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**JANE E. TUITT ELEMENTARY RE-OPENS FOR OPEN HOUSE ON
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25TH, 2024**

The Virgin Islands Department of Education (VIDE) informs the public that the Jane E. Tuitt Elementary School will resume normal operations for the Open House on Friday, October 25, 2024.

Due to a sewage line problem affecting the campus, the school was closed on Thursday, October 24, 2024. During this time students engaged in virtual learning to ensure instructional continuity. Immediate action was taken by district officials and Waste Management technicians were on site early Thursday morning to repair the damaged sewage line.

Jane E. Tuitt Elementary, along with all schools across the St. Thomas-St. John district, will open for Parental Conferences / Open House from 8:15 a.m. – 12 noon, Friday, October 25, 2024. Jane E. Tuitt Elementary students will resume in-person learning on Monday, October 28, 2024.

The VIDE extends gratitude to parents, students, faculty, and staff for their cooperation during this period. Ensuring the safety and well-being of all stakeholders remains a top priority for VIDE as we manage day-to-day school operations.

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