

ONCE ON THIS ISLAND

Information Sheet

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| Director | Faith Russell | Choreographer | Andrew Coopman |
| Music Director | David Duvall | Stage Manager | Cassie Fitzgerald |

In almost non-stop Caribbean song and dance, Once on This Island tells the story of Ti Moune, a peasant girl who rescues and falls in love with Daniel, a wealthy boy from the other side of her island. When Daniel is returned to his people, the fantastical gods who rule the island guide Ti Moune on a quest to test the strength of her love against the powerful forces of prejudice and hatred.

Parts for up to 22 actors ages 13 – 19 and 1 actress, age 9- 12

Auditions: November 27 and 28 6:00pm- 9:00pm

Prepare: A contemporary monologue and musical theater song, not to exceed two minutes in total length.

Bring: Audition Form, Music, Photo and resume

Callbacks: November 30, 6:00pm- 9:30pm

Callback Prep: TBD

All casting notifications made by December 1.

Parent Meeting, 1st Rehearsal & Costume Measurements: Monday, December 4, 6:00pm @ Studio East, sign up begins at 5:30pm. Attendance is mandatory for each cast member and one parent. Parents may leave at 7:00pm.

Tuition: \$550 (Some Partial Scholarships available)

Scripts: Bring a pencil, eraser & 3-ring binder for your script. A photo copy of the script is included in your tuition. Script replacement cost is \$10.00.

PRODUCTION SCHEDULE: NO CONFLICTS January 15- February 10

Additional rehearsal conflicts added after the show has been cast will not be accepted.

Rehearsal schedules and updates will be sent out through email regularly to all cast members and their parents.

Fittings: Starting Jan. 2- Tech from 5:00pm- 7:00pm- scheduled individually as needed.

Rehearsals: Monday - Thursday, December 4 - January 11, 6:00pm - 9:00pm

No rehearsals December 15- January 1

Saturday, January 13, 1:30pm- 5:30pm

Monday - Thursday, January 15- 18, 6:00pm - 9:30pm

There is rehearsal on MLK Day

Tech Rehearsal: Saturday, January 20, 12:00pm - 8:00pm

Monday - Thursday, January 22- 25, 5:30pm - 9:30pm

Performances: January 26- February 10, 2018

Friday 7:30

Saturday 2:30 & 7:30

Cast headshots: TBD

Photo date: January 24

Production Requirements and Tuition Policy:

Parent Participation: We require that parents attend the parent meeting and volunteer to work on the show in some capacity. A description of all volunteer jobs will be included in the Parent Packet. We will be available at the parent meeting to answer volunteer questions. Sign up opportunities will be posted to SignUpGenius.

Tuition Policy:

Tuition for this program is \$550.00. Full tuition is due at the parent meeting. If you need financial assistance, please submit a financial aid application to our office before callbacks on Oct 1. We are unable to consider financial assistance if you wait until the parent meeting to apply.

Withdrawal from Production: There are no refunds.

- Withdrawals before 12/4/17: Tuition paid, less a \$100 recasting fee, will be held as a tuition credit and may be used for another Studio East production, class, or camp. You must use this credit by 11/27/18. Unused credits after this date will expire.
- Withdrawals after 12/4/17: There is no credit or refund.

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Calendar at a Glance

Not to be confused with the rehearsal schedule. Not all Actors are called to all rehearsals.

The Rehearsal Schedule will be emailed to you and is subject to change.

Additional rehearsal conflicts added after casting will not be approved.

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| 26 NOVEMBER | 27 Aud 6pm– 9pm | 28 Aud 6pm– 9pm | 29 | 30 C/B 6:00p– 9:30pm | 1 DECEMBER | 2 |
| 3 | 4 Parent Meeting Reh 6p– 9p | 5 Reh 6p– 9p | 6 Reh 6p– 9p | 7 Reh 6p– 9p | 8 | 9 |
| 10 | 11 Reh 6p– 9p | 12 Reh 6p– 9p | 13 Chanukah Starts Reh 6p– 9p | 14 Reh 6p– 9p | 15 | 16 |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| 30 | 1 JANUARY New Years Day | 2 School Resumes SE opens Fittings 5pm– 7pm Reh 6p– 9p | 3 Fittings 5pm– 7pm Reh 6p– 9p | 4 Fittings 5pm– 7pm Reh 6p– 9p | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 Fittings 5p –7p Reh 6p– 9p | 9 Fittings 5p –7p Reh 6p– 9p | 10 Fittings 5p –7p Reh 6p– 9p | 11 Fittings 5p –7p Reh 6p– 9p | 12 | 13 Reh 1:30p– 5:30p |
| 14 NO CONFLICTS BEGIN | 15 MLK Day– no School Fittings 5pm– 7pm Reh 6pm– 9:30pm | 16 Fittings 5pm– 7pm Reh 6pm– 9:30pm | 17 Fittings 5pm– 7pm Reh 6pm– 9:30pm | 18 Fittings 5pm– 7pm Reh 6pm– 9:30pm | 19 | 20 Tech 12pm– 8pm |
| 21 | 22 Dress 5:30pm– 9:30pm | 23 Dress 5:30pm– 9:30pm | 24 Dress/ Pix 5:30pm– 9:30pm | 25 Final Dress 5:30pm– 9:30pm | 26 7:30pm Gala | 27 7:30pm OOTI Perf |
| 28 | 29 No School BSD/ NSD | 30 | 31 | 1 FEBRUARY | 2 7:30pm OOTI Perf | 3 2:30pm OOTI Perf 7:30pm OOTI Perf |
| 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 7:30pm OOTI Perf | 10 2:30pm OOTI Perf 7:30 OOTI Close Strike/Cast Party |