

# Level 4 Monologue & Songs:

(Broadway Grades 8+ Thursday 8:15-9:15 (BB-B), Broadway Grades 8+ Wednesday 6:30-7:30 (Ridge B))

## Monologue "The Princess Diaries"

**Mia:** Hi, um... hello. I'm Mia. I'm really no good at speech-making. Normally I get so nervous that I faint or run away, or sometimes I even get sick. But you really didn't need to know that... But I'm not so afraid anymore. See, my mother and father helped me by telling me it was ok, and by supporting me like they have for my entire life. But then I wondered how I'd feel after abdicating my role as Princess of Genovia. Would I feel relieved, or would I feel sad? And then I realized how many stupid times a day I use the word 'I'. And probably all I ever do is think about myself.... sorry, I'm going too fast. But then I thought, if I cared about the other seven billion people out there, instead of just me, that's probably a much better use of my time.

See, if I were Princess of Genovia, then my thoughts and the thoughts of people smarter than me would be much better heard, and just maybe those thoughts could be turned into actions. So this morning when I woke up, I was Mia Thermopolis. But now I choose to be forevermore, Amelia Mignonette Thermopolis Renaldi, Princess of Genovia.

## Song: Just Arrived

**\*You may be asked to sing with a track or acapella (no track)\***

*Just arrived track seventeen  
All the way from Tulsa Okla-nowhere  
Where's my chauffeured limousine?  
Where's the marching band?  
Just in time to take the town  
And though my knees are shaking  
I'm making my stand*

*It all starts now  
I can see my name in neon  
I won't allow  
Anyone to disagree  
Don't ask me how  
But before too long  
I'll be on some marquee  
New York or bust!  
I've just arrived!*