



## BROOKFIELD JUNIOR SCHOOL

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# CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE

10<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

We are already preparing for the Year 4 Christmas production. This year we will be performing 'The Little Match Girl' by Hans Christian Andersen. This is a musical and is set in a Victorian Christmas Fair. We have detailed the list of props and costumes that we need to make/source. It would be very helpful if you could look through this and let us know if you would be able to provide any of the items.

We would like to give your child the opportunity to choose three roles that they would like to audition for, please ask them to base on the cast list below from most to least favourite.

Please return this letter on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November.

Yours sincerely,

Mr South and Miss Matheou  
Year 4 Team

Childs Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Role 1	
Role 2	
Role 3	

We can provide the following props/costumes:

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*The Flourish Federation*  
*Brookfield Infant School and*  
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## Cast

### Christmas Fair

Town Crier	Small speaking part
Mr Jones	Small speaking part
Mayor	Small speaking part
Narrator(s)	Small speaking part
Poor Children	Involved throughout
Rich Children	Involved throughout
Child 1,2,3,4	Group to who Old Tom tells Match Girl's story
Old Tom	Chestnut seller, story teller
Match Girl	Solo singing
Pie Boy	Mince pie seller
Sellers	(optional) May sell Christmas cards, decorations etc

### Nativity Play

Mary & Joseph	Mime throughout Nativity play, Mary also has solo singing
Innkeepers 1,2,3	Taken from chorus – solo singing
Shepherds 1,2,3	Taken from chorus
Kings 1,2,3	Taken from chorus – group singing
Angels	At least 4, plus any number of additional angels
Stars	Optional

## Props & Costumes

Narrator(s)	School uniform or smart, modern clothes
Poor children	Boys: white shirts(dirtied, collars cut off), dark trousers cut to three quarter length, bare feet, untidy hair Girls: plain dark dresses, some with mop caps, bare feet
Rich children	Boys: shirt/tie, waistcoat, long socks pulled over trousers, neat hair Girls: Victorian style long dresses, ribbons in hair, short socks
Child 1,2,3,4	As poor children but distinguished by e.g. flat caps/shawls
Town Crier	Hand bell, black cloak, long socks over trousers, white ruff, tricorn hat
Mayor	As town crier but with red robe and large gold chain
Sellers	Trays for wares, hung around necks. White shirt, dark trousers/skirts
Old Tom	Shirt with 'grandad' collar, sleeves rolled up, waist coat, dark trousers, flat cap, fingerless gloves, Brazier & low stool
Match Girl	Knee length dress (ragged & dull), shawl, bare feet. Tray hung around neck with 'matches'
Pie Boy	White shirt, black trousers, striped apron
Nativity Cast	Traditional costumes. Baby doll wrapped in cloth, manger. Crooks(opt), Shepherd 1 – lamb to present at manger. Gold, Frankincense & Myrrh

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