



Welcome to our exciting production of Pirates of Penzance!! This music is not the easiest to learn, but you can all do this and it's definitely worth your time. Let's study over the break, as much as we can – this doesn't mean you need to sing all day! Even looking through the score and listening to practice tracks for half an hour a day will really help the entire process go a lot more smoothly. I know that you have lots of classes and other homework as well as family commitments, so I will do what I can to help you out. Please visit the following web site for notes from me and helpful tricks and practice clips. For now, just learning the correct notes and words will be fantastic. Let's make sure that we all have learned it correctly before we attempt to memorize.

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I offer one free voice lesson to anyone, so I suggest that you take advantage of that! Text me at 707-812-8471 and we can set it up. I usually teach from my home, near Rainbow Pool. I will be out of town from December 25th - January 5th, but you can still reach me on the phone.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask me! If you are confused, I can guarantee you are not the only one! So help each other out, and ask me. Text is the best for me, and you can contact me at any time of the day or night, because my phone is on silent when I don't want to be disturbed! You can also call or email me. Please leave a voicemail if I do not answer your call.

I'm so excited to work on this with you and get to know you better! I feel that we are all very lucky to get to produce such a fun, funny, and brilliant piece, and I'm very grateful to have you all to work with. You all have fantastic voices, and with Mr. Roberts' dramatic direction, I'm so excited to see what you put into the characters! Let's have fun and make it great!

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