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# SENSORY-INCLUSIVE PERFORMANCE

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# FINDING NEMO



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## JR.

## CHARACTER GUIDE

### Synopsis

Disney's *Finding Nemo JR.* is a 60-minute musical adaptation of the beloved 2003 Pixar movie *Finding Nemo*, with new music by award-winning songwriting team Kristen Anderson-Lopez and Robert Lopez.

Marlin, an anxious and over-protective clownfish, lives in the Great Barrier Reef with his kid Nemo, who longs to explore the world beyond their anemone home. But when Nemo is captured and taken to Sydney, Marlin faces his fears and sets off on an epic adventure across the ocean. With the help of lovable characters such as optimistic Dory, laid-back sea turtle Crush, and the supportive Tank Gang, Marlin and Nemo both overcome challenges on their journey to find each other and themselves.

Featuring memorable songs such as "Just Keep Swimming," "Fish Are Friends Not Food," and "Go With the Flow," *Finding Nemo JR.* brings a vibrant underwater world to life on stage in a story full of family, friendship, and adventure.



### NEMO

A curious young clownfish who brims with excitement to explore the wonders that lie beyond the Great Barrier Reef. Born with a "lucky fin" – or what humans would call a limb difference.



### MARLIN

An anxious clownfish and Nemo's overprotective father, who, after the tragic death of his wife Coral, prefers the safety of his anemone to the frightening unknowns of the open ocean.



### DORY

An optimistic and bubbly blue tang, experiences frequent short-term memory loss and finds herself wandering through the ocean with no place to call home.



### PROFESSOR RAY

A stingray and Nemo's enthusiastic teacher, takes pride in sharing the curiosities and marvels of the world with the class and encourages every student to be a brave explorer.



### BRUCE, CHUM & ANCHOR

The intimidating great white sharks who try to live a vegetarian lifestyle. Bruce is the ringleader, and Chum and Anchor his friends who try to restrain an out-of-control Bruce from eating innocent fish.



### BUBBLES

He is a bright yellow tang who is captivated by bubbles. He is part of the "Tank Gang" that helps Nemo escape the Sydney Harbor Aquarium and return to the ocean.



### BLOAT

An open-minded and supportive blowfish that is proud to be part of the Tank Gang family, and helps keep everyone's spirits up, even when things seem bleak.



### GURGLE

He is a royal gramma who enjoys the safety and regulated cleanliness of the tank. Gurgle is frightened of strangers and the germs they carry with them.



### PEACH

A mature and down-to-earth starfish that offers guidance and reassurance to all those who need it.



### GILL

A relentless and inspiring leader who will stop at nothing to return to the freedom of the ocean. This Moorish idol fish believes in the Tank Gang and concocts countless plans to bust them out of the aquarium.



### NIGEL

A sharp-eyed pelican, Nigel is the Tank Gang's feathered friend and only connection to the outside world.



### SEA TURTLES & SEA TURTLE KIDS

Crush is a 150-year-old sea turtle who knows how to hang loose. Squirt is the son of Crush, and he enjoys trying out cool new moves.

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