



# Manitoba Theatre for Young People

## AUDITION NOTICE

Manitoba Theatre for Young People is in search of adult actors for:

### **THE VELVETEEN RABBIT**

By Margery Williams, Adapted by Purni Morell

**Directed by Pablo Felices-Luna**

Part of our 2020/2021 Season

Rehearsal Begins: November 9, 2020

Mainstage Run: December 3 - 27, 2020

Possible Extension: December 28 – January 3, 2021

**AUDITIONS: Tuesday, May 19, Wednesday, May 20, Thursday, May 21, 2020.**

**CALLBACKS: Monday, May 25, 2020.**

We will be holding auditions and callbacks through Zoom and information will be sent out along with audition times. Should provincial regulations change and allow for live auditions, accommodations will be made as necessary.

NOTE: Script will be available for reading by requesting a copy at [kgerman@mtyp.ca](mailto:kgerman@mtyp.ca) after April 28, 2020.

The sides will be available on Monday, May 4, 2020 on MTYP's website [www.mtyp.ca](http://www.mtyp.ca).

### **CHARACTER DESCRIPTIONS**

*Equity, diversity and inclusion are factored into every casting decision at MTYP. We encourage submissions from artists of all genders, ethnicities and abilities for all three roles.*

**THE CHILD** Very sweet, very active, and somewhat mischievous. The child loves toys, playing outside and using imagination.

**THE RABBIT** Soft, bunched and shy. The Rabbit loves the Skin Horse and the Child, and longs for nothing more than to become real.

**THE NARRATOR/THE DOCTOR/NANA/AS CAST** An engaging storyteller with the ability to shift between characters.

\*There is a movement component in the play that will be built around the performers' abilities. Auditioning actors may be asked to participate in a movement exploration during Callbacks.\*

**Please submit Headshot and Resume in PDF format and indicate which role you would like to audition for by Monday, May 11, 2020, to [casting@mtyp.ca](mailto:casting@mtyp.ca).**

Auditions will be by appointment only. Successful applicants will be contacted to schedule an audition time.

*Canadian Actors Equity Association members will be seen first at all open audition calls. CAEA members: please provide your membership information on your submission.*