

SCRIPT (EARLY YEARS)

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FULL DETAILS

Running Time (including music): Approximately 25 minutes.

Number of songs: 7

Cast: The only **speaking parts** are narrators, who guide the actions of the children on stage through a few simple lines of dialogue.

The number of **non-speaking parts** is approximately **15 - 40**, and is fully flexible to suit your requirements. For further information, take a look at the cast list available on our website.

SCENE 1: WELCOME TO OUR SHOW!

□ Track 1: MEDLEY (OPTIONAL)

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 Santa's Workshop, where everyone's getting

ready for Christmas.

Narrator 2: It's the start of a new day, and the Elves are feeling very

happy.

Everyone: (Happily waving to the audience) Hello!

J Track 3: SUPER-DUPER DAY

Verse 1 It's looking like a super day,

Super-duper day.

We have got so much to do -

Super-duper day.

Circle arms upwards and outwards, with fingers fluttering.

Jazz hands!

Verse 2 It's looking like a super day,

Super-duper day.

We have got so much to do -

Super-duper 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 3: But trouble's on the way, because Santa's woken up late... He yawns loudly...

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

Narrator 3: Then he looks at the calendar, to check the date.

Santa walks over to the calendar and sees, with horror, that it's the 24th.

Santa (or Narrator 3):

It's the 24th - Christmas Eve!

Narrator 4: Santa knows that there's still lots and lots of work to do, so

he calls the Elves, to see what can be done.

The chief Elves - **Doodle**, **Dipsy** and **Dodge** - enter, and are surprised to see **Santa** looking very agitated.

Narrator 5: The Elves ask Santa, "What's the matter?"

All the Elves: What's the matter, Santa?

Narrator 5: Santa tells the Elves it's the 24th - Christmas Eve! There are

just a few hours till Christmas, and they still have lots to do.

It's going to be a very busy day!

☐ Track 5: BUSY, BUSY DAY

Verse 1 It's looking like a busy day,
Busy, busy day,
We have got so much to do Busy, busy day.

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

Wipe brow, tiredly.

Verse 2 It's looking like a busy day,
Busy, busy day,
We have got so much to do Busy, busy day.
Busy, busy day.

☐ Track 6: ON OFF MUSIC

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 6: In the laundry, the Elves are busy, washing clothes. They're

very happy doing their work.

Everyone: (Happily waving to the audience) Hello!

Narrator 6: But then, they hear the bad news...

Suddenly, Doodle rushes on stage in a panic.

Narrator 1: Santa wants his special Christmas suit straight away, so the

Elves rush to get it.

A Laundry Elf goes to get Santa's Christmas suit, but returns looking horrified, and holds up a teeny-weeny, shrunken Santa suit.

Laundry Elf (or Narrator 1):

It's shrunk in the wash! Oh, no!

Everyone: (Horrified) Oh, no!

J Track 7: ON OFF MUSIC

Everyone rushes off stage in a panic.

SCENE 5: THE TOY WORKSHOP

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

Narrator 2: The Elves are making lots of toys, ready for the girls and

boys. They're very happy doing their work.

Everyone: (Happily waving to the audience) Hello!

Track 8: WORKSHOP ELVES

Verse 1 We are busy, we are busy,
We are busy, we are busy,
Hurry up, hurry up,
Hurry up, hurry up.

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

Point forwards in time with the music.

Pretend to tap with a hammer.

Point thumbs towards

Verse 2 We are busy, we are busy, We are busy, we are busy, Hurry up, hurry up, Hurry up, hurry up.

Brush, brush, Brush, brush, Brush, brush, Brush, brush. Pretend to paint with a brush.

Verse 3 We are busy, we are busy, We are busy, we are busy, Hurry up, hurry up, Hurry up, hurry up.

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

Brush, brush, Brush, brush, Brush, brush, Brush, brush. Suddenly, **Dipsy** rushes on stage in a panic, and crosses to tell the **Workshop Elves** the bad news.

Narrator 3: All is well, until they hear that Santa wants the toys finished straight away. Can it be done...?

The Workshop Elves listen to Dipsy, then shake their heads sadly.

Workshop Elf (or Narrator 3):

The toys aren't ready! Oh, no!

Everyone: (Horrified) Oh, no!

☐ Track 9: ON OFF MUSIC

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

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