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## Natalie's journey from Eaglestone...

... to 'The Lion King' in London's West End



- Natalie Kassanga was spotted by local music promoters MKVIBE in July 2007 in a Milton Keynes talent show outside Xscape in Central Milton Keynes. Her performance attracted hundreds and she was called back on stage for five encores.
- MKVIBE supported Natalie throughout the following year in prestige events at The Stadium mk ballroom, Madcap Theatre and solo performances around the city.

*'Natalie, at 11, is the youngest person represented by MKVIBE, though is without doubt one of the most talented young vocalists and performers in the country - a great find for Milton Keynes!'*

(from MKVIBE.com)

- In November 2007, Natalie won the coveted role of 'Nala' on the West End Disney stage production of *The Lion King*. She played to packed houses, three times a week, until July 2008.

*'The experience and training Natalie gained from her West End performances has been invaluable.'*

- In March 2008, Natalie was one of 10,000 entrants for the national competition *UK Unsigned* at London's Hackney Empire. She was unanimously awarded 1st place.

Natalie's tracks, videos and information on upcoming performances can be seen at [www.MKVIBE.com](http://www.MKVIBE.com)

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