

Treatment

ACTOR	CHARACTER NAME
Drew	Jake
Christopher	Wilton
Amy	Jill
Kaylee	Jane
Edward	Cletus
Markus	Johnson
Jennifer	Cyndie
Chelsea	Charlotte
Desiree	Jessie
Victoria	Veronica
Carley	Mandy
David	Tyrone
Noah	Owen

Title: "Cupid Potion"

SCENE	WRITER	DESCRIPTION
1	Macy	[SCHOOL] Full cast interacts with one another during recess at middle school. We learn that most kids have paired up into BFFs: David & Noah; Christopher & Drew; Desiree & Kaylee; Markus & Edward; Jennifer & Chelsea. However, we also learn that Victoria likes Christopher, Christopher likes Carley and that Amy likes Drew.
2	Joseph	[FOREST] David & Noah like to hike in the woods around Deer Lake. We get a sense that they like to have fun, but that they're also very smart. Noah comes across a strange-looking plant. He's got his cellphone and Googles it. It turns out that the plant may have medicinal properties. Noah picks the plant, puts it in his knapsack and takes it home.
3	David	[NOAH'S HOUSE] Noah is in the kitchen cooking. He is following an ancient recipe he found on-line. David is there too and thinks the

		<p>whole thing is silly, although he's full of questions. Noah boils the plant and seems to be making an elixir. Victoria, his sister, interrupts him and he gets mad at her. She leaves, but he has second thoughts and asks her back into the kitchen. He apologizes to her. Then, he asks her a strange question: "Does she like Christopher?" At first she hates the question and leaves, but Noah encourages her to come back and to give Christopher a drink of the concoction. Victoria asks what the drink is, but Noah does not want to say. Then, he tells her the truth: If Christopher drinks this elixir, he will probably fall in love with her. Victoria asks how she could possibly get Christopher to drink it. Noah tells her to figure it out!</p>
4	Victoria	<p>[SCHOOL CAFETERIA] The full cast is in the cafeteria. Victoria tries to chat up Christopher, but he hates Victoria! Victoria manages to squirt some elixir into Christopher's Pepsi just when he turns his head. The potion is so strong that he passes out and falls to the floor. The full cast gathers around him, but the first person he sees when he opens his eyes is Desiree! He falls desperately in love with Desiree!</p>
5	Carley	<p>[SCHOOL HALLWAY] Amy & Carley chat about what just happened in the cafeteria. They are both shocked that Christopher fell in love with Desiree. Carley admits that she thought that Christopher was interested in her and that she is heartbroken. Amy admits that she likes Drew and wonders what happened to Christopher.</p>
6	Desiree	<p>[SCHOOL STAIRWELL] Desiree finally gets away from Christopher and hides under the stairwell with Kaylee thinking that Christopher won't find her. Desiree can't stand Christopher. She thought that he was after Carley. Kaylee pretends to be grossed out by Christopher, but we realize that her objections to him are a cover-up for her true feels for him. Christopher finds Desiree under the stairs and can't resist trying to hug and kiss her. Desiree breaks free and runs away. The scene fades on a close-up of Christopher's bright, hopeful face.</p>
7	Angel	<p>[DEER LAKE STREET] The scene fades up on Christopher, but his face looks darker and more depressed now. The potion has worn off and it's like a severe hangover. He looks very, very tired. He makes his way to NOAH's house. He bangs on the door and demands to speak with Victoria. Noah and David appear inside the door. Christopher</p>

		admits that he knows someone slipped something into his drink. He causes such a fuss that Noah agrees to give Christopher some elixir. Christopher gets the potion and heads home slightly happier.
8	Dillon	[CHRISTOPHER'S HOUSE] Christopher works late at night dipping blow darts into the elixir. There is a sick smile on his face.
9	Brooklyn	[SCHOOL HALLWAY into CLASSROOM] Christopher goes to class with a book-bag. The camera zooms down to his book-bag and we see that he has a series of blow darts and a hollow pipe inside. Christopher chooses a seat toward the back. Amy flirts with Drew. Victoria comes over to talk to Christopher and he's really rude to her, telling her to sit somewhere up front! Markus and Edward are telling silly stories and laughing. Noah and David look at Christopher with suspicion hoping that Christopher doesn't do something foolish with the potion. He does! Christopher aims for Carley's neck (the camera seems to look straight through the hollow tube at her neck). Christopher blows the dart, but Carley bends to scratch her leg and Chelsea gets struck in the neck instead!!!
10	Chelsea	[CLASSROOM to HALLWAY] Chelsea is very groggy and has to leave the classroom. Jennifer goes with her. Chelsea almost passes out. Jennifer catches her. When Chelsea wakes up, she seems to really like Jennifer. Jennifer is disgusted and drops Chelsea on the floor!
11	Noah	[CLASSROOM to HALLWAY] Noah knows that Christopher's blow dart has struck Chelsea and he is not impressed with Christopher. Noah and David encourage Christopher to chat with them privately in the hallway. Christopher, Noah and David get into the hallway and they berate Christopher for his careless actions. They demand to have Christopher's remaining blow darts. Meanwhile, in the background, Chelsea is chasing Jennifer. They run back and forth during the whole scene.
12	Markus	[CLASSROOM] Amy flirts with Drew by giving him some notes. Markus and Edward are still telling stupid jokes and laughing. Carley gets nervous of what might be happening in the hallway and leaves the classroom.
13	Navneet	[HALLWAY] Carley notices that Chelsea is still chasing Jennifer. She looks at Christopher and then notices his bag. She demands to look

