

## **Character Information for**

## 19 speaking parts in order of appearance

(The cast size can be easily reduced or increased – suggestions as to how are included in the script.)

□ shows a 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
Narrator 1	9	AII	Black shorts under flax skirt. Tiki (ornamental necklace), face painted Maori tattoo, vest or bare chest
Child 1	1	1, 3	As Narrator, minus face tattoo
Child 2	1	1, 3	As Child 1
Woman 1	3	1, 3	Black shorts under flax skirt, black strap top, head bands, Tiki (ornamental necklace), moko (chin tattoo
Woman 2	1	1, 3	As Woman 1
Woman 3	4	1, 3	As Woman 1
Woman 4	1	1, 3	As Woman 1
Woman 5	1	1, 3	As Woman 1
Child 3	1	1, 3	As Child 1
Child 4	1	1, 3	As Child 1
Man 1	1	1, 3	As Narrator
Village Elder	4	1, 3	As Narrator
Man 2	1	1, 3	As Narrator
Maui	12	All	As Narrator
Taha	2	All	As Narrator
Roto	1	All	As Narrator
Waho	2	All	As Narrator
Pae	4	All	As Narrator
The Sun	5	2	Yellow leggings, top and cape. Round yellow headdress

Non-Speaking Characters	In which scenes	Costume Suggestions
More Men	1, 3	As Narrator
More Women	1, 3	As Woman 1
More Children	1, 3	As Child 1
Choir	All	Combination of all the above

<sup>\*</sup> A 'line' is defined here as each time a character speaks - usually between one and five actual lines of text each time.