

TGS - STRIKE ACTION - WEDNESDAY 1ST MARCH

Thursday, 23/02/2023
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To Prime Parents of: 

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Dear Families,

Strike Action

The school has received notification from the NEU trade union that its members propose to take strike action on Wednesday March 1st. This action relates to a national dispute.

A sizeable number of the staff are members of this union and therefore the school will be affected by the strike action. Consequently, I have undertaken a risk assessment for the school to ensure the safety and wellbeing of our students on the strike day and have decided that it is necessary for the school to partially close due to the number of staff who are likely to be involved in the strike.

Years 13, 12 and 10 will attend their normal lessons and planned activities on that day.

For Years **11, 9, 8 and 7** we will be providing resources to support home learning and revision, as well as the usual information on Go4Schools and in Google Classroom.

There will be activities for students to access via our home learning page: <https://tgschool.net/home-learning>. These will help students review learning from earlier in the year, explore forthcoming topics and develop their maths and reading.

For students who are approaching exams there will also be guidance on what and how to revise on our web page: <http://tgschool.net/revision> and **Year 11** are also welcome to attend school to complete this revision work together. There will be study spaces and resources available, this will include the opportunity to complete any remaining coursework.

Students in **Year 11 who attend must remain in school for the whole day and sign in by the piano** before going to the Lightwell.

For students in **Year 10**, their planned March exams will still take place. Year 10 students should arrive to school at the usual time and **go straight to their usual exam spaces** (G block snack shack for students with exam access arrangements, or the back of the Sports Hall) to be registered.

Students who are in receipt of free school meals will receive a food voucher.

If there are any further developments at a national level, and if strike action is averted then this will be communicated to you.

If you have any further questions or need additional support for your child on the strike day, please do not hesitate to contact me at hyapp@tgschool.net. Thank you for your continued support and engagement.

Yours Sincerely,

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