



# Aida – Mesa Community College Act 1 Musical Productions

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## Production Details

**Production Title:** Aida

**Production Company:** [Mesa Community College Act 1 Musical Productions](#)

**Playwright or Screenwriter:** Elton John & Tim Rice

**Director:** Jere Van Patten

**Music Director:** Cathy Hauan

**Choreographer:** Taryn Reed

**Compensation:** No Pay

**Rehearsals Begin:** 06/02/2014

**Run/Shoot Dates:** 07/17/2014 – 07/26/2014

### Synopsis

An enslaved Nubian princess, Aida, finds her heart entangled with Radames, an Egyptian soldier who is betrothed to the Pharaoh's daughter, Amneris. As their forbidden love blossoms, Aida is forced to weigh her heart against the responsibility she faces as leader of her people. Aida and Radames's love for one another proves transcendent of cultural differences and ushers in a time of unprecedented peace between the warring nations.

Stage/Live:

Adult

Nudity: No

Participation Fees: Yes

Crew Needed: No

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## Character Breakdown

Aida – A beautiful, brave Nubian Princess, daughter of King Amonasro.

Amneris – A beautiful and materialistic Egyptian Princess, betrothed to Captain Radames, daughter of the Pharaoh.

Amonasro – An honorable and peaceful man who is imprisoned by Egypt.

Mereb – A young Nubian slave and servant to Radames.

Nehebka – A Nubian slave and friend of Aida.

Pharaoh – The Leader of Egypt and father to Amneris.

Radames – An Egyptian Captain and son of Zoser. A strong, handsome, adventurous soldier who falls in love with Aida.

Zoser – The manipulative and evil Chief Minister hungry for power and father of Radames.

Ensemble – Ministers; Soldiers; Egyptian Men; Palace Women; Nubians; Guards; Dancers

## Additional Info

This is a class offered through Mesa Community College's Music Department.

**Once cast, all participants must register for MUP270 – a 2 credit class.**

**The cost of tuition is currently \$81/credit.**

Financial aid and scholarships are also available.

## What To Prepare

16 – 32 bars (about 1 minute) of a pop-rock song in the style of the show. You may also sing from the show if you'd like. An accompanist will be provided. No a capella, no tracks or CDs. If you do not have a headshot ANY picture which clearly shows your face will work.

## Audition Details

**MCC Music Building (MU43) at the  
Southern & Dobson Campus in Mesa.  
1833 W. Southern Avenue  
Mesa, Arizona 85202**

Headshots/Resume Required

By Appointment: Phone or Email

The Music Building is located on the NE side of campus nearest the football field off of Southern Avenue. We are building MU43.

**Appointment Contact**

(480)461-7894  
jerevp@mesacc.edu

**Audition Dates and Times:**

Wednesday, May 7, 2014 5:00 – 9:00pm

**Callback Dates and Times:**

Thursday, May 8, 2014 5:00 – 9:00pm

**Primary Contact:**

Jere Van Patten  
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 April 12, 2014 

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