		<p>inside. Noah snatches the bag away from Carley just as she looks inside. David, Carley, Christopher and Noah all struggle for the book-bag. Chelsea and Jennifer back into the lot of them and Carley falls onto the book-bag full of blow darts. Everyone except Carley immediately stands up and they stare down at Carley. She slowly gets up. She has blow darts all in the back of her legs! Everyone is frightened and they all bolt back into the classroom except for Carley who is already starting to get dizzy!</p>
14	Drew	<p>[CLASSROOM] Drew wonders why everyone is coming back in the classroom. He asks where Carley is. David tells him that he doesn't want to go out there – no one should! Drew goes out anyway.</p>
15	Abbie	<p>[HALLWAY] Drew leaves the class and immediately sees the back of Carley's legs with all the blow darts. Carley turns around and instantly falls for Drew! Jennifer, chased by Chelsea, bumps into Drew and Carley. Drew uses Jennifer as a shield to block Carley's advances while Chelsea is behind Carley trying to get at Jennifer. Jennifer struggles to get out of the middle of the melee. Amy appears and is shocked at the four students locked in a sumo-like stand-off. Amy scolds Drew for flirting with other girls. Drew calls for help and complains that these girls are surprisingly strong. The scene fades to black.</p>
16	Amy	<p>[CLASSROOM] The scene fades up and everyone is groggy and laying on the floor in the corner of the classroom except for Amy. She paces back and forth re-telling the story (to get it straight in her own head) and scolding everyone for experimenting with a dangerous concoction of wild flowers and evil ancient elixirs. She is really upset with Christopher for making it all worse with blow darts and hollow tubes! In the end, Amy grabs the book-bag and the remaining elixir and leaves, promising to destroy the dangerous chemicals.</p>
17	Jennifer	<p>[SCHOOL FOYER] Amy leaves the classroom with the book-bag and heads down into the foyer. She pauses and decides to look into the book-bag. She sits on the bench and ponders the blow darts. Other kids begin to leave the classroom and go home for the day. Amy asks Drew over because she wants to ask him something. As he does, she pokes him in the back of the neck with a blow dart! Everyone sees what she has done and is outraged at Amy's</p>

		hypocrisy. Amy just scolded everyone for using the elixir and now she couldn't resist using it too! Victoria tells Amy that she is a hypocrite. Noah and David take the book-bag and remaining blow darts and promises that no one will ever be infected again!
18	Christopher	[FOREST] The scene fades up on Noah and David digging a big hole. They talks about true love versus fake chemicals. They bury the book-bag.
19	Edward	[NOAH's HOUSE] Victoria calls Christopher and asks if they could go out sometime. He totally rejects her!
20	Kurklind	[AMY's HOUSE] Amy calls Drew and asks him out. He totally rejects her!
21	Camron	[CHRISTOPHER's HOUSE] Christopher calls Carley to ask her out. She doesn't reject him!
22	Christian	[CAFETERIA] Christopher brags that Carley has agreed to go out with him. Amy, Victoria and Jennifer tell him to shut up (at separate times). Everyone goes to drink their pop and look into it suspiciously and they eye everyone else in the room.
23	Kaylee	[PARKING LOT] Christopher and Carley leave the school hand in hand. Everyone else leaves the school unhappy because they have no partner. David and Noah are the last to leave. Noah opens his book-bag and shows David a new plant that he has found. There is an awkward pause and instead of rejecting Noah's morbid curiosity, David asks what special power this new plant has. Noah explains that you can see the future if you consume it! The two walk off into the sunset discussing the pros and cons of horticulture. Fade to black.