43 speaking parts in order of appearance
(The cast size can be easily reduced or increased - suggestions as to how are included in the script.)

* A 'line' is defined here as each time a character speaks - usually between one and five actual lines of text each time.
$\boldsymbol{J}$ denotes the character has a singing solo or duet. There is plenty of scope for more characters to sing solos/duets.

| Speaking character | No. of lines * | In which scenes | Costume suggestions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Miss Cropper | 5 | 1, 3, 4, 5, 8 | Smart/casual teacher's attire then tracksuit |
| Mr Savage | 6 | 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8 | Smart/casual teacher's attire then tracksuit |
| Mrs Barker | 18 | 1, 3, 4, 5, 8 | Smart/casual teacher's attire then tracksuit |
| Mr Cane | 6 | 1, 3, 4, 5, 8 | Smart/casual teacher's attire then tracksuit |
| Mrs Childs | 6 | 1, 3, 4, 5, 8 | Smart/casual teacher's attire then tracksuit |
| Miss Kidd | 5 | 1, 3, 4, 5, 8 | Smart/casual teacher's attire then tracksuit |
| Mrs Stamp | 4 | 1, 3, 4, 5, 8 | Smart/casual teacher's attire - no tracksuit |
| Mrs Wright | 11 | 1, 3, 4, 5, 8 | Smart suit then tracksuit |
| Child 1 | 3 | 2, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 2 | 2 | 2, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 3 | 4 | 2, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 4 | 2 | 2, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 5 | 2 | 2, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 6 | 2 | 2, 8 | School uniform |
| Mr Sourbottom dJ | 14 | 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 | Pinstripe suit |
| Miss Schneider dJ | 7 | 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 | Sharp suit |
| Mr Measley Jd | 7 | 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 | Slightly shabby suit |
| Child 7 | 1 | 4, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 8 | 1 | 4,8 | School uniform |
| Child 9 | 1 | 4, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 10 | 1 | 4, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 11 | 4 | 4,8 | School uniform |
| Child 12 | 1 | 4, 8 | School uniform |
| Rounders-player 1 | 1 | 5 | PE kit |
| Rounders-player 2 | 1 | 5 | PE kit |
| Rounders-player 3 | 1 | 5 | PE kit |
| Rounders-player 4 | 1 | 5 | PE kit |
| Bookie | 3 | 5 | School uniform plus baseball cap |
| Commentator | 1 long speech | 5 | School uniform |
| Child 13 | 1 | 5, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 14 | 1 | 5, 8 | School uniform |
| Child 15 | 1 | 5, 8 | School uniform |
| PTA chairperson | 4 | 6 | Summer dress and a Hi-Vis bib |
| St John's rep. | 6 | 6 | Paramedic outfit |
| Parent 1 | 1 | 6 | Adult summer clothes |
| Parent 2 | 1 | 6 | Adult summer clothes |
| Parent 3 | 1 | 6 | Adult summer clothes |
| Parent 4 | 1 | 6 | Adult summer clothes |
| Parent 5 | 1 | 6 | Adult summer clothes |
| Letter-writer 1 | 1 | 7 | School uniform |


| Letter-writer 2 | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ | School uniform |
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| Letter-writer 3 | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ | School uniform |
| Letter-writer 4 | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ | School uniform |


| Non-speaking characters | In which scenes | Costume suggestions |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| More Children | $3,5,6,8$ | School uniform |
| More Staff | $5,6,8$ | Smart/casual teacher's attire then tracksuit |
| Extra Rounders-Players | 5 | PE kit |
| PTA Members | 6 | Adult summer clothes Summer dress and Hi-Vis bibs |
| More Parents | 6 | Adult summer clothes |
| Dancers | 6 | Morris-dancing outfits |

