

Congratulations on your FIRST live performance at the Hashtag Bar and Grille!

Q. Hi Matthew, Please tell us how old you are and when you started taking music lessons at the Staten Island School of ROCK?

Matthew: I am 11 years old. I started this year.

Q. Can you tell us what you love about your teacher at the Staten Island School of ROCK?

Matthew: I like Dani because she is a good teacher.

Q. You recently performed live at The Hashtag Bar and Grille on Staten Island. Was that your first live show?

Matthew: Yes it was.

Q. What song did you sing?

Matthew: 'I Saw Her Standing There' by the Beatles.

Q. What was it like to perform on a stage with all those people cheering for you?

Matthew: I felt happy!

Q. What did you do to prepare yourself for the show? What did your music teacher review with you to prepare you for your performance?

Matthew: I went to the School of Rock to practice with Dani and Scott. I sang with them.

Q. Why do you like taking lessons at the Staten Island School of ROCK?

Matthew: Because it's fun.

Q: How did it feel when you were done singing and all of your fans were screaming your name?

Matthew: I Did It!

Q: Thank you so much for taking-the time to be interviewed today. Do you have anything you'd like to tell those kids who want be a performer like you?

Matthew: It feels good to be on stage!

