BARFEE
(to Chip, who has just been eliminated)
See you next year.

(Chip throws package of peanut M&Ms at Barfee.)
What are you nuts!

(sees what it is)
Nuts! You threw the yellow ones!
Will someone pick up the p–? I can’t be near the peanuts!

(Olive comes and picks up the package. Gives it back to Chip.)
You could be disqualified for that – if you hadn’t already been eliminated!

(Rona separates the kids.)

CHIP
You know something, Barf: I may have lost, but you are the biggest loser here.

(walks away)

BARFEE
Oh yeah? Well, that is a common misconception.

(Chip holds up and shakes a bag or two of peanut M&Ms to threaten Barfee. Rona grabs Chip and pulls him offstage.

Chip and Barfee shout ad-libs at each other as Chip exits [eg: Barfee – “This is a bully-free zone” from the original set, by Beowulf Boritt, that had that sign visible on stage])

OLIVE
Sorry about that – William, right? I’m Olive.

BARFEE
I know your name. Look, I do not need pity from a person named after a vegetable.

OLIVE
It’s a fruit.

BARFEE
Well it’s a disgusting fruit, and I can’t keep them down.

OLIVE
(this really is hurtful enough that she’ll give up and walk away)
Oh.

BARFEE
I guess it’s okay for a name though.
OLIVE
Did you know that if you switch the first two vowels in “Olive” it becomes “I love”?

BARFEE
(thinks about it)
Did you know that if you switch the first two vowels in “William” it becomes “William”?

OLIVE
Yeah but you can switch the next two – then it’s “will aim.”

BARFEE
Are these really the kind of things you think about?

OLIVE
Um. Yeah?

BARFEE
Okay.
I’m more of a science guy myself.

OLIVE
Well you’re also a really great speller.

BARFEE
Yeah? Thanks.

(Olive goes to join the others. After they have parted)
“Olive.” “I love.” That’s so retarded.