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Act I:

The Story

Inspiration

The Wonderful Wizard of Oz by L. Frank Baum

Audience

Kids, specifically aspiring creatives/performers Media

Children's book

Summary

A tale of a young girl who wakes up in a strange world called Thespis which introduces her to the magic of theatre and performing.

Although her quest was simply to meet the Wizard and wish to be returned home, she finds a new dream along the way with the help of her new companions; to pursue her dream to be on the stage. A little girl named Isabella lives at home, lacking passion or purpose. She holds a little music box and listens to its song drifting into slumber. She wakes up in in the magical land of Thespis and is greeted by Genevieve, the Prima Ballerina. To return home, Isabella is given the quest to journey to Spotlight City and meet the Wizard.

Along the journey, Isabella meets 3 companions who accompany her on her journey to Spotlight City. She finds Corbin the Crow, Francis the Frog and Raoul the Lion. They run into a series of challenges they must overcome together. In the Baroque Forest, Raoul acts as a shield and a guide. When they walk into a patch of Iullabies and fall asleep, Corbin helps pull them all out and the Marvelous Mice assist in waking them up. When they get to the impossible to cross River of Hymns, they overcome it by having Francis play them a song.

They make it to the Spotlight City and meet the Wizard who appears as a giant floating head in his theatre. He tells them to stop the Primadonna from corrupting Thespis to have their wishes granted. So, they head for the Castle d'Aria where Isabella and her companions are captured by the Primadonnas chorus. With the inspiration of Isabella, They stand together and escape from their prisons to go confront the Primadonna center stage. Isabella and her companions perform a song together, the power of their song causes the Primadonna's magical necklace to shatter, defeating her. They all head back to the Spotlight City to have their wishes granted. She finds out that the Wizard was really all a performance as he was just a human. But they discovered throughout their journey together how happy they were to be performing with another, showing that their wishes were granted in a different way. She then travels to see Genevieve, who shows her that she may return by simply closing her eyes humming the melody of her music box. She returns home with a newfound passion for performing, pursuing a new dream of being up on a stage

Map World



Act II:

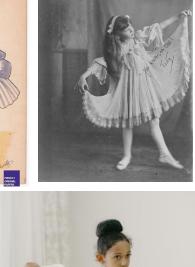
Main Characters

Protagonist: Isabella















Isabella is a young girl who wishes to be returned home from the land of Thespis. She shows bravery, perseverance, and wits throughout the story. She is always there to lift up her friends spirits when they are down and bring out the best of them













Antagonist: Primadonna













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The Primadonna is evil opera singer who wishes to force all of Thespis to be under her rule. With the power of her magical necklace, she uses charm and power to recruit citizens to her chorus.











Companion: Raoul the Lion















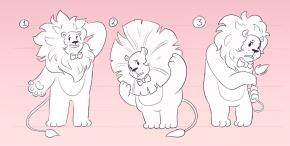


Racul the Lion

Raeul is a levable, kind and strong lion who dreams to be on the stage acting and performing. Unfortunately, he has bad stage fright that holds him back, keeping him in shadew. But seen we see hew when he performs with those he's comfortable around, he lights up a stage











Companion: Francis the Frog





Francis the Freg

Francis is an old Frog who plays the saxophone. He is very caring and generous. Although he claims to have lost passion for playing, he is truly just afraid to play again and reconnect with his roots.











Character Lineup



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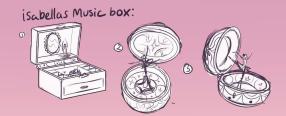
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Act III:

Props & Environments

Isabella's Music Box

This magical music box is what sets this whole story in motion, It serves as the gateway between worlds, and transports Isabella to Thespis





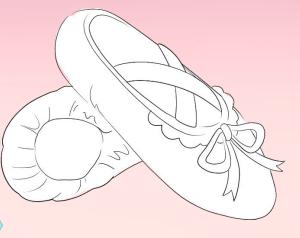


Isabella's Magic Slippers

These are the magic slippers given to Isabella by the Primaballerina. They protect her during her journey.

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Francis' Saxophone



Francis' journey with isabella through Thespis relies a lot on his relationship with music, specifically his lack of passion playing the saxophone. Through the story, he learns to connect with this beautiful instrument once again



Primadonnas Necklace

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This Necklace is what gives the Primadonna her ability to overpower the citizens of Thespis and force them into her chorus.



Thespis Theatre



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Act IV:

Environments

Songbird Fields









View of Spotlight City





Isabella's Bedroom



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Act V:

Key Frames





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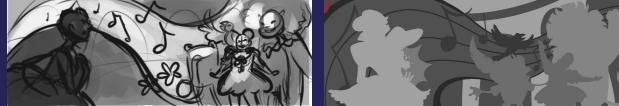






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River of Hymns







Mock-up Childrens Book





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