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Dear Parents/Carers

### Industrial Action Wednesday 15 March and Thursday 16 March 2023

Further to my previous communications, I am writing to inform you of some significant changes in our plans for the strikes planned to take place on Wednesday 15 and Thursday 16 March.

Unfortunately, as was suspected following the announcement from the NEU that they have recently recruited several thousand teachers to the union, it will not be possible to remain open for all year groups this week.

As a school, we have tried to limit the impact of the industrial action on our children and families, but, given the significantly increased potential number of colleagues who will be taking strike action this week, it is not possible for me to guarantee that we can safely open the school for all students.

With this in mind, please refer to the table below which outlines our plan for the two days:

Date	On site	Remote learning where possible
Wednesday 15 March	Year 11 Year 8	Year 7 Year 9 Year 10
Thursday 16 March	Year 11 Year 7	Year 8 Year 9 Year 10

Details of how to access the remote learning will be shared tomorrow.

I am hopeful that this will be the last industrial action of the year as the Government and Unions work to resolve the current national dispute and will provide further updates as and when I am able to do so.

Thank you as always, for your continued support and understanding.

Yours sincerely

D Kelly  
Headteacher

