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## **Grammy Award-Winning Music Producers Teach Workshops at Community Beat Clinic**

**NORFOLK, VA**— Music Theory Studios is hosting the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual MTS Beat Clinic, featuring Grammy Award-winning music producers Nottz (Kanye West, Travis Barker, Notorious B.I.G), Mr. Porter (over 200 Million Units sold w/ Eminem, Snoop Dogg, Busta Rhymes), Pete Rock (RUN D.M.C, Da La Soul, Common), Royce Da 5'9 (Eminem, Lil Wayne, Joe Budden), L.E.S. (Nas, Will Smith, Kendrick Lamar, Jadakiss), Royce Da 5'9, Lord Finesse, Diamond D, and Gabe Niles. Join us as they teach post-production and sound engineering, while giving gems on their success in the music industry at the MTS Beat Clinic on Saturday, September 28 from 12pm-5pm at Slover Library in Norfolk, VA.

Fueled by Music Theory Studios, the interactive and free beat clinic offers workshops, musical performances, arts and crafts activities, exclusive giveaways, a community Graffiti Wall and other opportunities to meet face to face with the most sought-after music producers and influencers in the music industry. The event will showcase Hampton Roads' rich cultural contributions by highlighting Norfolk-native Super Producer Nottz. Fans, friends, and music lovers of all ages will be taken on an exclusive journey behind creating a beat from start to finish.

*"We want to educate the community about true musicianship by providing an in-depth look into how music producers of this era create Grammy Award-winning beats," says Music Theory Studios' Co-Founder, Jazzarae Jones.*

*“This Beat Clinic is about giving back. It’s that simple—a free event that’s about what I love... MUSIC” says Nottz*

The mainstage performances and workshops will take place on the 6<sup>th</sup> floor of Slover Library with beautiful skyline views of Downtown Norfolk. Visitors of all ages can also enjoy performances, exhibits, vendors, and music and craft activities for throughout the building. This unique music experience will feature brass bands, live musicians, the hottest iHeart Radio DJs, BBoys/BGirls, dancers, and Jam Skaters. The Graffiti Wall encourages visitors a safely guided way to tap their inner artist and add to the magic of the day’s activities. This community art piece will serve as a reflection of how this eclectic community has come together to create moments that inspire and cultivate this artistic hub of legendary musicians and highlight the music industry’s most influential producers to date.

The City of Norfolk, Norfolk Redevelopment Housing Authority, iHeart Radio 103 Jamz and Native Instruments are key sponsors for #MTSBeatClinic. Music Theory Studios is also hosting a beat-making competition, where aspiring producers can create a beat for a chance win prizes, including two Native Instrument Beat Maschines, a private Super Producer Power Brunch, one Family One-Year Membership to Nauticus, and other giveaways from Selden Market shops with special guests. For more information, visit [musictheorystudios.com/mtsevents](http://musictheorystudios.com/mtsevents), or contact Jazzarae Jones [info@musictheorystudios.com](mailto:info@musictheorystudios.com)

***About Music Theory Studios:***

MTS is a Music Institute and Audio Recording / Production Studio that inhabits the community with professional music instruction and expertise. The unique music classes expose and raise awareness of the importance and power music education has on all people. For press inquiries, please contact: Jazzarae Jones [info@musictheorystudios.com](mailto:info@musictheorystudios.com)

***About Slover Library:***

Slover Library blends traditional library functions with the best of contemporary library resources and services. The innovative space design creates a vital and dynamic center of community learning, leading-edge technology and civic engagement, available to all citizens of the region. An example of a dynamic public library, it is known as an attraction for residents and visitors alike.

Slover Library is located in beautiful downtown Norfolk on the corner of Plume and Atlantic Street near MacArthur Square and the MacArthur Memorial. Call (757) 431-7491 for more information.

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