



## CASTING NOTICE

Production Working Title: HEAR ME

Production Type: Independent, non-union

Length: Short (20 minutes)

Location: Bakersfield, CA

Audition Date: We will be scheduling this summer (Date TBD)

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Project Synopsis: Kennedy Blythe is a senior in high school and hasn't been able to speak since her mom disappeared. When she finds herself on the short list for a prestigious scholarship, Kennedy sees an opportunity to start a new life. But in order to be awarded the scholarship, she must complete an oral interview. Now Kennedy must decide whether or not to face her traumatic past, something she's been avoiding for years, to help her talk.

**[KENNEDY BLYTHE] [Gender: Female] [Age: Needs to look 17/18]**

Kennedy Blythe is a selective mute. Inside, she's a typical teenager. She wants friends. She crushes on boys. She has a sense of humor. But most of all, she just wants to be understood. Not being able to talk has made life difficult for her, so she's learned to close off and internalize her feelings.

**Shooting Schedule:** We are currently building our shooting schedule. We anticipate Approximately 10-12 full shooting days scheduled through the late summer and/or weekends in the fall. We will work around actor's schedule.

**[YOUNG KENNEDY] [Gender: Female] [Age: Needs to look 7-10]**

Young Kennedy is shown in a couple flashbacks. Her biggest scene is at the beginning when she's an aspiring actress, sassy, fun, and cheerful. However, Young Kennedy goes through a traumatic event that puts her into a state of shock, losing her mother and changing her life

forever. She must deal with the quick reality change of her world with no support and no one to talk to.

**Shooting Schedule:** We estimate about 1-2 shooting days. We will work around actor's schedule.

**[SOPHIA HAYWARD] [Gender: Female] [Age: Needs to look 18]**

Sophia Hayward is smart, attractive (and she knows it), and as an only child has always been the center of attention. That is, until her parents spontaneously decide to be a foster parent to Kennedy the last year of high school. Frustrated at her new reality, and having to give up her second bedroom, Sophia has to decide how to respond to Kennedy, even if she is silent and leaving in less than a year.

**Shooting Schedule:** We estimate about 1-2 shooting days.

## **SUPPORTING/BACKGROUND ROLES**

**[Kids in Theater Class for Trauma Therapy] [Gender: All] [Ages: 12-20]**

The other roles will be characters who have joined a theater for therapy group and are working on a dramatic performance. Some have a line or two. Others will perform as background actors.

**Shooting Schedule:** We will announce specific shoot days for the remaining characters. We estimate anywhere from 3-4 shoot days.