

07.02.23

Industrial Action
Tuesday, 14th of February, 2023

Dear Parent / Guardian,

The second day of industrial action by the members of the National Education Union is planned for Tuesday the 14th of February. Once again, following full consideration of the impact on learners, and in agreement with the Chair of Governors, the school will have to operate in the same way as for the previous strike, which is outlined below.

The decision to partially close the school is never taken lightly or without careful consideration on the safe running of the school and impact on learners. I am aware of the inconvenience caused to parents and guardians, therefore am writing to inform you of the impact of the action on the school. We will be:

- 1. Open to learners in YEARS 11-13**
- 2. Closed to all learners in YEARS 7-10. The arrangements below outline how work will be set for learners in years 7-10:**
 - Work will be posted via the Teams (accessible via Hwb) platform for your child.
 - The work will be set for in your child's class 'Team' for each individual subject.
 - The work should be completed during your child's normal timetable.
 - There will be no live lessons on Tuesday.

Naturally, some staff will be absent due to illness on Tuesday and others may be striking. Work will not be set for classes where staff are absent from school. Unfortunately, we will not be able to inform pupils about this beforehand.

The mock examinations scheduled for year 10 on Tuesday will be re-scheduled for Thursday. Can I remind you that there is an INSET day for staff on Friday the 17th of February, therefore the school will be closed for all pupils.

If your child does not have a laptop to access Teams, then would you kindly please complete [this form](#) by midday on Friday the 10.02.23. We will then ensure that one is available for your child to borrow to be able to complete any work set on Wednesday.

We are aware that there are plans for further industrial action, and will inform you of the impact of such actions on the school at the earliest possible opportunity. If you have any further questions, do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

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