

LONG WHARF THEATRE

Welcome to Long Wharf Theatre!

Thank you for joining LWT for *The Year of Magical Thinking*! This will be a unique theatrical event, and we want to make sure you feel welcome, comfortable, and prepared. Take a moment to review all of the information below and let us know if you have any questions!

What to Expect

Long Wharf Theatre's site-specific production of *The Year of Magical Thinking* is staged in a series of living rooms and gathering spaces throughout the Greater New Haven area. The production is designed to honor the play's intimate, conversational nature and will be performed for only 15-50 audience members at a time. Unlike at a traditional theater venue, there will be very minimal production elements such as scenery or lighting. Everyone will have a premium seat up-close to the performance, but there is no audience participation.

Where to Go

If you are seeing the show in a Living Room, the exact location of the event will be sent to you via email on the morning of the performance. This helps to keep our hosts anonymous.

If you're attending a gathering space performance, please visit [The Year of Magical Thinking](#) webpage for addresses and locations.

Accessibility

Please contact the Box Office to let us know if you have any accessibility needs.

Allergies

Some living room spaces are home to pets. However, no animals will be present in the space during the performance. A detailed list of allergen free places can be found on our webpage.

When To Arrive

We encourage you to arrive 10-15 minutes prior to your performance start time. Please be prompt as there is no late seating. If you are running late, please text the box office at [203.693.1483](tel:203.693.1483) or email: boxoffice@longwharf.org. We will add you to the waitlist for another performance and contact you if seats become available.

Gathering Spaces: Doors to the theatre spaces will open 30 minutes before the show time. There will be no late seating.

Living Rooms: Please arrive no earlier than 15 minutes before the performance. Patrons may be asked to wait briefly before the full group is welcomed into the space. There will be no late seating.

This play invites you into the character's personal life and this production invites you into a host's personal space. Please keep in mind that you will be a guest in a real home.

Run of Show

The Year of Magical Thinking will run approximately 90 minutes with no intermission. If you step-out during the performance, there will be no re-entry. Join us for a post-show conversation after each performance.

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COVID Protocols

Masks are not required unless specified on a per performance basis. Long Wharf Theatre reserves the right to require masking for audience members. Should this be the case, ticket holders will be notified in advance.

Food & Drink

There will be no food or drink allowed within the performance space.

About Long Wharf Theatre

Established in 1965 at the start of the regional theatre movement, Long Wharf Theatre was born on the notion that New Haven deserves an active arts culture that is locally created. Our founders shared the dream of starting a professional theatre company in Connecticut, built with the aid of community leaders and supporters of the arts. In 2022, Long Wharf Theatre announced the departure from its longtime space at Sargent Drive to begin a new *Path Forward* — the start of an exciting next chapter of bringing theatre to spaces and stages across Greater New Haven. Our company has received national and international renown, recognized for a historic commitment to commissioning, developing, and producing new work and serving as a beloved artistic home for playwrights, directors, designers, and performers. Learn more at <https://longwharf.org>

This production is presented in partnership with Keen Company, a Drama Desk and Obie Award-winning Off-Broadway company creating theater that connects.

Questions or Cancellations?

Please call our Box Office at [203.693.1483](tel:203.693.1483) or email us at boxoffice@longwharf.org if you have questions on the day of the event.