

June 16 - July 31

When a tornado rips through Kansas, Dorothy and her dog, Toto, are whisked away in their house to the magical land of Oz. They follow the Yellow Brick Road toward the Emerald City to meet the Wizard, and en route they meet a Scarecrow that needs a brain, a Tin Man missing a heart, and a Cowardly Lion who wants courage. The wizard asks the group to bring him the broom of the Wicked Witch of the West to earn his help.

WE WILL BE ACCEPTING VIDEO SUBMISSIONS ONLY FOR THE WIZARD OF OZ!

VIDEO SUBMISSIONS DUE BY: MONDAY, MAY 9TH

Rehearsals Begin: Monday, June 6th - Thursday, June 16th, 2022

Previews Begin: Thursday, June 16th, 2022 Opening Night: Friday, June 17th, 2022 Closing Performance: Sunday, July 31st, 2022

You may submit your headshot, résumé, and a video audition that includes a 1 minute monologue, two contrasting 16-bar cuts of any song to <u>auditions@alhambrajax.com</u>. Please include a dance reel or video submission that showcases your dance/movement skills, as well. If you have an interest in any specific role, please make sure to note that in your email or on your video.

Send video submissions to <u>auditions@alhambrajax.com</u> with the link to a YouTube, Vimeo, or other video-sharing service file.

YouTube: please make your video setting Public or Unlisted.

Vimeo: Please set the viewing settings to "Anyone" or "Only people with a password", and make sure to include the password.

PERFORMERS OF ALL ETHNICITIES, GENDER IDENTITIES, AND AGES, AS WELL AS PERFORMERS WITH DISABILITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO SUBMIT MATERIALS.

CHARACTER BREAKDOWN - (CAST OF 18)

DOROTHY GALE

Female, 16-18 (Vocal Range: G3-C5 (opt. E5)

A sweet, innocent young lady with a streak of boldness, outspoken and headstrong, who dearly loves her family, friends and dog, Toto; Lives on a farm in Kansas with her Aunt Em & Uncle Henry, but dreams of escaping to a far-off place where she will not get into any trouble.

AUNT EM/GLINDA

Female, 40-50 (Vocal Range: G3-C5)

Aunt Em is a typical, hard-working farmer's wife who is firm & no-nonsense but also warm and caring. Glinda, The Good Witch of the North who is the mother figure for Munchkins and Dorothy whom she guides through Oz; Delicate and graceful.

UNCLE HENRY/EMERALD CITY GUARD

Male, 40-50 (Vocal Range: Bb2-Eb4)

Uncle Henry is an adoring uncle to Dorothy. The Emerald City Guard is the first comical character Dorothy meets in Emerald City.

PROFESSOR CHESTER MARVEL/THE WIZARD OF OZ

Male, 40-50 (Vocal Range: Tenor/Baritone)

Traveling salesman who lives by telling fortunes; a con-man but with a good heart.

HUNK, A FARMHAND/THE SCARECROW

Male, 20-40s (Vocal Range: Bb2-F#4 (opt. Ab4))

Clumsy farmhand on the family's Kansas farm; Both characters talk about being smart and having a brain.

HICKORY, A FARMHAND/THE TINMAN

Male, 20-40s (Vocal Range: Bb2-G4)

Kind, sweet and nurturing farmhand; The Tin man has no heart but is very caring.

ZEKE, A FARMHAND/THE COWARDLY LION

Male, 20s - 40s (Vocal Range: Bb2-F4)

Farmhand who lacks courage; Acts tough, but his fearful self comes out in any scary situation.

MISS GULCH/THE WICKED WITCH OF THE WEST

Female, 30s - 50s (Vocal Range: Alto/Soprano)

Well-off, cold-hearted neighbor who hates Toto. The wicked Witch of the West is the manifestation of Dorothy's outlook on Miss Gulch.

FEMALE ENSEMBLE (5)

Female, 20s -30s (Vocal Range: Soprano 1, Soprano 2, Mezzo Soprano, Alto 1, Alto 2)

Trees, Munchkins, Ozians, Flying Monkeys. Ensemble should be great dancers. Dorothy, Aunt Em/Glinda, Miss Gultch/The wicked witch understudies will be in the Female Ensemble.

MALE ENSEMBLE (5)

Male, 40-50 (Vocal Range: Tenor 1, Tenor 2, Baritone, Baritone 2/Bass, Bass)

Trees, Munchkins, Ozians, Flying Monkeys. Ensemble should be great dancers. Uncle Henry/Emeral City Guard, Professor Chester Marvel/The Wizard of Oz, Hunk/ The Scarecrow, Hickory/the Tinman, and Zeke/The Cowardly Lion understudies will be in the Male Ensemble.