



Dear Parents and Carers,

**Beauty and the Beast Costumes**

Now that we have had some time to rehearse for the production, we have turned our attention to the costumes that the children will need. Children will be responsible for providing their own costume where possible. Please check with your child that they know which part they have.

<b>Character</b>	<b>Costume Description</b>
<b>Belle</b>	Blue dress with white apron (village); yellow ball gown (castle); simple flat shoes.
<b>Beast</b>	Faux fur accents, padded shirt/jacket, tail, horns (headband), formal coat for castle.
<b>Maurice</b>	Scruffy clothes, inventor's apron, goggles or tool belt, tousled hair/wig.
<b>Gaston</b>	Red tunic/shirt, black boots, brown belt, muscle padding, slick hair wig or style.
<b>Lefou</b>	Mismatched peasant clothes, oversized hat/scarf, comical touches like patched pants.
<b>Lumière</b>	White/gold suit or jacket with gold trim, candle holders (foam or cardboard), head flame hat.
<b>Cogsworth</b>	Brown jacket with gold trim, clock face on chest, pendulum (cardboard), hat/wig with clock hands.
<b>Mrs. Potts</b>	Teapot-shaped costume or white/pink dress with teapot embellishments, tea spout hat.
<b>Babette (Feather Duster)</b>	Black/white maid outfit with feather details, headband with feathers, fancy shoes.
<b>Madame De La Grande Bouche</b>	Opera gown, cardboard dresser panels on sides or worn like a sandwich board.
<b>Chip</b>	Teacup tunic or white top with handle and chip mark
<b>Old Beggar Woman / Enchantress</b>	Black cloak (with hood), formal dress.
<b>Silly Girls</b>	Matching colourful village dresses, bows, long hair wig.
<b>Monsieur D'Arque</b>	Long dark coat, top hat.
<b>Villagers</b>	Simple peasant outfits: <b>plain</b> shirts, skirts, aprons, caps, vests, in earthy tones.
<b>Wolves</b>	Grey/black clothing, faux fur accents, ears and tail (headband/belt).

You can start bringing these items in as soon as possible, in a named bag and they will remain in school.

These are just some ideas, if you have any real difficulties finding these items, please don't hesitate to contact your child's class teacher.

Many thanks

Mr Stepney and Mr Busse