

COYOTE AND THE HUMAN PEOPLE
CAST, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, COSTUMES, PROPS

CAST, IN ORDER OF APPEARANCE

COYOTE (many lines to memorize, could be played by an older student or adult)

Child #1, #2, #3, #4

Wek Wek, the Falcon, Coyote's Grandson

Salmon

Clam

Turtle

Pelican

Dove

Owl

Woodpecker

Duck

Rabbit

Chipmunk

Bee

Flower

Fox

Raccoon

Cougar

Porcupine

Wolf

BEAR (Baritone, could be an adult or high school student)

Hummingbird

Sun Woman

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

RECORDER

DEER HOOF RATTLE

COCOON RATTLE (one maraca will do)

CLACKER STICK

RAINSTICK

BIG DRUM

COSTUMES (CONSTRUCTION DETAILS WILL BE PROVIDED WITH SHOW SCRIPT)

4 tan T-shirts for Miwok boys

2 "tule reed" skirts. (Undyed Hawaiian hula skirts with Velcro fasteners for quick change.)

2 knee-length loin cloths for the boys

2 feather headdresses for boys

Colored feathers

Coyote wears ears, paws and a tail; large head dress for conclusion.

2 abalone eyepieces for girls

At least a dozen strings of clamshell beads (thread buttons to make necklaces)

Rabbit wears a rabbit skin capelet.

Clam wears some clamshell beads.

COSTUMES FOR THE ANIMAL PEOPLE CAN BE CREATED IN ART CLASS USING MASKS, HEAD DRESSES AND FACE PAINT.

PROPS

Lengths of turquoise blue chiffon for the waves on stage

Coyote's bag of musical instruments, paddle stick, cattail rope