



**SCRIPT (AGES 5 - 9)**

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## FULL DETAILS

**Running Time (including music):** Approximately **35 minutes**.

**Number of songs:** 7

**Cast: 29 speaking parts** (easily adaptable to approximately **15 - 55**).

The cast can also be expanded further with **non-speaking parts**; suggestions for expanding or reducing the cast are provided in your Play Pack. For further information, take a look at the cast list available on our website.

## SCENE 1: WELCOME TO OUR SHOW!



### Track 1: MEDLEY (OPTIONAL)

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*Time to get ready for the start of the show! The instrumental Medley welcomes the audience as the cast assemble, ready to begin the performance...*

## SCENE 2: THE NORTH POLE



### Track 2: ON OFF MUSIC

*It's early morning, and everything is calm. The **Elves** enter, greeting each other and getting ready for the new day.*

**Narrator 1:** Welcome to the North Pole -  
The home of Santa Claus.

**Narrator 2:** Everyone is getting set -  
For Christmas-time, of course!

**Narrator 3:** A new day just beginning,  
And everything is well.

**Narrator 4:** It's looking like a super day -  
The Elves are feeling swell!



### Track 3: SUPER-DUPER DAY

**Verse 1** It's looking like a super day,  
Super-duper day.  
We don't have a minute to lose,  
It's looking like a super day.

← Circle arms upwards  
and outwards, with  
fingers fluttering.

← Jazz hands!

**Verse 2** It's looking like a super day,  
Super-duper day.  
We don't have a minute to lose,  
It's looking like a super day.  
Super-duper day.



### Track 4: ON OFF MUSIC

*Everyone exits.*

## SCENE 3: INSIDE SANTA'S HOME

*All is quiet, and the stage is empty. There is a large calendar on the wall, with the number "24" written clearly on it.*

**Narrator 5:** But trouble now is brewing,  
'Cause Santa woke up late...

**Narrator 6:** He'll be in quite a tizzy,  
When he sees the date...

*Santa enters, yawning and stretching his arms wide; he's wearing his pyjamas and a dressing gown.*

**Santa:** Ho! Ho! Ho! What a lovely, long sleep. I wonder what day it is...?

*Santa walks over to the calendar and sees, with horror, that it's the 24<sup>th</sup>.*

**Santa:** *(Shocked)* The 24<sup>th</sup>...?! Giddy gumdrops! I must have overslept - it's Christmas Eve!

*Santa picks up a long list of "Things to do". The chief Elves - Doodle, Dipsy, Dazzle, Dodo and Dodge - enter, and are surprised to see Santa looking at the list, clearly very agitated.*

**Doodle:** Hello, Santa! What's the matter?

**Santa:** *(Shocked)* Don't you know what the date is...?!

**Dipsy:** *(Matter-of-factly)* Yes - it's the 24<sup>th</sup>.

**Santa:** Exactly - it's Christmas Eve! *(Checking his list of "Things to do")* Fetch me my Christmas suit!

**Dodo:** *(Trying to reassure Santa)* But, Santa -

**Santa:** *(Interrupting)* And finish the presents!

**Dodo:** But, Santa -

**Santa:** *(Interrupting)* And get the reindeer ready!

**All the Elves:** BUT, SANTA!

**Santa:** *(Interrupting)* There's no time - it's going to be a VERY busy day!

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♪ **Track 5: BUSY, BUSY DAY**

**Verse 1** It's looking like a busy day,  
Now it's Christmas time,  
We don't have a minute to lose,  
It's looking like a busy day.

← Look around,  
nervously, at all the  
work to be done.

← Tap wrist-watch.

← Wipe brow, tiredly.

**Verse 2** It's looking like a busy day,  
Now it's Christmas time,  
We don't have a minute to lose,  
It's looking like a busy day.  
Busy, busy day.

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♪ **Track 6: ON OFF MUSIC**

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*Santa exits in a rush, keen to get started. The **Elves** look at each other in amazement, and shrug resignedly. They exit the opposite way to **Santa**.*

## SCENE 4: THE LAUNDRY ROOM

*A busy scene as the **Laundry Elves** enter, carrying piles of freshly washed clothes.*

**Narrator 1:** Rushing round, no time to doze,  
Laundry Elves are washing clothes.

**All Laundry Elves:** *(Cheerily, as they work)* Wishy-washy, wishy-washy - get the laundry clean. Wishy-washy, wishy-washy - REALLY clean is what we mean!

*Suddenly, **Doodle** rushes on stage in a panic.*

**Doodle:** Quick! Santa wants his Christmas suit!

**Laundry Elf 1:** *(Confused)* But -

**Doodle:** There's no time - Santa wants his Christmas suit NOW!

***Laundry Elf 1** shrugs resignedly and goes to get Santa's Christmas suit, but returns looking horrified:*

**Laundry Elf 1:** *(Shocked)* It's shrunk in the wash!

***Laundry Elf 1** holds up a teeny-weeny, shrunken Santa suit. Everyone freezes and takes a sharp intake of breath in horror.*

**Laundry Elf 2:** Quick! We'll have to make him a new one!



**Track 7: ON OFF MUSIC**

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*Everyone screams in panic, and rushes off stage.*



## SCENE 5: THE TOY WORKSHOP

*A busy scene, as the **Workshop Elves** enter, carrying a variety of different toys.*

**Narrator 2:**       The Elves are busy making toys,  
Ready for the girls and boys.



## Track 8: WORKSHOP ELVES

**Verse 1** We are busy, making presents,  
We are busy, making presents,  
Hurry up - don't be slow,  
Hurry up - don't be slow.

Tap, tap,  
Tap, tap,  
Tap, tap,  
Tap, tap.

← Point thumbs towards yourself.

← Point forwards in time with the music.

← Pretend to tap with a hammer.

**Verse 2** We are busy, making presents,  
We are busy, making presents,  
Hurry up - don't be slow,  
Hurry up - don't be slow.

Brush, brush,  
Brush, brush,  
Brush, brush,  
Brush, brush.

← Pretend to paint with a brush.

**Verse 3** We are busy, making presents,  
We are busy, making presents,  
Hurry up - don't be slow,  
Hurry up - don't be slow.

Tap, tap, brush, brush,  
Tap, tap, brush, brush,  
Tap, tap, brush, brush,  
Tap, tap, brush, brush.

Tap, tap, brush, brush,  
Tap, tap, brush, brush,  
Tap, tap, brush, brush,  
Tap, tap, brush, brush.

*Suddenly, Dipsy rushes on stage in a panic.*

**Dipsy:** Quick! Santa wants all the toys ready!

**Workshop Elf 1:** *(Confused)* But -

**Dipsy:** There's no time - Santa wants all the toys ready NOW!

*Workshop Elf 1 shrugs resignedly and turns to Workshop Elf 2.*

**Workshop Elf 1:** Can we do it...?

*Workshop Elf 2 consults a clipboard, nervously.*

**Workshop Elf 2:** We've got enough toys for every town in the whole world...

*Everyone cheers.*

**Workshop Elf 2:** ... Except...

*Everyone freezes and takes a sharp intake of breath in fear.*

**Workshop Elf 2:** \_\_\_\_\_ *[insert the name of your town].*

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 **Track 9: ON OFF MUSIC**

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*With time running out, what will Santa and the Elves do to save Christmas...?*

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