

PUFFS Character Descriptions

- WAYNE HOPKINS – He/him. The hero. Totally uncool, but full of charm and heart. Loyal to a tee. Likes comic books and video games, knows nothing about magic or this weird magic world he is now a part of. Best friends with Oliver and Megan.
- OLIVER RIVERS – He/him. One of the main trio. Incredibly smart and cerebral, he is a math wiz, and proud of it; lovingly a nerd from New Jersey. After ending up at wizarding school, he finds out he isn't the top of his class, and instead begins a fantastical journey of friendship and even some love, better than any algebra class could ever promise.
- MEGAN JONES – She/her. One of the main trio; Begins the show by only desiring to live up to her mother's reputation: a dark wizard currently in Wizzard Prison. Over time, her tough veneer begins to soften, as a budding romance with Oliver becomes apparent.
- NARRATOR – Any gender. The narrator of the story. They guide us through our entire show of Puffy-ness. British accent. Must be a great storyteller, as they must keep the audience engaged and updated on all the goings-on. Can be a bit of a know-it-all, but still relatable and appealing. Comedy skills a must, improv background is a plus.
- ERNIE MAC – He/him. A Puff. Proud. Loud. Pretty sure he's the best.
- HANNAH – She/her. A Puff. Shy, but sweet and naive.
- J. FINCH FLETCHLEY– He/him. A Puff. Sill and sweet, but lacks confidence. Talks in the third person.
- LEANNE– She/her. A Puff. A little distant. A little random. Is possibly a genius or really, really stupid, but has a really strong heart. The Puffiest of the Puffs. Needs to be able to carry a British accent.
- SALLY PERKS – She/her. A Puff. Nice and eventually flirtatious but awkward.
- SUSIE BONES – She/her. Sad. Gloomy. Think Eeyore from "Winnie the Pooh." Constantly in fear of her or her family dying.
- HARRY and MYRTLE– He/Him. Young, plucky, and famous. Struts around school like he owns it. Gets into a few wacky situations, but it's nothing the bonds of friendship can't overcome. Needs to be able to carry a British accent. Myrtle is the ghost of a sad girl who looks oddly like Harry.
- CEDRIC and MR. VOLDY – He/him. An appealing comic actor to play the pivotal roles of Cedric in Act I and Mr. Voldy in Act II. Cedric: A champion. Athletic, winning, popular, and charming. Everyone's favorite, but still loyal, patient, and kind. A leading example of a Puff. Mr. Voldy: Evil. Wants to rule the world in shadows and darkness and terror. (Or, just an amazing Ralph Fiennes impression.) Needs to be able to carry a British accent.
- XAVIA JONES– Megan's Death Buddie mother who is in Wizard prison at the start of the show. (Will most likely be double cast as one of the ensemble roles.)
- SPEAKING ENSEMBLE- We will be casting 5-13 actors to play the following small roles. Each actor will play anywhere from 3 to 5 characters. Additionally, these actors will be added to some scenes as "Death Buddies." Actors cast in this ensemble should be prepared to do impressions. The list of doubled characters is below.
 - Bippy, Blondo Malfoy, Clumsy Longbottom, Colin, Fat Friar, First Headmaster, Frenchy, Ginny, Goyle, Helga, Hermoone, Hermoone #2, Hermoone #3, Mr. Bagman, Mr. Nick, Ric Gryff, Rita Scooter, Rowena, Sal, Scorpy, Seamus, Second Headmaster, Tall Man (Hagrid), Uncle Dave, Victor, and Zach Smith
- NONSPEAKING ENSEMBLE– We will be casting approximately 5 actors to play non-speaking movement-based ensemble roles. These roles often create the environment. Additionally, these actors will be added as unnamed Puffs to certain scenes. The list of movement-based environmental roles is below.
 - Bathroom Decor, Regular sized snake, GIANT Snake, Dragon, Giant Spider, Halloween Decor, Mirror People, Moving Portraits, Quidditch Balls, Soul Sucking Security Guards, and Train Station People