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Dear Parents/Carers

Re:-Industrial Action March 2023

As you are aware the National Education Union are holding two more strike days (Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> of March). As it seems highly unlikely that the strike will be called off, I am informing you of our plans for the strike days now, to enable you to plan accordingly.

The school will be partially closed to students. The following students should attend school as normal:

- All students who attend ALP on that day.
- All students who access the Residential Provision.
- There are other students who have been identified to attend by Senior Leaders and their parents/carers will be contacted on an individual basis

School Transport for those pupils will be arranged as usual.

As teachers are taking industrial action, there will not be any live lessons or additional work set. I cannot direct staff who are not taking strike action to cover for striking colleagues.

I respect the reasons for the Industrial action and fully appreciate that this will cause disruption for parents. I am unable to open the school fully on these days due to the potential impact of the Industrial Action on the Health & Safety of the pupils and staff. I hope the Government and the Trade Unions are able to reach an agreement quickly so that any disruption to education is minimised.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours sincerely

Rachel M Davies Headteacher

