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Dear Parent/Carer

Author Visit – Taran Matharu: Friday 19 October 2018

We are delighted to announce that Taran Matharu, author of the Summoner series, will be visiting Ashlyns on Friday 19 October to talk about his books and the creative writing process. Taran became a New York Times best-selling author at only 26 years old and is currently the Book Trust's writer in residence.

Year 8 and 9 students will be attending a talk for one lesson on this day to support the English curriculum. This is an excellent opportunity for students to hear how Taran used the online social storytelling platform, Wattpad, to write his fantasy books, which are now published in 15 territories.

Taran's books can be ordered and paid for in advance on WisePay at a discounted rate of £5.00. Please note that the deadline for advance ordering is Monday 15 October. Students are welcome to bring cash on the day to purchase a book in the LRC after the event.

Yours sincerely

Ms R Lambert
LRC Manager