

Nutcracker 2021

NEW ROLES

INSPIRATION FAIRY

Overture-

As E.T.A Hoffman sits writing his masterpiece, the fairy of "Inspiration" brings her touch of magic into his beloved tale!

In his study are Goddaughter Clara and her two sisters Marie (the oldest) and Charlotte (the youngest), her naughty brother Fritz. and little cousin Hans.

The children are frozen in time as "Inspiration" brings virtuoso movement and brilliant ideas to Mr. Hoffman's feathered pen and parchment paper.

Mr. Hoffman is thrilled with the ideas and asks "Inspiration" to let the children hear his story! The lovely fairy is unseen to the children, and she vanishes off to prepare the Land of Sweets which Clara will discover as our beloved tale unfolds!

Opening 2nd Act- "Inspiration" welcomes all who come to the Land of Sweets along with the Sugar Plum Fairy, the Dew Drop Fairy, and Angels.

Closing of Act 2- After Clara's beautiful adventure she says goodbye to her handsome prince in Mr. Hoffman's study. "Inspiration" brings rest to Clara's magical dream and Mr. Hoffman is wonderfully satisfied with his timeless classic tale of "The Nutcracker"!

MARIE

Clara's older sister revels with her friends who join her at the holiday party!

The suitors are welcomed, and Marie and her friends enjoy the game of dancing a few minuets with them. Marie and her suitor enjoy a lovely dance together and Clara dreams of a dance with her handsome prince someday!

CHINESE DUET

A dynamic duet full of precise pointe footwork , flexibility, and much pirouette!

MARZIPAN TRIO

A trio with ribbon sticks that accentuate intricate pointe work! Feathered, flare hats give a touch of French vogue to the playful ribbons in this divertissement!