

SNOW WHITE

and

the 7 Dwarves

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Schools– any time of year.
45-50 mins**

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(Listed on next page)

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SCRIPT SAMPLE

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A Musical Comedy for Young Actors

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CAST

Snow White.....Queen
King..... Magic Mirror
Prince Namby Pamby Woodcutter
Elvis the Elf Elton the Elf
Various pixies, elves, fairies, goblins and gnomes

Dwarves:

Doc.....Grumpy
Happy Sleepy
Bashful.....Sneezy
Dopey.....
Master of Ceremonies
Lords and Ladies
Peasants

CD LISTING	
TRACKS 1-14	<u>WITH VOCALS FOR REHEARSALS</u>
TRACKS 14-28	<u>WITHOUT VOCALS-FOR PERFORMANCE</u>
1 and 15	<u>Ominous Music</u>
2 and 16	<u>Song- I Cannot Do this Evil Thing</u>
3 and 17	<u>Song- All Alone</u>
4 and 18	<u>Song- Fairies and Elves Come Out to Play</u>
5 and 19	<u>Song- Digging For Gold</u>
6 and 20	Sleepy's Sleepwalking Music
7 and 21	<u>Song- This is the Way we Wash the Clothes</u>
8 and 22	<u>Song- Do You Promise to Lock the Door</u>
9 and 23	Sad Coffin Music
10 and 24	Party Fanfare Music
11 and 25	<u>Song- Welcome to the Party Part One</u>
12 and 26	<u>Song- Welcome to the Party Part Two</u>
13 and 27	Here Comes The Bride Music
14 and 28	Curtain Calls (Musical Extracts)

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Suggested props for this play:

Hint: The children should be responsible for bringing on and removing their own props!

Queen– looks after heart shaped box, trinkets to peddle, bottle of poison, silver comb, poisoned apple

Doc removes silver comb and poisoned apple after they are used.

Woodcutter– looks after woodcutter's axe and removes heart shaped box

Elton the Elf– looks after fairy cakes

Dwarves look after their own pickaxes and spades

Sneezy looks after large handkerchief

NARRATOR: Once upon a time, in a distant land, in a castle there lived a King and a queen. (ENTER KING AND QUEEN. QUEEN HAS A HEART SHAPED BOX) The king was a good man, but the queen was wicked. On the outside she was quite beautiful. But on the inside she was nasty, horrid, bad-tempered, greedy and jealous. She had a wonderful magic mirror (ENTER MIRROR) and often she would stand in front of it and say:

QUEEN: Mirror mirror on the wall, who is the fairest of us all?

NARRATOR: And the mirror always replied

MIRROR: You, O Queen, are the fairest of us all.

KING: Yes. You certainly are the fairest in the land, my love.

NARRATOR: Now, the king had a little girl called Snow White. She was the King's pride and joy. (ENTER SNOW WHITE WHO WALKS DREAMILY ACROSS THE STAGE WITH THE KING AND THEN EXITS WITH THE KING) She was very pretty. Her skin was as white as snow, her hair was as black as coal, and her cheeks were like rosy red apples. As she grew up she became more and more beautiful. One day, the queen went to her mirror and said:

QUEEN: Mirror, mirror on the wall, who is the fairest of us all?

MIRROR: Queen you are fair it's true, but Snow White is now fairer than you!

NARRATOR: The queen could not believe it. She screamed with rage! (No! No! No!) She stamped her feet in anger! She was so jealous. She wanted Snow White killed! She called for a woodcutter.

QUEEN (shouting): Woodcutter! Woodcutter! (ENTER WOODCUTTER WITH AXE)

WOODCUTTER: Yes, your majesty?

QUEEN I want you to fetch that wretched girl Snow White. (To Audience:) You want Snow White murdered, don't you....? Oh yes you do..... Ha Ha Ha. Snow White will soon be killed! Then I will be the most beautiful woman in the land again. Ha Ha Hah. (**to woodcutter**): Take Snow White into the deepest part of the forest, and kill her with your axe!

WOODCUTTER: Ooh, your majesty. I can't do that! That's murder!

QUEEN: You WILL do it. Or I shall have YOUR head chopped off right now! You will kill the girl and bring me her heart in this box (Gives him the heart shaped box)

***** **CD TRACK 1 – OMINOUS MUSIC PLAYS** *****

NARRATOR (As music plays): Sadly, the Woodcutter called for Snow White. (ENTER SNOW WHITE) He told her they were going on a picnic. He took her by the hand and led her deeper and deeper into the dark dark woods. After a while, Snow White felt tired. They had walked for miles. Snow White sat down. The Woodcutter took his axe. He was going to chop her head off. But.....he couldn't do it. Instead, he scooped up a lump of clay and put it in the heart shaped box.

