



FAIR FIELD
JUNIOR SCHOOL

Fair Field Junior School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Strike Action 1st March

As you will be aware, the NEU teaching union has declared strike action. The strike action is planned to take place on the following dates:

- Wednesday 1 March 2023
- Wednesday 15 March 2023
- Thursday 16 March 2023

The NEU teaching union is striking because of a national dispute between the unions and the government over teachers' pay and conditions, sector funding and recruitment, and not because of any issues at our school.

I am now able to advise you of the organisational arrangements for **Wednesday 1st March**. We will, of course, provide information regarding the other dates in due course. Please note that the plans are likely to be different for each strike day. Several classes will be closed on the strike day. No remote learning will be provided. We recognise this will be inconvenient for you.

If your child's class is closed and you are entitled to Free School Meals, you are able to collect a packed lunch from school that day so please inform the school office if you would like to collect a packed lunch.

Breakfast Club will be running for all children whose classes are open that day and after school club (Cherish Kids) will be open for ALL children who normally attend. All after school clubs will also run as normal.

The classes that will be closed on Wednesday 1st March are: **3 Lime, 3 Jade, 4 Pine and 6 Olive**

In the event that negotiations between the Government and the Education Unions see the strikes called off or postponed, the school will be able to open as normal on these dates. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

Yours faithfully

Kind Regards

Mrs Goodwin

Head of School