

Alexander the Great

Hello, my name is Alexander the Great. I am one of the greatest military leaders of all time. At thirteen years old, my father, Philip, King of Macedon, hired the philosopher, Aristotle, to be my teacher. After my father was assassinated by his bodyguard, I took his place on the throne. I won my first victory at age eighteen and went on to never lose a battle. I conquered Persia as well as Egypt and continued my empire to northern parts of India. I cried because there was nothing left to conquer. I died in Babylon at the age of 33.

Performance Instructions: Dress as a Macedonian warrior and carry a toy sword. After speaking, pretend to defeat Egypt then drop to your knees to cry and finally, pretend to die.

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