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## Introduction

The middle school years are a time of individuality, of finding out who you truly are inside. Middle School Awakenings is a collection of 60 monologues that each run from two to three minutes in performance time. The characters talk, think, and feel like real-life pre- and early teens. The monologues highlight the most unpredictable, explosive, and often humorous years of young adulthood, those middle school years. This collection is perfect for acting exercises, auditions, showcases, and variety shows.

(Although divided into two groups, many of the monologues are gender neutral)

### Monologues for Girls (Begins page 3)

Audition for Juliet Big Spender Breach of Contract Smuggled Goods The Queen of Cursing Grammy

Purpose in Life

Mommy Mouse Murderer

First Pay Check Lady in the Box

Art of Parent Manipulation The Euphemism Game A Knack with Kids

Truth: Highly Over-Rated

Kissing

Speech Thewapy The Trained Mediator

The Ditz The Curse Equality

Family Traditions Tomboy Blues

Style

Life of a Matchmaker

How to Enter the Cool Crowd

The Obvious Mismatch

My Dirty Secret The Three Evils Hysterical Mishaps The Audition

# Monologues for Guys (Begins page 33)

Poetry Bites Guys Don't Baby-Sit

Weight Lifter and the Geek Dr. Jekyll and "Mr. Hide"

Passing Notes

Fist in the Face of the Trademark Smile

Request for a Date

Today's Next Design Star

Macho Man

Sleeping Brother Composition Avoidance Braces and the Oral Report

That "Curse Word Dog" Survival of the Fittest Prince Austin of Blulandlia

Bean up the Nose

Nature Calls Valentine

Life is a Pair of Eyeglasses

Warnings The Party Hat Birthday Poem

The Evils of Healthy Eating The Great Magnifico The Deli on Four Legs The Future Lawyer Genes Kickin' In The Blackout

Life on Other Planets Weirdest Handicap

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