

Matilda

Musical by Dennis Kelly

BRUCE

Ok - look, alright – I stole the cake! And honestly – I was definitely sort of almost thinking about owning up! Well... maybe... But the thing was, I was having a lot of trouble with my belly. You see – the Trunchbull's cake was SO GOOD, that I scoffed it down too quick. And now it was beginning to fight back...[stomach rumbles loudly] Oops... see?... and then right in the middle of Matilda getting blamed... [pause] It was the biggest burp I'd ever done! It was the biggest burp I'd ever heard. It was the biggest burp I'd have heard about. It was like the entire world went silent for that burp to exist. As a huge cloud of chocolaty gas wafted from my mouth and drifted across the class... past Lavender, past Alice, past Matilda, and then, my great big beautiful chocolaty burp took on a mind of its own... and it flew into the face of The Trunchbull!