



General Casting Call

For Childsplay's Fall 2026-2027 season productions

Childsplay is holding open call auditions for our upcoming 2026-2027 Season Productions.

We will accept both in-person and video auditions.

In-Person Auditions will be held on Monday, March 30th, 2026 at the Childsplay Campus in Tempe, Arizona. Auditionees *must* reserve an audition timeslot by Friday, March 27th, 2026. To schedule an audition timeslot, email us at casting@childsplayaz.org. In-person auditionee requirements and audition details can be found below.

If auditionees are unable to attend in-person auditions, Virtual Auditions and Video Auditions will also be accepted.

Video Auditions must be emailed to casting@childsplayaz.org by Monday, March 30th, 2026. Full submission details can be found below.

For questions, to reserve an in-person audition timeslot, or to submit a video audition, please email us at casting@childsplayaz.org.

Productions to Be Cast

*Until the season is officially announced later this spring, some titles may change

Charlotte's Web

Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer

The Diary of Anne Frank

Don't Look at the Duendes: A Wild Ride Through Arizona's Legends (Local Tour)

The Snowy Day and other stories by Ezra Jack Keats (National Tour)

JSonic and the Unknown

Information on Childsplay and our casting policies

Founded in 1977, Childsplay is a nationally and internationally respected professional theatre company whose chosen audience is children.



Childsplay values equity, diversity, and inclusion throughout our organization, programs and audiences. We are committed to giving underrepresented artists a safe space to create art and community.

We acknowledge that many roles fall on the gender binary. However limiting the descriptions are, we invite transgender, genderqueer, gender non-conforming, non-binary performers to read for the roles, cisgender or otherwise, they most identify with. We encourage actors of all body types, gender, physical abilities to audition. Unless a role is specified in the script, we will keep characters open to all backgrounds. Please let us know if you have any questions, concerns, or if there are any accommodations we can provide.

By welcoming people with differences in religion, ethnicity, sexual orientation, class, gender identity, ability, and age, we are better able to celebrate that which brings humankind together: Imagination and Wonder.

Full Details for In-Person and Virtual Auditions

Audition Date and Time:

Monday, March 30th, 2026. 4 pm to 6 pm (ending time may be extended based on demand)

In-Person Audition Location:

Schilling Rehearsal Hall on the Childsplay Campus for Imagination and Wonder | 900 S Mitchell Dr., Tempe, AZ 85281

Our campus is in an old elementary school on the southwest corner of Mitchell and 9th St. Entrance for the audition is on the Mitchell side of the building.

What To Prepare

*Auditioners **must** reserve an appointment by Friday, March 27th, 2026. To schedule an audition appointment, email us at casting@childsplayaz.org.*

Headshot & Resume are required. Please submit Headshot and Resume with your request for an audition time.

Each auditionee has 2 minutes to complete the audition. Auditions can consist of monologues or songs (either or a combination of the two.) *The total time should not exceed 2 minutes.* Auditionees will be cut off at the two minute mark. Timing begins at the start of the first monologue or song.



For in-person auditionees, hook-ups for recorded accompaniment will be provided.

Video Auditions

If auditionees are unable to attend the In-Person or Virtual Auditions, Video Auditions will also be accepted.

Auditionees must send Headshot, Resume, and 2-Minute Video Audition to casting@childsplayaz.org by Monday, March 30th, 2026. Late submissions will not be accepted.

Video Audition submissions can consist of monologues or songs (either or a combination of the two.) *The total time should not exceed 2 minutes.*

Callback Dates/Times

TBD

For questions, to reserve an in-person audition timeslot, or to submit a video audition, please email us at casting@childsplayaz.org.