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**METROPOLIS PRESENTS AWARD WINNING CHILDREN'S BOOK  
*FRINDLE* LIVE ON STAGE**

**Arlington Heights, Ill., January 16, 2018** – Griffin Theatre brings popular children's book *Frindle* to life onstage at Metropolis Performing Arts Centre February 20-23, 2018.

Nicholas Allen decides to invent a new word: from now on, a pen will be known as a "Frindle"! Before long, to the dismay of his Language Arts teacher Mrs. Granger, Nick's word begins to spread. This quirky, imaginative story about creative thought and the power of words is based on the award winning best-selling novel by Andrew Clements. *Recommended for grades 3-6.*

*Frindle* runs February 20 through February 23, 2018. Specific dates and time are listed below. Tickets are \$14 for adults and \$12 for children 12 and under, and can be purchased online at [MetropolisArts.com](http://MetropolisArts.com) or by calling the Box Office at 847.577.2121.

**More about Stories in Action!**

*Frindle* is part of Metropolis' Stories in Action! series – educational productions designed to feed the minds and imaginations of young audiences and bring families together through the performing arts. Watch for other upcoming Stories in Action! productions including *The Ugly Duckling* (April 3-13, 2018), *Hood* (May 3-5, 2018), and *Cinderella* (July 16-21, 2018).

By **booking a group** through our Group Sales department, you'll save over 15% on tickets, we'll waive the ticket handling fee, and you'll receive half price tickets for group chaperones. To discuss the needs of your group, contact Group Sales at 847.577.5982 x228 or e-mail [groups@metropolisarts.com](mailto:groups@metropolisarts.com).

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Metropolis is located in the heart of Chicago's northwest suburbs in downtown Arlington Heights at the intersection of Campbell and Vail Avenue (111 West Campbell Street). Street parking is available. Free parking is available in the public garage behind the theatre. For more information about Metropolis and list of upcoming performances, go to [MetropolisArts.com](http://MetropolisArts.com) or call the Box Office at 847.577.2121.

*Metropolis Performing Arts Centre provides professional entertainment and arts education, enriching our community.*

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