraged.*



**16–32 bars**

**About 30–60 seconds**



## Preparing the cut:

- *A clear beginning and ending*
- *A strong emotional moment*
- *No long instrumental breaks*
- *Avoid stopping in the middle of a phrase or thought*
- *Clearly mark your music or cut the track where you want it to start and end*