

How To Choose a Monologue

Finding the right monologue for your audition is very important, it can make or break your whole audition!

First: decide what kind of character you want to be cast as in the play. Do you want to be a good or bad character? A funny or serious character? A young or old character? Make sure your monologue reflects the choices you have made. It wouldn't make sense to audition for the part of the bad guy with a monologue about doing good deeds!

Second: Look for the perfect monologue. You (or your parent) can find books or websites full of monologues for children and teens. Practice reading them out loud and decide on the right one for you.

Third: Practice, practice, practice! Even if you don't memorize your monologue it helps if you are familiar with the piece. Make sure to include facial expressions and gestures into your performance!

Tip: There are monologues included on the school website that you may use in your audition, but to really stand out you might want to find one just for you.