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Dear Parents/Carers

NEU Strike Action – Wednesday 01 February 2023

As you are probably aware from media coverage, there are a number of ongoing disputes between UK and Welsh Government and a range of public sector trade unions.

The National Education Union (NEU) has notified schools of their intended industrial action, which will take place on:

- Wednesday 01 February 2023;
- Tuesday 14 February 2023;
- Wednesday 15 March 2023; and
- Thursday 16 March 2023.

I regret to inform you that the school will be closed to all pupils on Wednesday 01 February 2023. Consequently, please do not send your child to school on this day. At this stage, I am unable to confirm the position for the other dates. However, I will review the situation and update you with our intention by no later than one-week in advance of the specified date.

There will not be any online lessons during this day, however, it is expected that pupils undertake independent study by accessing the following websites or their Teams account:

Online Resources: Some subjects have general resources on Teams

Key Stage 3 (Years 7 to 9)

BBC Bitesize: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z4kw2hv>

Key Stage 4 (Years 10 and 11)

BBC Bitesize: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z98jmp3>

WJEC Resources: <https://resources.wjec.co.uk/default.aspx>

Key Stage 5 (Years 12 and 13)

WJEC Resources: <https://resources.wjec.co.uk/default.aspx>

Parents of Students in Years 12 and 13

As a result of this strike action, the Year 12/13 Parents' Evening will now be moved to Wednesday 15 February.

We will continue to work closely with our local staff union representatives to keep up-to-date with the situation and I will notify you, once further updates are made available to me.

Yours sincerely

DIANE GILL

Headteacher