

## Legally Blonde Character Breakdowns

### CASTING NOTE:

TAP & the Legally Blonde Production Team value diversity in race, physical ability, gender, sexuality, socio-economic background, age, and body type. Anyone who sees a little of themselves in one of these characters is welcome and warmly encouraged to audition! The character descriptions indicate the age that the character should appear onstage, but does not need to match the age of the performer. That said, please note that for this production, all roles are only open to performers who are 18+.

### CHARACTER BREAKDOWNS (cont'd on next page):

**Elle Woods:** An intelligent, fashion-forward, determined, and optimistic young woman. Initially seen as a stereotypical "blonde," Elle learns her full potential and develops a stronger sense of self-worth.

Female, 20s, vocal range F#3 - F5

**Warner Huntington III:** Elle's ex-boyfriend who initially dumps her to pursue a more "serious" future at Harvard Law. He is wealthy, charming, and self-centered.

Male, 20s, vocal range A2 - G#4

**Emmett Forrest:** A smart, down-to-earth law student at Harvard who initially sees Elle as just a "pretty face." Over time, he becomes her close confidant and romantic interest, helping her find her strengths and encouraging her to believe in herself. Emmett is kind-hearted, humble, and willing to stand up for what's right.

Male, 20s – 30s, vocal range A2 - A4

**Vivienne Kensington:** A Harvard Law student who initially dislikes Elle, seeing her as an obstacle to her own ambitions. She is confident, sharp, and ambitious but eventually becomes Elle's friend after seeing her intelligence and determination.

Female, 20s, vocal range A3 - Ab5

**Paulette Bonafonté:** Elle's quirky, loyal, and funny friend, who works as a manicurist. Paulette is working through her own emotional struggles, particularly with her ex-husband and finding love. She serves as a source of emotional support and comic relief for Elle and has a dream of getting her dog back and falling in love.

Female, 30s – 40s, vocal range G3 - A5

**Professor Callahan:** A charismatic and manipulative law professor at Harvard. He is a successful attorney who initially mentors Elle, but his true nature is revealed as he uses his power for personal gain.

Male, 40s – 50s, vocal range A2 - F#4

**Brooke Wyndham:** A famous fitness mogul and the woman accused of murder in the musical's central legal case. Brooke is energetic, confident, and empowered, with a tough exterior.

Female, 30s, vocal range A3 - G5

**Enid Hoopes:** A feminist law student who helps Elle with her legal case, offering a fresh perspective on legal matters. She is bold, confident, and unafraid to speak her mind.

Female, 20s, vocal range A3 - Gb5/Ab5

**Kyle B. O'Boyle (The UPS Guy):** A dreamy UPS delivery man who captures Paulette's attention. Charming and attractive, he is a source of lighthearted romance.

Male, 30s-40s

**Margot, Serena, and Pilar (The "Greek Chorus"):** Elle's best friends from the sorority and support system, each with a distinct personality.

- Margot: Outgoing and fashion-forward, always has Elle's back.
- Serena: The sassy one, quick with witty remarks and a sense of humor.
- Pilar: The more grounded one, caring, and supportive.

Females, 20s-30s, vocal range F#3 - F#5

**Greek Chorus Ensemble:** More of Elle's friends from the sorority, backing up Margot, Serena, and Pillar. They are the heart and soul of Delta Nu, supporting Elle at every turn.

Females and Males, 20s-30s, vocal range F3 - F#4(M) / G5(F)

**General Ensemble:** Various characters who contribute to the show's energy, including Harvard students, sorority sisters, lawyers, and the public. The ensemble plays a significant role in many of the big musical numbers and is essential for adding depth to the plot and its setting. Featured roles for Ensemble include Elle's parents, Kate, Perfume Girls, Chutney Wyndham, Sundeep Padamadan, Aaron Schultz, Dewey, Nikos Argitakos (pool boy), Carlos (Niko's "best friend"), Judge, and others.

Females & Males, 20s-60s