

Group Expression Exercise

_____ Reader “Life is like a box of chocolates, you never know what you’re going to get.”

Stand up at your table and read the sentence above as if you were a....

A Cowboy with poison ivy

Actor tip: Speak with a western drawl and stand bowlegged with your hands on your hips. You might also pretend to twirl a lasso above your head. As you speak your lines also scratch your sides or legs every few words. You might end with a Giddyup or Yeehaw!

_____ Reader “You should never forget the secret Golden Rule, "righty-tighty, lefty-loosey.”

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Paranoid Pirate

Actor tip: Speak like a pirate and say “arrgh” and/or “matey” in between words and nervously look over your shoulder.

_____ Reader “Don't just stand there let's get to it. Strike a pose, there's nothing to it.”

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Shouting Cheerleader

Actor tip: Chant your lines loudly and pretend to shake pom poms in front of you as you say each word. Make cheer movements to the rhythm of your voice.

_____ Reader “So where are we going next? You know I’m always game!”

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Chicken with the hiccups

Actor tip: Fold your arms and flap them, making chicken noises as you say your lines. Hiccup every few words.

_____ Reader “You know, we’re only as sick as our secrets.”

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Hungry Vampire

Actor tip: Pretend to show your fangs when you say your lines. Talk in an evil tone, but smile as much as you can. Try to roll your "r"s when you speak, using a Transylvanian accent.

_____ Reader “If you don’t want to get stung, you have to stay away from the bees!”

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Crying Opera Singer

Actor tip: Sing your lines with a high-pitched opera voice, but pretend to cry, wiping your tears and sniffing heavily.