

A short emotional drama, based on the untold story of the Cantonists. The film explores the forgotten Jewish history of the Cantonists, young Jewish boys kidnapped from their homes and forced to convert to Christianity before serving 25 years in the army. These events took place in the Russian Empire in the 1800s. Should have short hair, if tattoos/ piercings are present they should be able to be covered up (or taken out in the case of piercings), it's a historical drama and are aiming to be accurate.

Ezra – Featured Role

Short hair Non-speaking, featured character Must be over licensing age 16 If tattoos/ piercings are present they should be able to be covered up (or taken out in the case of piercings), it's a historical drama and are aiming to be accurate.

Similar measurements are required:

- Height: 5ft 10 in
- Shoe: 10 Collar:15.5 in
- Chest: Any - 96 cm / 38 in
- Waist: Any - 81 cm / 32 in

Reimbursement: 60 Euro per day

Male, aged 15 to 18

- Ethnicity: White / Caucasian

Boy with Bandage – Supporting Role

Any accent. Should have a short hair. Must be over 16 for licensing purposes. Actor will be featured in first scene and required for a couple hours on one day of shooting. Expenses, food, drink and costume will be provided as well as a finished copy of the film. From the script: Moishe sits up and looks to Calev (12) beside him who is playing with the grass. They see a young boy pass them with a bloody bandage wrapped on his hand.

Male, aged 15 to 20

Similar measurements required: Height: 4'8, Hat: 22, Collar: 12, Chest: 29, Waist: 24, Shoe 4, Seat: 29 (all in inches)

- Ethnicity: White / Caucasian

Boy 1

Any accent Must be over 16 for licensing Non-speaking, needed for many scenes with the primary cast. From the script, Moishe sits with Calev and several other young boys on a cart guarded by a Russian officer. The boys trudge in a single file line. Now in uniforms which drape over them. Determined to just keep moving. A boy behind Moishe drops to the ground. Moishe turns to help him but an officer pushes him forward. Expenses, food, drink and costume will be provided with the film copy.

Male, aged 16 to 21

Similar measurements are required:

- Height: 5ft 10 in
- Shoe: 10 Collar:15.5 in
- Chest: Any - 96 cm / 38 in
- Waist: Any - 81 cm / 32 in

Boy 2

Any accent. Short hair, no tattoos or piercing for the historical film purpose. Must be over 16 for licensing purposes. Non-speaking, is introduced in scene 1 with a featured role in scene 5. Many scenes with the primary cast, playing age 12-18 Expenses, food, drink and costume will be provided as well as a finished copy of the film which can be used for showreel purpose.

Male, aged 12 to 19

- Ethnicity: White / Caucasian

Boy 3 - Non-speaking Short hair No tattoos or piercings for a historical drama purposes. Needed for many scenes with the primary cast Playing age 12-18 Must be over 16 for licensing purposes Expenses, food, drink and costume will be provided as well as a finished copy of the film which can be used for showreel purposes.

Male, aged 16 to 21

- Ethnicity: White / Caucasian

Boy 4

Non-speaking, needed for many scenes with the primary cast Short Hair No Tattoos or piercings for historical drama purposes Must be over 16 for licensing purposes. Expenses, food, drink and costume will be provided as well as a finished copy of the film which can be used for showreel purposes.

Anyone, aged 12 to 18

- Ethnicity: White / Caucasian

Boy 5

Short hair. No Tattoos or piercings for historical drama purposes Non-speaking, needed for many scenes with the primary cast Must be over 16 for licensing purposes. Expenses, food, drink and costume will be provided as well as a finished copy of the film which can be used for showreel purposes.

Male, aged 12 to 18

- Ethnicity: White / Caucasian