



Come audition to be a part of Young Actors' Theatre's next junior production ...
Alice in Wonderland, Jr.

Auditions are open to anyone in grades 2nd through 9th.

Artistic Team:

Director: Alexi Ayer

Choreographer: Mileigh Nelson

Assistant Choreographer: Faith Wallis

Music Director: Erin Vanderhyde

Assistant Director/Stage Manager: Daisy Samrock

Assistant Stage Manager: Ruby Smith

Audition Workshop:

Sunday, August 23, 2026

10:00-11:30am

Cost: \$30 in advance, \$40 day of

Sign up here: <http://www.yatsandiego.org/tickets>

Auditions:

Wednesday, September 2, 2026

5:00-8:30pm

Cost: \$310 in advance, \$335 starting Monday, August 31, 2026

(Scholarships are available, see our website for more information)

Sign up here: <http://www.yatsandiego.org/tickets>

+++If you are unable to attend auditions, please reach out to our office at frontdesk@yatsandiego.org
for additional options+++

Callbacks:

Thursday, September 3, 2026

5:00pm-9:00pm

Rehearsals:

First full cast read through rehearsal will be Wednesday, September 9th from 5:00-9:00pm

Tuesdays & Thursdays 5:00-9:00pm - starting Tuesday September 22, 2026

Sundays 2:00-6:00pm

A detailed rehearsal schedule will be available after auditions – please note the schedule is always subject to change

Production Dates:

November 12-22, 2026 - 10 performances

November 12, 13, 19 & 20 at 7:00pm

November 14 & 21 at 6:00pm

November 14, 15, 21 & 22 at 1:00pm

Rehearsal Location:

Young Actors' Theatre

Grossmont Center Directory #212

(This may change as we are currently looking to move)

Production Location:

Lakeside Middle School

Young Actors' Theatre is committed to equity, diversity, and inclusion in all aspects of our organization. We encourage people of all races, ethnicities, religions, LGBTQIA+, Gender non-conforming artists and the differently abled to submit for auditions.

We would love to cast everyone who auditions, however, if we receive too many audition submissions, we may not be able to cast everyone.

If we are unable to cast you, we will refund your production fee within 5-7 business days. You can list the roles you are interested in but the artistic team will place you where they best see fit. We do NOT offer refunds after casting, for ANY reason unless we are unable to cast you in the show.

Additional information/requirements:

Auditions are open to anyone in grades 2nd through 9th. Please be prepared to sing a song that best suits your vocal range, for 1 minute. You need to provide your own music accompaniment, preferably by uploading your track or YouTube link into your google audition form, or by either phone, mp3 player or iPod. No accapella singing (without background music).

You must pay for your production fee, then we will send you the google form to complete with all the additional information we will need. You will need to upload your audition track, headshot and resume to the google form. You do not need to print and bring them with you as we will print them for you. You will receive your audition time once that is all completed. Emails will mostly like come to you 1-2 weeks prior to auditions. *If you signed up ahead of time but do not complete the audition form by August 31, you will be charged the additional \$25 as your audition information is not completed.*

We have a 15-minimum ticket sales requirement. The tickets will be \$18.00 each with a cast code.

With every production we do some kind of fundraiser as well. These tickets are \$5 each. The fundraiser for Alice in Wonderland, jr is an amazing Gift Card opportunity drawing. Your production fee has 5 of these tickets included. No additional tickets are required for purchase. – Please note, if you receive a scholarship or free production credit, you do not receive any fundraiser tickets, nor are they required from you.

We are a volunteer-based organization and we need help from everyone! Each cast member/parent is required to serve a minimum of 20 volunteer hours during the course of the production. We need assistance in the following committees: Costumes, Sets, and Props, and we will need performance day volunteers in the areas of Concessions, Promotions, and Usher. Let us know if you would like to chair a committee. The chairperson is responsible for overseeing the committee members, developing a "To Do" list and making sure everything gets done. All committee chairs will receive a FREE All Access Pass. If you would like to be the committee chair, you will receive one free all access pass, \$45 value for your leadership. You must, however, be totally responsible for the functions of your committee. For those who are unable to help at all, you have the option of buying out of this commitment for the price of \$200.

Costumes:

Every cast member will have their costumes provided by YAT. However, there may be specific pieces that would be required for you to purchase, that you would also get to keep. Examples of these items are: shoes, underdressing, tights, socks, leotards, regular everyday clothes, etc.

Alice in Wonderland Description:

Fall down the rabbit hole with Alice as she navigates the curious world of Wonderland on a journey of self-discovery. This 60-minute stage adaptation of the classic Disney animated film and the Lewis Carroll stories makes a triumphant return to the Broadway Junior® catalogue, with an updated script and score made specifically for today's young performers.

When young Alice finds herself in a strange world where everything seems upside down, she must find her way home...and find herself along the way. As she travels through Wonderland, she encounters all of the iconic characters that audiences have come to love: including the ever-tardy White Rabbit, the grinning Cheshire Cat, a cool Caterpillar, the wacky Mad Hatter, and the hot-tempered Queen of Hearts.

Alice in Wonderland JR. features Disney favorites such as "The Golden Afternoon," "The Unbirthday Song," and "Painting the Roses Red" along with brand-new songs, including music from the 2010 live-action film. Whether this is your first experience with Alice or your hundredth, you'll fall in love all over again with this timeless story of adventure, imagination, and pure fun!

Character Breakdown:

Alice

A curious and adventurous girl navigating Wonderland.

Gender: Female Presenting

Small Alice

A shorter version of Alice

Gender: Female Presenting

Tall Alice

A taller version of Alice

Gender: Female Presenting

Cheshire Cat (1, 2 & 3)

Magical, playful guides who bring humor and unpredictability to the story.

Gender: Any

White Rabbit

The constantly rushing royal trumpeter. Extremely anxious.

Gender: Any

Dodo Bird

The imperious leader of the Queen's Navy and referee of the caucus race.

Gender: Any

Tweedle Dee & Tweedle Dum

Goofy, well-mannered twins with an identity crisis.

Gender: Any

Caterpillar

A wise soon to be butterfly. Acts as Alice's mentor.

Gender: Any

Mad Hatter

Eccentric host of the tea party.

Gender: Any

March Hare

Mad Hatter's energetic sidekick & Co-host of the tea party.

Gender: Any

Queen of Hearts

The fiery and commanding ruler of Wonderland

Gender: Female Presenting

King of Hearts

Timid and quiet royal counterpart

Gender: Male Presenting

The Flowers (Lily, Rose, Daisy, Petunia, Violet)

Exclusive and dramatic flowers of the golden afternoon

Gender: Any

Doorknob

The quirky gatekeeper of Wonderland

Gender: Any

Mathilda

Alice's logical and grounded older sister

Gender: Female Presenting

Friends (1 & 2)

Mathilda's snooty companions who view Alice as odd.

Gender: Any

Wonderland Ensemble (Royal Cards, Party Guests, etc.)

Wide Range of magical and imaginative characters

Gender: Any

If you are interested in making a donation of any amount to help assist with student scholarships, please email our office frontdesk@yatsandiego.org

For more information please contact us!

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