Aladdin

Aladdin is the title character and therefore carries most of the show. You'll want your most charming, best singing and best acting student for the role. He'll need the versatility to play the funny, slick prankster as well as the romantic lead.

Genie

Genie is the fast-talking, scene-stealing funny man.

Jasmine

Jasmine should be cast as feisty and rebellious, yet genuinely sweet and somewhat naïve. Jasmine is a future leader with strong opinions on how things should be done, and the audience needs to see this side of her, as well as the side that Aladdin falls for.

Iago

Iago is another great comedy role. Like the Genie, he or she need not be the strongest singer, but comedic skills are a must. Iago should be costumed to suggest a parrot, but should bring human characteristics to Jafar's sidekick.

Jafar

Jafar is our villain. Jafar should be more of a caricature of classic evil villains than someone really scary. Jafar and Iago also share some comic moments.

Sultan

The Sultan should be able to play a father figure convincingly. Although a bit scattered, he needs to be able to portray love and care for Jasmine.

Narrators

The five Narrators can be any combination of boys and girls. All should be able to sing well and be able to speak clearly since they are responsible for setting scenes and advancing the plot. Comedic skills are a plus. Two of your Narrators may also be Magic Carpet puppeteers.

Razoul

 Razoul should be played as highly incompetent - always making mistakes. Cast a student who can play the role a la The Three Stooges.

Guards

 The Guards and Razoul should be played as highly incompetent - always making mistakes. Cast students who can play the roles a la The Three Stooges.

Ensemble

Your Ensemble consists of Townspeople, Shop Owners, a Baker, a Matron, Harem Girls, Visiting Princes, etc. They should be good actors who sing well, as they are featured in all of the production numbers. There are opportunities for many featured moments for your ensemble members.

Magic Carpet

The Magic Carpet works best when treated as a character in the show