

SENSORY GUIDE

WINNER ★ 5 TONY AWARDS
INCLUDING
BEST MUSICAL

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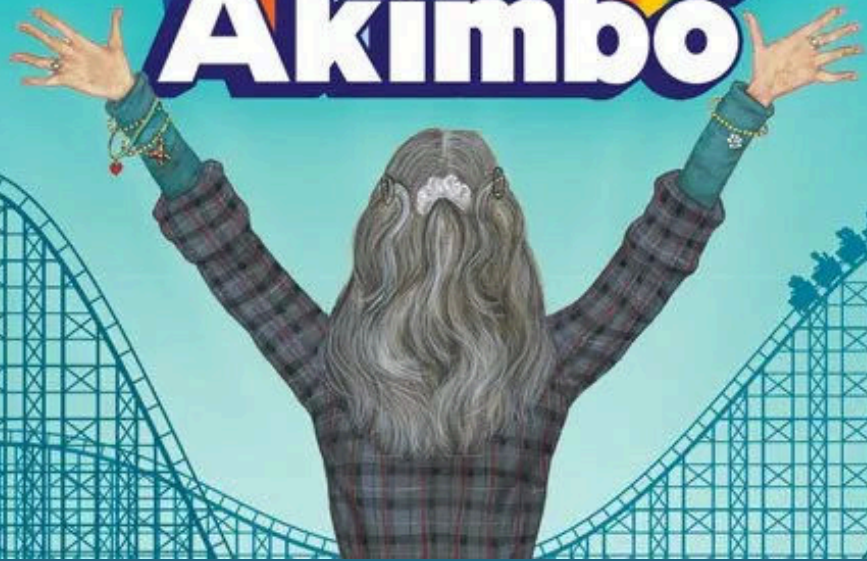


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GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Duration: Approximately 2 hours 25 minutes with one intermission.
- The decibel levels recorded in this guide account for moments of applause; sound levels may vary depending on the specific audience.
- This performance has a lot of stage fog that spreads into the audience. There are also fans audibly running throughout the performance.
- This Sensory Guide was developed following an audit by a member of the Sensory Access team who is neurodivergent and hyperacoustic.

SENSORY IMPACT KEY



Auditory Impact



Visual Impact



Emotional Impact



Strobing Effects

COMMON DECIBEL (DB) LEVELS



70	Office/classroom chatter
80	Busy traffic, dog barking
90	Hairdryer
100	Lawnmower, construction site
110	Concert, night club
120	Police siren, airplane taking off













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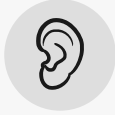

ACT ONE

SCENE	DESCRIPTION	SENSORY
Scene 1 Skating Rink "Skater Planet"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lighting quickly increases from dim to very bright• Up to 93 dB	
Scene 2 Outside the rink	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Some fuzzy stage "snow" floats around in the audience	
Scene 3 Levaco House "Hello, Darling"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Up to 94 dB	
Scene 4 Kim's Bedroom "Make a Wish"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Up to 91 dB	
Scene 5 School - Hallway "Skater Planet" (Reprise 1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loud school bell• Up to 86 dB	
Scene 6 School - Library "Anagram"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loud shouting• Up to 93 dB	









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SCENE	DESCRIPTION	SENSORY
Scene 7 School/Various (Debra: "I can't believe you guys just took off.") "Better"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Locker door slammed• Bright, flashing lights• Up to 109 dB	 
Scene 8 Levaco House "Hello, Darling" (Reprise) "Father Time"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Up to 103 dB	
Scene 9 Car - To School "Happy For Her"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Emotional intensity• Bright spotlights• Loud yelling• Up to 104 dB	  
Scene 10 School - Hallway "Anagram" (Reprise)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loud school bell• Locker door slammed• Up to 91 dB	
Scene 11 Skating Rink "This Time"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loud shouting• Emotional content• Moving projections• Bright flash followed by blackout at the end of scene• Up to 106 dB	  

ACT TWO

SCENE	DESCRIPTION	SENSORY
Scene 1 Basement "How to Wash a Check" "Good Kid"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Complex noise• Up to 99 dB	
Scene 2 Levaco House (Buddy: "Oh god...whoo...") "Hello, Baby"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sudden increase in brightness	
Scene 3 School - Library "Skater Planet" (Reprise 2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loud school bell• Emotional content• Up to 86 dB	 
Scene 4 School - Bio Class (Seth: "So I grabbed us that prime spot...") "Our Disease"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loud school bell• Bright lights• Prop projector light flashes towards audience• Sudden blackout• Emotional intensity• Up to 95 dB	  
Scene 5 Levaco House "The Inevitable Turn"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loud yelling/arguing• Emotional intensity• Up to 94 dB	 

ACT TWO

SCENE	DESCRIPTION	SENSORY
Scene 6 Hospital Room "Now"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Emotional content• Up to 89 dB	 
Scene 7 Skating Rink "How to Wash a Check" (Reprise)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Up to 93 dB	
Scene 8 Levaco House "Before I Go"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loud yelling/shouting• Emotional content and intensity• Up to 88 dB	 
Scene 9 Car - On Safari/Various "Hello, Sister" "Great Adventure"	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Loud yelling• Projected videos• Emotional content• Blackout at the end of scene• Up to 109 dB	  

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