AUDITION TIPS/GUIDELINES

- 1. **Drepare** and memorize a one minute contemporary monologue (must come from a play and not a monologue book). Some Directors will do cold readings, and you won't need a monologue. Find out beforehand.
- 2. **Check** out a copy of the play from the main office or Director to read (return play promptly).
- 3. **Dress** appropriately for the role for which you are auditioning.
- 4. **AFFIVE** 15- 30 minutes before your audition time to fill out audition forms.
- 5. **Attach** résumé to audition form when possible.
- 6. **Drepare** slate to deliver before your monologue (state your name & the title of play from which the monologue or song is taken).
- 7. **Cold readings** may be requested by the director, so be flexible.
- 8. **Waiting** is inevitable, if you have to leave, inform the stage manager and arrange another audition time.
- 9. LOOK at the callboard the next day for information about call backs or casting.
- 10. **Speak** to Director if you miss audition. Some will let you come to callbacks.
- 11. **Remember** to be <u>Prompt</u>, be <u>Pleasant</u> and be <u>Prepared!</u>

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