

# DON QUIXOTE

Teeming with comedy, wit and an abundance of bravura choreography, Carlos Acosta's production brings the Spanish heat and romance of Miguel de Cervantes' classic novel *Don Quixote* to life.

Often regarded as the first modern novel, Cervantes' epic regales the chivalrous adventures of the eccentric nobleman Don Quixote (Gary Avis) and his faithful squire Sancho Panza (Liam Boswell). The ballet focuses on one of their adventures, where they help to bring a vivacious young couple, Kitri (Mayara Magri) and Basilio (Matthew Ball), together.



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#### AUDIO FORMATS



MUSIC

BALLET



16:9

RUNNING TIME APPROX.  
127 MINUTES (BALLET); 8 MINUTES (EXTRAS)

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#### THE ROYAL BALLET

DIRECTOR KEVIN O'HARE CBE  
DON QUIXOTE GARY AVIS  
SANCHO PANZA LIAM BOSWELL  
LORENZO THOMAS WHITEHEAD  
KITRI MAYARA MAGRI  
BASILIO MATTHEW BALL  
GAMACHE JAMES HAY  
ESPADA CALVIN RICHARDSON  
MERCEDES LETICIA DIAS  
DULCINEA NADIA MULLOVA-BARLEY  
KITRI'S FRIENDS SOPHIE ALLNATT, SAE MAEDA  
TWO MATADORS DAVID DONNELLY, JOSEPH SISSENS  
GYPSY COUPLE HANNAH GRENNELL,  
LEO DIXON  
THE QUEEN OF THE DRYADS ANNETTE BUVOI  
AMOUR ISABELLA GASPARINI  
CONDUCTOR VALERY OVSYANIKOV  
ORCHESTRA OF THE ROYAL OPERA HOUSE  
PRINCIPAL GUEST CONCERT MASTER  
VASKO VASSILEV  
BY ARRANGEMENT WITH TRITTICO  
PRODUCTION AND CHOREOGRAPHY  
CARLOS ACOSTA AFTER MARIUS PETIPA  
MUSIC LUDWIG MINKUS  
ARRANGED AND ORCHESTRATED BY  
MARTIN YATES  
DESIGNER TIM HATLEY  
LIGHTING DESIGNER HUGH VANSTONE  
STAGING CHRISTOPHER SAUNDERS  
DIRECTED FOR THE SCREEN BY  
ROSS MACGIBBON

#### EXTRA FEATURES

Cast and creatives discuss *Don Quixote*  
Mayara Magri and Matthew Ball in  
conversation with Darcey Bussell  
Cast gallery

