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TANFIELD SCHOOL

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2nd May 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am delighted to announce that ITV will be filming some scenes for the next series of their crime drama "Vera" at Tanfield School on Tuesday 14th May 2019.

This is a very exciting opportunity for the school, as it will involve a number of our own students who have been asked to appear in the production.

Lessons will run as normal and there will be no impact on the curriculum. However, this is naturally going to cause a small amount of disruption, which we will endeavour to keep to a minimum. The crew will be setting up in the main carpark at the front of the school from 8am meaning the main gates to the school will be locked to the public. Therefore, visitors will not be able to report to main reception until filming finishes and we apologise in advance for the inconvenience.

For safeguarding purposes, all other gates and entrances will remain locked as usual and we kindly request that visitors do not attempt to access the school site during this time as it is likely to interfere with the shooting of the production. However, if you do need to access school on Tuesday 14th May, can I please ask that you ring in advance so we can arrange access using an alternative entrance.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me in school.

Yours faithfully,

Mr C Jones Deputy Headteacher