

Scuttle 1



SCUTTLE AUDITION SCRIPT

Scuttle is the know-it-all seagull who serves as Ariel’s expert on humans. He is funny and off-beat. While a good singer will rock “Human Stuff,” this song can easily be spoken in rhythm. Look for a performer with good comedic timing who is willing to have fun with Scuttle’s eccentricities.

Vocal Range B3 - E5

FLOUNDER

Ariel! Are you okay?

SEBASTIAN

Oh child, what have you done?

(After a moment, ARIEL sits up and stares at her new legs in wonderment. Slowly and shakily she tries to stand, sticking her arms out for balance... then falls on her rear. SCUTTLE flaps in.)

SCUTTLE

Well, look who got beached! Hiya, Ariel! Wait – there’s something different about’cha. Don’t tell me – it’s your hairdo, right? You’ve been using the dinglehopper!

(ARIEL shakes her head “no.”)

Nah? Hmm... I can’t quite put my foot on it right now—

SEBASTIAN

She’s got legs, you idiot!

FLOUNDER

Ariel traded her voice to the Sea Witch to become human!

SCUTTLE

Nah, kid! Not your beautiful pipes!

(ARIEL nods. She opens her mouth, but no sound.)

SEBASTIAN

Ya see? Not a sound! What would her father say? I’ll tell ya what her father’d say: he’d say he’s gonna kill himself a crab, that’s what he’d say!

FLOUNDER

Now she’s got three days to make Prince Eric fall in love with her. And to prove it, he’s gotta kiss her!

SCUTTLE

The Prince? Well, I’ll say!

Human Stuff

(SCUTTLE:)
(vocal last time)

4x

Say that-cha

wan - na have a hair - do like the folks who live up

Detailed description: The image shows two staves of musical notation for the song 'Human Stuff'. The first staff is in treble clef with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and a 6/8 time signature. It features a series of rests followed by a repeat sign with '4x' above it, and then a vocal line with the lyrics 'Say that-cha'. The second staff is also in treble clef with the same key signature and time signature, featuring a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes with the lyrics 'wan - na have a hair - do like the folks who live up'.

Scuttle 2

7 (Other GULLS enter from the rock island.) GULL 1:
Flop their
there do, that - 'll flap their wigs!

10 GULL 2: GULL 3:
wigs! Flap! Awwwk!
SCUTTLE:
Well, you'll look ab - so-lute - ly

13
dan - dy, if you use one of these han - dy lit - tle

16 GULL 1: GULL 2:
Thing-a - ma - bobs. Jigs!
thing - ma-jigs.

19 GULL 1: GULL 3:
Bobs! Awwwk!
SCUTTLE:
Pick up the din - gle - hop - per,

22
just like so. Twirl it the way I'm

25
twirl - ing now... Give it a lit - tle

29
yank, and there ya go!

32
You're what they call "the dog's me-ow"!

Scuttle 3

35 SCUTTLE,
GULLS:
Won-der-ful stuff!

39 SCUTTLE,
GULL 3: GULLS:
Awwwk! That hu - man stuff! Can't get e -

42 SCUTTLE,
GULL 3: GULLS:
nough... Awwwk! of hu - man stuff! And

46 we are the au - thor - i - ty, no need for us to

49 bluff! Be - cause we're great at ex - pla - na - tin'

(SCUTTLE pulls out a pipe.) ARIEL: What's that?
52 hu - man stuff!

55 SCUTTLE: A snarfblatt! ARIEL: Wow!
SCUTTLE:
When they in-ven-ted

59 snarf - blatts, just by chance,

62 sud - den - ly life was la - di - da! _____

65 _____ Snarf-blatts are what you use _____ to

68 make folks dance! Give it a blow, and

71 then... voi - là! _____

Scuttle 4

74 SCUTTLE,
GULLS:
Won-der - ful stuff!

77 SCUTTLE,
GULL 3: GULLS:
Awwwk! That hu - man stuff! If you're a

80 SCUTTLE,
GULL 3: GULLS: GULL 1:
buff... Awwwk! of hu - man stuff! It's

84 GULL 2:
mar - va-ble! Stu - pen - di-ful!
SCUTTLE:
Com - plete - ly A - O -

87 SCUTTLE,
GULLS:
J! Which sounds ab-surd, but take my word, that's

90 what the hu-mans say! Won-der-ful stuff!

93 That hu - man stuff. None of it

96 fluff! Not hu - man stuff! And

100 heav - en knows, since we're the pros, from us, you'll get no

103 GULL 1:
guff. A
SCUTTLE:
And once you've got a who's-ma - jig...

106 GULL 2:
thing - a - ma-what... A whatch-a - ma - gig...
That's

Scuttle 5

108 **GULLS:**
Right up to
all you need to bring you up to snuff!

111 **SCUTTLE,
GULLS:**
snuff! With pro - per din - gle - hop - per groom - in',

114
rest as - sured, you'll look real hu - man!

116 **SCUTTLE, GULLS,
FLOUNDER, ARIEL:**
We know, 'cause we know hu - man

120
stuff! _____

124 **SCUTTLE,
GULLS:**
Awwwk!