



21 January 2019

Dear Parents

INSET DAY – Monday 25 February 2019

Firstly, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your on-going support and for helping to make the start to this new academic year such a positive one.

As you know, The Suthers School is firmly committed to delivering a truly outstanding education for all students, underpinned by our commitment to developing 5 key character strengths: tenacity, optimism, respect, curiosity and hard work.

Since first opening in September 2017, we have been at the forefront of the Trust's 'Novation' agenda and as part of our ongoing work to develop a world-class curriculum which includes a bespoke character education programme, the Trust directors have given permission for us to hold an additional INSET day this year. School will therefore be closed on **Monday 25 February**.

We appreciate the impact this will have on families but we consider that the potential rewards for future school development to be in the long-term interests of all of our students.

Thank you again for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Andrew Pettit
Head of School