

## VERNON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## Meet the author - Visiting author coming to Vernon on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May!

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am delighted to let you know about a very exciting opportunity taking place next week. On **Thursday 9th May**, children's author, Radhika Sanghani, is visiting Vernon Primary school on the day her debut children's novel, 'The Girl Who Couldn't Lie' is published! Radhika is already an award-winning author, having published several adult/YA novels and is also a freelance journalist for publications like the Telegraph, Daily Mail, Grazia and Glamour. She will be speaking to the children from Years 4, 5 and 6 about her wonderful new book. The children will be able to experience this real-life author discussing her incredible novel, and have the opportunity to ask questions. We are delighted to be working with 'Simply Books' in Bramhall, who are cohosting this event. Simply books is now owned by one of our former Vernon teachers, Karen Johns, and we are thrilled to be collaborating with her on this and many future projects to inspire the next generation of authors and readers. Our children will be the very first in the country to have the opportunity to purchase this book and have it signed by the author herself.

If you would like to pre-order the book, please make a payment of £8.25 via spider. Your child will then receive their personalised signed copy of the book on the day itself. Radhika Sanghani will also be signing books at Simply Books in Bramhall on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May at 4.00pm.

We are extremely excited to welcome Radhika into school to promote her love of literature and we hope that this will be an enriching experience for all the children.

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Yours faithfully,

Mrs S McNeil Assistant Headteacher



