

MEAN GIRLS: HSV

AUDITION MONOLOGUES

Please choose ONE monologue for your initial audition. Become familiar with other monologues in case you are called back for other characters. We are looking for:

- **PREPARATION:** Is the piece memorized? Is it obvious you practiced?
- **VOLUME & DICTION:** Projection? Crisp, well-paced words that are easy for the audience to hear and understand?
- **EXPRESSION:** Is it obvious you understand the text/ context and have an idea of the character?

CADY

Wow. Um, I think people voted for me 'cause they think I pushed someone in front of a bus. Which is terrible. But what is my fault is the way I treated my friend Janis. So, I'm sorry. I lied to you and I left you out, and if we're not friends anymore, I understand. When I first moved here, I wanted you all to like me so bad... I thought I had to change myself to be good enough. We all do that sometimes, I think. But looking at you guys from up here... I wish you could see it. You're awesome.

JANIS

Okay, sure. I have an apology. So, I have this friend who is a new student this year, and I convinced her that it'd be fun to mess up Regina George's life. So, we gave her these candy bar things to make her gain weight. And we turned her best friends against her. Oh, and then Cady—you know my friend Cady? She got Regina's boyfriend to dump her. So, my apology is to myself. 'Cause I should have known better.

DAMIAN

Was it funny when Regina bent over and it looked like her butt ate her underwear? Yes. One million percent. And why did Karen pretend to be asleep? Did she just panic?! I think so. But what everyone forgets is that positive Internet comments are worse. 'Cause they create a false sense of love and admiration, and they are more addictive than opioids and Girl Scout thin mints combined.

REGINA

Oh my God, Jason, stop skeezing on the new girl. No one thinks you're funny and your teeth look like corn. Also, this thing you're doing where you try to lower your voice when you talk is making people sad. *(to the crowd)* Anyone who would like Jason W. to go back to his normal voice please raise your hand. Wow, Cady. You're really gonna get noticed around here. We should help you. Can you give us some privacy?

GRETCHEN

Did Regina seem mad at me? Yes. She did seem mad at me, I think. It started when I burped in the car. But I'm talking too much. Let's talk about you. Are you a virgin? You don't have to tell me. But just know that I'm very trustworthy. Karen's been with eleven people and I've never told anyone. (*REGINA and KAREN laugh offstage*) They're laughing! (*calls through the door*) What? What happened that was funny? I'm okay. MmHmm. MmHmm. It's just... sometimes I feel like an iPhone without a case. Like, I know I'm worth a lot, and I have a lot of good functions, but at any time I could just shatter.

KAREN

(*texting CADY*) I like to express myself through emojis because I'm stupid. No, I am! I'm failing everything—Sometimes I think the only thing I understand is the “Rule of Twos”. Haha, bikini emoji! The “Rule of Twos” is how everything is really two things. Like how you were tricking us but you also still had fun with us. And how when Regina was mean to me, it's because she was unhappy with herself. And how when Coach Carr says he has an “open marriage,” that his wife probably doesn't know that they do.

AARON

Hey! You made it! I like your costume. It's different from everybody else. No—everyone feels weird when they're the new kid. I only moved here like two years ago. Well, that's not really true. I didn't actually move here. My mom lies about our address so that I can be in the North Shore school district. Please don't tell anyone that! So, how'd you do on that pop quiz today? 'Cause I got an eighty-five. Do you need extra help? I could tutor you if you ever want. Okay then, it's a deal. Let me get you a drink. Wait right here.

MS. NORBURY

Cady, I noticed you failed your last few quizzes. If you want to come after school today, there's a Mathletes meeting. I can probably get Kevin or Martin to tutor you—Aaron Samuels is tutoring you? Okay. Sure. Well, tell him the weird thing with your quizzes is that all the work is right, and just the answers are wrong. Huh. I'm not gonna stop pushing you, Cady. 'Cause I'm a pusher. And I know you're smarter than this. Maybe I should just push your seat away from Aaron's.

MRS. GEROGÉ

I was doing that Japanese organizing thing where you take a little nap in a closet. Anyway, I found your Buuurnboooooook! Cady, this was just the funniest thing they used to do—Yes, Ri-Gi, I'll get out. You got it, baby. But I'll be right downstairs if you guys need to talk to me about anything, okay? Deep stuff, boy troubles, blackheads, alcohol poisoning—I've been through it all! I'm not a “regular mom,” I'm coolmom! “@coolmom,” Twenty-three hundred followers. Likesforlikes. Hashtag belly tea. Hashtag ad.

KEVIN

Yo yo, Mathletes State Championship 2019, what. First female ever on the team, what. A box lunch will be provided, what. Let's do this. Africa, "one hundreds" don't lie! Don't fight it! You got mad schquillz—it's a cool new way of saying "skills". K.D. you tried the fast life, embrace the math life.

MR. DUVALL

All right, a round of applause for Drama Club's Mike T. and Sarah, acting out a scene from the movie... Transformers. Really good Transforming, guys. Now listen, I shouldn't have to remind you guys, this is a voluntary talent show, not a contest, so there should never be a reason for you to yell the word, "Suck!" I don't want to hear that again. You got me? (*reads off a card*) Our next act describes their music as "Like a sine wave, we don't stop." Please welcome Kevin G. and the Power of Three.