



APPLICATIONS FOR FILMING, PHOTOGRAPHY, OR BROADCAST

READ THESE NOTES CAREFULLY BEFORE COMPLETING THE ATTACHED FORM

Thank you for enquiring about the use of Middle Temple for filming, photography or broadcast. Before we can consider your request please complete the attached application form and return it to the Events Office as above. Please note that requests will not be considered unless this form has been received. Please give as much notice as possible; a form received with less than two weeks' notice is unlikely to be successful even for small requests.

Middle Temple is a commercial and residential area and there are people living and working here throughout the year. This includes vacation periods. All requests have to be considered against this background.

In general Middle Temple is open to proposals for filming, photography and broadcasts. We are aware of the historic context that is sometimes required for documentaries and the like, but we are also happy to look at proposals for feature films or stills photography for a range of purposes. However, we reserve the right to refuse a request without giving a reason.

There is no substitute for a visit to Middle Temple to be clear what it is that is required and where. We cannot accept requests that are vague on (for example) the exterior locations required within the grounds. Among the factors that have to be considered are the impact on the life of Middle Temple, how people move around and what other activities (including building maintenance) may be affected. A general 'right to roam' and to decide what space to use on the day is not permitted. If you are not familiar with Middle Temple grounds and buildings please arrange a visit.

When the Inn accepts larger film productions we encourage our filming partners to directly donate, proportionate to the inconvenience caused to life around the Inn, to two important organisations.

The Temple Residents Association assists residential tenants of the Inn to maintain their community, a community which is often inconvenienced most by larger scale filming, and whose support is vital to such activities continuing at the Inn.

The Barristers' Benevolent Association exists to help past and present practising members of the bar in England and Wales, including the judiciary, and their families and dependants, often in time of ill health or when careers/income are affected. As the Inn is surrounded by chambers, which can be affected by filming, we have identified this association as a good way to support those in the profession who may be struggling, for whatever reason

If you have any queries please include them with the form.

Kind regards
Middle Temple Events Department