

Elephant and Piggie's We are in a Play!

- This play is about two best friends, **Gerald**, who is an elephant, and **Piggie**. They are joined on stage by some singers called the Squirrelles. The Squirrelles sometimes play other characters – like a penguin and a dog!



- All of **the animals in the story are played by people**. To become their animal characters, the actors will change their voices and movements. The actors dress up, too - Gerald wears a gray suit and Piggie wears a pink outfit – but they don't look exactly like animals.
- During the performance, Gerald and Piggie sometimes have **strong emotions or feelings**. They communicate their feelings through the way they talk and sing and by what they do.



- The **performance can sometimes be loud** – especially during the party scene and when Piggie plays her **trumpet**. You can bring your noise canceling headphones or other tools or cover your ears if it gets too loud.
- Gerald and Piggie may **ask you to participate!** Listen carefully for their instructions and you join in if you want to.



Want to Learn More?

- The [Cuesheet](#) has lots of information about the story and the characters.
- Watch [videos](#) about the making of *Elephant and Piggie's We are in a Play!*
- Elephant and Piggie have a book series! The books – as well as the script – were written by Mo Williams. The story of this play comes from several different books.