

Big Bad Wolf Audition Instructions

Hi... Thanks for taking the time to try out for this role. It's one of our favourite roles and we're looking for the right person to pull it off!

- First stage auditions will be by video only.
- Please have a listen to the reference MP3 for a sense of the wolf's character: <http://tinyurl.com/bbw-cd>
- Please video record both Part 1 (the song) and Part 2 (the scene). They can be separate videos.
- You do not have to be off book. Feel free to reference the script if you like and use an off-camera reader for Red's part.
- Don't worry about the video quality... a smartphone video is fine. Just make sure we can see and hear you.
- When you are done:
 1. Upload your video (or videos) directly to us using this link: <http://tinyurl.com/bbw-auditions>
Please make sure to fill in your name and email address in the form provided. If you prefer, you may upload them to another video service (such as YouTube, Vimeo, etc.) and email us a link.
 2. Email your resume and headshot to: dgershon@educationarts.ca
- Sorry, because of applicant volume we will only be contacting successful applicants.

Big Bad Wolf Audition Scene – Part 1

“Big Bad Tune” Song

In this show the “Big Bad Wolf” has rebranded himself as “Big Buddy Wolf”. He’s now a famous rap star who claims to be a good guy... But we know the truth: He is a no-good-cookie-stealing baddie!

This song represents BBW revealing himself as a BAD wolf after all. Please listen to the original CD recording for a reference of the type of character voice we are seeking. It’s just a reference. You don’t have to exactly replicate the voice on the recording, but it’s a good indication of how we picture the character: a deep voiced dude who is very full of himself. You can perform the song a-capella or with the karaoke track if you prefer. Please note that the CD version had the wolf singing “I like to howl” and “I like to bark at the moon”. In the show that has now been replaced by chorus members singing those parts (so you don’t have to sing them).

Reference CD version: <http://tinyurl.com/bbw-cd>

Karaoke Version (if you would like to use it): <http://tinyurl.com/bbw-karaoke>

Aaaoooo!

Well, I’m the Big Bad Wolf
And I’m back in town
I won’t be Mr. Nice Guy any more
I’m the Big Bad Wolf
And though I’m world renowned
It won’t stop me comin’ knocking at your door

A-oo! (*He likes to howl*)
A-oo! (*He likes to bark at the moon*)
A-oo, I like to scare those little kiddies
And sing my big bad tune

(repeat chorus)

Aaaooooo!!! Aaahoooo!

Big Bad Wolf Audition Scene – Part 2

BBW finds out that Red has a whole basket of cookies and is alone in the forest – perfect for his evil plan! He chases after her and ‘happens’ to bump into her in the forest.

BBW Well, hello my cookie. Um, my dear.

Red Wow, you’re BBWolf.

BBW Now don’t tell me your name. It’s right on the tip of my tongue... *(aside)* like those cookies are about to be. You are...Little Blues Clues? Oh no, my mistake...Lu Lu Lemon? Wait wait, I got it...Sponge Bob Smelly Pants?

Red It’s RED! Just remember the colour of my jacket. But what are you doing here? Aren’t you supposed to be at the concert?

BBW Yes, well, strangest thing. It um... got cancelled. *(Pause)* Say, could I trouble you for a cookie?

Red Oh, sorry, they’re for my Granny. She lives just at the end of this path and she LOVES cookies. She goes CRAZY for them.

BBW Really?

Red Yeah, her cabin is FILLED with all kinds of cookies... Chocolate chip, oatmeal, shortbread, gingerbread, big cookies, little cookies and some are even gluten free! Now she’s gonna have even MORE cookies!

BBW *(aside to audience)* More cookies!? I must have ALL the cookies, even if it means becoming the Big Bad Wolf again! *(He turns back to Red)* She really has ALL those cookies?

Red Oh, tons of them.

BBW And she lives right at the end of this path?

Red Yes...why?

BBW *(He gets an idea)* Oh, it's just that ...I...thought you might like to take a short cut through these flowers so that you can get there even faster.

Red I love flowers, but, my dad told me to “stay on the path!”

BBW Oh, but I'm sure your Granny would love some of those fresh flowers. You could pick them for her and give them to her with the cookies.

Red Well, ok. If you think it's all right.

BBW I know it is... Bye now. Good luck. *(He stifles an evil laugh)*