



# STYLE SHEET

Please use the following guide to be sure your script is in Standard American Format before submitting it. Due to the volume of plays we expect to receive and read, we need to ask that you adhere to these requirements. Please limit your plays to no more than **15 pages**. Thank you!

**Please type your script. Type on one side of the paper only.**

## Characters

James, an outgoing 10th grader who enjoys writing  
Mary Sue, a very shy 10th grader who dislikes her play  
Mr. Henry, their English teacher, who is friendly

## Act I, Scene

JAMES

I can't wait for November when I can submit my play in the play writing contest. I've worked very hard on it.

MARY SUE

I don't care. I'm not submitting mine.

MR. HENRY

Why not Mary Sue? I really like your story about two Aliens who land in Atlanta and fall in love with Earthlings.  
(Mr. Henry smiles and crosses to Mary Sue.)

MARY SUE

Well...I'll think about it.

(She pulls her script out of her notebook and flips through the pages.)

I would like to know what East Georgia State College thinks of my work.

JAMES

Great! You and I will both finish our plays, and type them in Standard American Format. Then, in November, we'll submit them to East Georgia State College and see what they think!