

Extra Famous: A game for aspiring robots

Players: 10 - 10,000

Time to Play: 5 minutes, or more if you want to play several rounds

Setup: This game is designed to be played on Zoom or Twitch, with members of the Twitch audience / Zoom call feeding lines to the actors via chat.

1. Choose 1-3 players to be the *Judges*
2. Choose one player to be the robot *Actor* of the scene
3. Choose a few players to be *Extras* - they will interact with the star and keep the scene moving forward
4. *Audience Members* play the role of script supervisor - but there are traitors on the set!

How to Play:

Setting the scene:

1. Make sure that the judges can't hear any of the other players, and have them hide the chat.
2. Choose an iconic movie scene (there's a list of some below)
3. Choose the main actor to act out the scene. *But there's a twist.* The actor is an AI! They can't emote at all. They can only impassively read the lines they're fed by the audience.
4. *Audience Members:* You will feed lines to the main actor using the chat. Your goal is to come up with lines that would work well.
5. BUT WAIT - THERE'S A TWIST!
6. *Audience members:* if your birthday is this month, **you're a traitor!** You need to derail the scene by feeding lines from a totally different universe or movie.

Gameplay:

1. Once the scene is set, judges turn on the audio/put their headphones back on BUT they keep the chat hidden
2. Start a timer for 1 minute (or longer?)
3. *Audience Members and Traitors:* start feeding lines to the *Actor*
4. *Extras:* without using proper names or big giveaways, and also without emotion (you are AI too), keep the scene going by interacting with the Actor
5. Judges: Name that movie before the timer ends!

Winning:

If the judges get the movie right before the timer ends, the *Audience Members* win. If not, the traitors win. Play as many times as you like!

Iconic Movie Scene lists:

<https://www.buzzfeed.com/spenceralthouse/the-best-movie-scenes-of-all-time>

<https://nofilmschool.com/best-acting-scenes>

<https://www.ign.com/lists/100-best-movie-moments>

Examples:

- The Godfather – Wedding Scene
- Jurassic Park – Welcome to Jurassic Park scene
- The Wizard of Oz – Arriving in Oz Scene
- Dead Poets Society – O Captain! My Captain! Scene
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