



FIDDLER ON THE ROOF **Character Breakdown**

Rehearsals begin July 14; show runs July 29-August 2 at Century II Concert Hall

Director: Robert W. Schneider

Choreographer: James Stevko

Music Director: Laura Bergquist

THE FOLLOWING ROLES WILL BE CAST FROM EPAs AND AGENT SUBMISSIONS OF EQUITY ACTORS:

TEVYE

The likeable, hard-working, pious dairyman who always tries to see the positive side of life. He is a proud patriarch and father of five daughters, closely raised according to the old scriptures.

Gender: male

Age: 45 to 60

Vocal range top: F4

Vocal range bottom: Ab2

GOLDE

Tevye's strong-willed wife who wishes for her daughters to have good husbands and live easier than she and Tevye.

Gender: female

Age: 40 to 50

Vocal range top: Eb5

Vocal range bottom: A3

PERCHIK

The outspoken student and visitor to Anatevka, who constantly challenges the traditions of the town. He eventually falls in love with Hodel.

Gender: male

Age: 20 to 30

Vocal range top: E4

Vocal range bottom: B2

THE FOLLOWING ROLES WILL BE CAST FROM RESIDENT ENSEMBLE / LOCAL PERFORMERS:

TZEITEL

Tevye's eldest daughter, who is madly in love with Motel. She is loyal to her family but typically challenges the town's traditions.

Gender: female

Age: 18 to 25

Vocal range top: D5

Vocal range bottom: B3

HODEL

Tevye's second eldest daughter, who becomes involved with Perchik. She eventually leaves Anatevka to join Perchik in Siberia.

Gender: female

Age: 18 to 23

Vocal range top: E5

Vocal range bottom: B3



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CHAVA

Tevye's middle daughter who loves to read. Falls in love and runs off with Fydeka, a Russian soldier.

Gender: female

Age: 15 to 20

Vocal range top: D5

Vocal range bottom: B3

****YENTE (has been cast)**

The meddling matchmaker. She is a widow and village busybody who knows all of the town gossip.

Gender: female

Age: 50 to 60

Vocal range top: F5

Vocal range bottom: F3

MOTEL

The poor and meek tailor who shares a deep love with Tzeitel. Sensitive and nervous, but sincere and friendly.

Gender: male

Age: 18 to 25

Vocal range top: F#4

Vocal range bottom: E3

****LAZAR WOLF (has been cast)**

The feisty, brawny butcher and the town's wealthiest citizen who wishes to marry Tzeitel.

Gender: male

Age: 40 to 50

Vocal range top: F#4

Vocal range bottom: C3

****AVRAM (has been cast)**

Runs the local bookshop and keeps the town advised of all the news in the area.

Gender: male

Age: 40 to 60

Vocal range top: Eb4

Vocal range bottom: D3

GRANDMA TZEITEL

Golde's deceased grandmother, who endorses the marriage between Tzeitel and Motel.

Gender: female

Age: 60 to 75

Vocal range top: D5

Vocal range bottom: C#4

FRUMA-SARAH

Lazar's Wolf's deceased first wife. She becomes enraged when her husband plans to wed Tzeitel.

Gender: female

Age: 35 to 45

Vocal range top: Eb5

Vocal range bottom: C4

CONSTABLE

Russian military official stationed near Anatevka who knows the villagers well, however he has superficial relationships with the villagers.

Gender: male

Age: 35 to 45

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FYEDKA

A strong, young Russian soldier who sees past his military obligations and falls in love with Chava.
He challenges Tevye's imposed silence.

Gender: male

Age: 20 to 25

ENSEMBLE

Villagers, Russian Soldiers. Strong vocal and dance skills required. Some tumbling and tricks
needed. Strong ballet required.