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**Dear Parents and Carers** 

## Re: West End Theatre Workshop

On Friday 10 December 2021 a visiting professional West End musical theatre performer will be running a workshop for students in Years 10, 12, and 13. The professional musical theatre star is currently a cast member of Dear Evan Hansen, and the workshop will explore a range of scenes and music from the show.

Receiving small group tuition from a current West End star is a unique and exciting opportunity which will benefit students' performance and confidence in relation to their music and drama studies and potentially also their future careers. The workshop will run from periods 1-4 and students will perform a 15-20 minute show during period 5 based on original staging and direction from Dear Evan Hansen. This performance will be open to parents and more details will follow, should your child be successful in gaining a place in the workshop.

There is no cost for this workshop, however, if you would like your child to be involved, please complete the online form here: <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/MRg5322EHP">https://forms.office.com/r/MRg5322EHP</a>. Alternatively, please email me directly at <a href="mailto:cbates1@st-martins.essex.sch.uk">cbates1@st-martins.essex.sch.uk</a>. Should we receive more interest than places available, places will be allocated by lot.

The deadline for response is Friday 19 November.

Yours sincerely

Mr C Bates **Teacher of Music**