

Lead Roles: Please practice scenes with these characters if you are trying out for them at auditions!

Izzy: Our “Juliet”, a sophomore attending Northwood Charter School, very academically driven, sweet, and cares deeply about the people around her even when they clash. She is best friends with Nora, a senior, who has sort of taken her under her wing, and she is Tyler’s little sister.

Cameron: Our “Romeo”, also a sophomore, looks up to his friends, sort of cocky, funny, and he also cares deeply about the people around him, even if he can’t express it well all of the time. He is best friends with Marc and Bennet. Marc has also taken them under his wing, but he is not the best influence. Bennet is on the opposite end of the spectrum, and Cameron falls somewhere in between.

Supporting Roles: Please practice scenes with these characters if you are trying out for them at auditions!

Tyler: Izzy’s older brother, senior, captain of the soccer team, highly revered at school and in sports. He’s a people pleaser, especially towards his friends and family. This gets him in some sticky situations.

Marc: Cameron’s best friend, also a senior, captain of his soccer team, very cocky, Mr. Know-It-All, easily angered and passionate about his friends and his sport. He wants to do well by his friends, but definitely puts himself first.

Nora: Izzy’s best friend, also a senior, hopeless romantic, and believes herself to be an older sister to Izzy. She’s fun, bubbly, and kind of enjoys the drama as long as it’s not her own.

Dr. Lawrence: A doctor of (possibly retired?) who now spends his days volunteering at the local library where the kids frequently hang out. He’s very wise and understanding, he wants to help wherever he can. Is it weird that he’s talking to a bunch of teenagers about their personal lives? Yes. But I also don’t know many doctors who volunteer at libraries, he’s a bit cooky.

Other Roles: You can audition by reading for any role, just specify that you would not like to be a lead or supporting role at auditions. If you would like to be Bennet, please read for Bennet. If you audition as an “other role” you could potentially be cast as multiple.

Bennet: Best friend of Cameron, more timid and cautious than Cameron and Marc, he’s the smartest of the trio, on stage a lot but does not have many lines.

Tyler and Izzy’s Dad: Only really appears in the second act when the kids get in trouble. Very stern parent but also very protective, he wants what is best for his kids, even if that means being unfair to everyone else.

Tyler and Izzy’s Mom: Also protective and wants what’s best for her children, but a bit more understanding and sweet. She also does not appear until the second act when the kids are in trouble and does not have much of a role in punishing them, she mostly comforts them.

Coaches: Soccer teams need coaches!!! They have 1 scene and like 2 lines.

Announcer: Literally one monologue at the opening of the show and maybe 2 other lines in that scene, just someone to say what’s going on at the game.

Cops: Show up in 2-3 scenes and have a few lines.

Ensemble: Soccer team members, other students, festivalgoers, library background people. They have no lines but will frequently be on stage.