

## **SELF-TAPE AUDITION INSTRUCTIONS**

<u>FILMING your audition:</u> You can film it on your phone or any other camera you have available to you.

**Shooting:** Head and shoulders is best for us to see you in an Audition which is called a 'Medium' shot.

Do not look into the camera.

Your eyeline should be looking in the cameras direction, but not directly into the camera lens.

**Lighting and Sound:** Seeing your face clearly is the most important thing. Record a test clip and see how it looks and sounds before taping the scene. We also need to hear you, so make sure that the person auditioning is the clearest person being heard.

**Reader:** Have someone read the lines of the other character(s) off camera. They should stand next to the camera. Your reader should not appear with you on camera.

Accent- Please use your natural voice.

**Acting Style:** We want to see what <u>you</u> bring to the character, so just be you! Talk in your normal voice, just like you would in a normal, everyday conversation with a friend.

You don't need to "act", do big gestures or project your voice – this isn't theatre.

After you have recorded the scene- please also record a slate; which is you saying:

## YOUR NAME, YOUR AGE, WHERE YOU LIVE AND YOUR EXPERIENCE.

<u>DO NOT</u> post your audition on YouTube, social media or anywhere else! Your audition should only go to us .