

20<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

You will likely be aware that members of the Education union the NEU have voted in favour of strike action. Action is planned to take place on the following days which will affect the school:

- 1 February
- 14 February
- 28 February
- 15 and 16 March

This is the result of a national pay dispute between Education unions and the government, it is not due to any actions taken by the school, and it is a matter for the unions and the government to resolve independently of the school.

We are pleased to be able to let you know that the school will be able to remain open as normal during these dates. Please ensure that your child attends school as usual, attendance remains mandatory as it is for all school days despite the strike action. The school will follow its usual procedures for unauthorised absences.

We thank you for your understanding and co-operation during this time. If you have any questions, please contact the office on number 01458 333127.

Kind regards

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CEO