

# The Secret Garden

## Spring Version

# Audition Form

We invite all students from Grade 5 to Yr12 (in 2018) to audition for the May 2018 whole school production of THE SECRET GARDEN SPRING VERSION.

There will be a cast of about 45 students.

### **Synopsis-**

Orphaned in India, 11 year-old Mary Lennox returns to Yorkshire to live with her embittered, reclusive uncle Archibald and his invalid son Colin. The estate's many wonders include a magic garden which beckons the children with melodies and memories from Mary's past, which sees a dramatic transformation in each of the characters and a subsequent regeneration of the entire family.

### **Show Dates-**

9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> May 2018 @ George Jenkins Theatre

**Auditions will be held from Monday 16th - Thursday 19th Oct, 2017  
from 3:30pm and 5:30pm in the Music Room (2nd week of Term 4, 2017)**

**Dance Auditions (for specialist dancers) will be held on Wednesday 18th Oct, 2017  
from 3:30-4:15pm**

**Callbacks will be held on Tuesday 24th Oct, 2017 from 3:30-5:30pm**

### **Audition Requirements/preparation**

Auditions by appointment only

Prepare 1 song (1min in length) that presents your range and characterization, in the style of the show. Please choose an appropriate starting point in your song as you may not be required to sing the full song. Please provide your own backing track.

You may be asked to sing scales and also read some lines from the show.

### **Rehearsals**

Rehearsals commence on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2017 for selected students.

Rehearsals will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays after school from 3:30pm – 5:30pm

There will be an all day workshop/rehearsal on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2018 for selected cast members.

There will also be two full rehearsal days in the April school holidays.

Read through the character descriptions so you can be specific about which part you're auditioning for. Fill out the application below and return directly to Mrs Piening or the office **NO LATER THAN Friday 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**September 2017 (the last day of Term 3)**

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### AUDITION APPLICATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous performance experience:

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Training (Dance, Acting, Singing):

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I wish to audition for: \_\_\_\_\_

I am happy to do another role/ensemble? **Yes / No**

I would prefer my audition on—

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017

I have no preference

\* While we will try to accommodate your preferred audition day, we cannot guarantee it.

You will be notified by email of your audition day and time. Please be on time for your audition.

There will also be opportunity to serve behind the scenes.

I am happy to help behind the scenes? **Yes / No**

Makeup Team

Back Stage Team