

10.07.23

Industrial Action
Thursday, 13th of July, 2023

Dear Parent / Guardian,

Following the letter shared last week here: [NASUWT industrial action 130723](#), the NASUWT teaching union has informed Swansea Council that it intends to stage localised industrial strike action at secondary schools in Swansea on Thursday 13 July 2023. Following full consideration of the impact on learners, and in agreement with the Chair of Governors, the school will have to operate as 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 YEAR 12**
- 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 Thursday the 13th 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.

If your child does not have a laptop to access Teams, then would you kindly please complete [this short questionnaire](#) by midday on Wednesday the 12.07.23. We will then ensure that one is available for your child to borrow to be able to complete any work set on Thursday the 13.07.23.

We are aware that there are plans for further industrial action in the Autumn term 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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