***** **CD TRACK 2: SONG: I Cannot Do this Evil Thing** *****

*I cannot do this evil thing! I cannot do this evil thing!
I cannot do this evil thing. No matter what the bad queen said!
I can not do this evil thing. Even if I lose my head!
Go run away Snow White!
Disappear from sight! Go quickly, run away!
Go quickly, run away! Go quickly, run away! Go quickly, run away!*

NARRATOR The woodcutter sneaked away. He knew Snow White would never find her way home. She was completely lost. (EXIT WOODCUTTER)

SNOW WHITE: Oh dear! I'm lost. What shall I do? It's getting dark. Oh, I'm so frightened. (ENTER 2 ELVES)

ELF1: Hello my dear. I'm Elvis the Elf! Why are you crying?

ELF2: Hello, my dear. I'm Elton the Elf. What's your name?

SNOW WHITE: I'm Snow White. I'm crying because I'm all alone. Nobody loves me. Boo hoo. I'm all alone. Lost! Lost! Lost in the woods and all alone!

CD TRACK 3: SONG *** ALL ALONE *******

*Snow White: All alone! I'm all alone! All alone without a home!
Choir: All alone! She's all alone! All alone without a home!*

*Snow White: Where can I go? Where can I go? It's getting dark and it's so cold!
Choir: All alone! She's all alone! All alone without a home!*

*Snow White: All alone! I'm all alone! All alone without a home!
Choir: All alone! She's all alone! All alone without a home!*

ELF1: Don't cry. You're not alone any more. Here, have some of our food.

SNOW WHITE: Mmm! Fairy cakes! Yum, thank you, it's very kind of you, I am very hungry.

ELF 1: And stop snivelling! These boys and girls love you. You love her don't you? (AUDIENCE

RESPOND)

ELF2 : Our friends are coming out to play. That might cheer you up!

CD TRACK 4: SONG*** FAIRIES AND ELVES COME OUT TO PLAY *******

(VARIOUS OTHER ELVES, PIXIES, GNOMES, GOBLINS, and FAIRIES EMERGE DURING THE INSTRUMENTAL INTRODUCTION TO THIS SONG. A BOUNCY DANCE ROUTINE CONCLUDES THE SONG, SO SOME CHOREOGRAPHY IS NEEDED.)

*Fairies and elves come out to play
The moon is shining bright as day
Leave your houses leave your trees
Come and play if you please
Gnomes and goblins join the dance
The time is right for romance
Leave your houses leave your trees
Come and dance if you please*

ELF2: Did that cheer you up, Snow White?

SNOW WHITE: Yes! It did! But I'm still all alone in the woods. Can I stay with you, please?

ELF 1. There's no need! Look, over there. It's a beautiful little house. Some kind people live there. They'll help you.

ELF2: We've got to go now. Goodbye! (**ELVES and their FRIENDS EXIT, WAVING**)

NARRATOR: So Snow White waved goodbye to the elves and their friends and went to the little house. She knocked on the door. There was no reply. So she went inside. She saw seven little chairs. There were seven little beds. And on the table there were seven little bowls and seven little cups. She thought some more elves must live here. Snow White was very tired. She fell fast asleep.....(**SNOW WHITE SLEEPS**) The house was the home of seven dwarfs. Each day they went to work in a mine, digging for gold. They are on their way home...can you hear them?
(ENTER 7 DWARVES)

******* CD TRACK 5 SONG: Digging For Gold *******

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*Every day we go to work
To dig for gold in a goldmine!
Every night we come back home
We never see the sunshine!
Work all day and break our backs
To pay the queen her taxes!
Oh we are so tired!
Diggy-diggy-digging all day!
We want to retire!
From diggy-diggy-digging all day!*

(Instrumental part– dwarves mime their working skills) Repeat all

GRUMPY: (Discovers Snow White) Humph! Oi! Look at this, mates. There's a burglar in our house! Wake up, you horrible burglar!

SNOW WHITE: (Wakes up) I'm not a burglar. I'm a princess! (**SLEEPY TAKES HER PLACE ASLEEP**)

GRUMPY: Humph! What are you doing in our house, then? Go away! Go to your own house!

DOC: Be quiet, Grumpy! (**To SNOW WHITE**) Who are you?

SNOW WHITE: My name's Snow White. Who are you?

DOC: We are the Dwarves of Deepdark Wood! How did you get here? Were you lost in the forest?

SNOW WHITE: You're funny little men! Yes, I was lost.

DOC: Let me introduce myself. My name's Doc. I'm the brainy one. Glad to meet you, Snow White.

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