

PREXIT

A MUSICAL FOR LEAVERS...
OF PRIMARY SCHOOL!

Reducing the cast size

Minimum Cast Number: **22**

Here is our suggestion to reduce the cast size without compromising the plot.

Most of the speaking and non-speaking characters appear in only one scene. This allows for the 'doubling-up' and 'tripling-up' of parts played by your cast (although swift costume changes may be necessary) thus reducing the number you need to fulfil all the main roles, see suggestions below:

Speaking Part	Also playing part/s
Mr Harris (Sc 2)	Mr Chowdhry (Sc 3), Sam Handy (Sc 4) and Head (Sc 7)
Mrs Cooper (Sc 2)	Mrs Baker (Sc 3), Sparky (Sc 4) and Secretary (Sc 7)
Child #1 (Sc 2)	Child #1 (Sc 3), Brickly (Sc 4), Child #1 (Sc 7) and Parent #4 (Sc 8)
Child #2 (Sc 2)	Child #2 (Sc 3), Pipes (Sc 4), Child #2 (Sc 7) and Parent #5 (Sc 8)
Child #3 (Sc 2)	Child #3 (Sc 3), Child #1 (Sc 6) and Child #3 (Sc 7)
Child #4 (Sc 2)	Child #4 (Sc 3), Child #2 (Sc 6) and Child #4 (Sc 7)
Child #5 (Sc 2)	Child #5 (Sc 3), Child #3 (Sc 6) and PTA Chairperson (Sc 8)
Child #6 (Sc 2)	Child #6 (Sc 3), Child #4 (Sc 6) and St John's Rep (Sc 8)
Infant #1 (Sc 2)	Child #7 (Sc 3), Child #5 (Sc 6) and Parent #1 (Sc 8)
Infant #2 (Sc 2)	Child #8 (Sc 3), Child #6 (Sc 6) and Parent #2 (Sc 8)
Miss Archer (Sc 3)	Chippy (Sc 4), Mrs Ramsey (Sc 6) and Parent #3 (Sc 8)
Non-Speaking Parts	Also playing part/s
4 Scratchers (Sc 5)	Fete-goers/Dancers (Sc 8)

Increasing the cast size

To **100+**

For this production, you can have **unlimited numbers of non-speaking characters** in the scenes where they appear. They could also feature prominently in the performance of the song associated with their particular scene:

Non-speaking part	Appearing in scene/s
More Classroom Children	2, 3
Scratching Children	5
More PE Children	6
Fete-goers & Morris Dancers	8

You could also have a dedicated choir seated to one side of the stage, to sing all songs – number unlimited.

Please get in touch if you have any further questions about staging this musical – we're always happy to help!