



26 January 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

Further to my letter at the end of last week we are now in a position to confirm details for the campus next Wednesday, 1st February.

As outlined last week, members of our teaching staff will make their own decision about strike action and I do understand why they would feel compelled to take this action.

We know these strikes will cause disruption to many schools and anyone with children of a school age, including non-striking staff. This also means that some of our staff not involved in the action are not available for work due to the strikes impacting on their families.

Taking all of the factors into consideration including the health and safety implications of having so few staff and not being able to direct other staff to take up the duties of striking staff the campus will not be open to the majority of students.

I can confirm the following:

- The campus will be open to our Post 16 students, please note however that staff may not be on campus to teach but students can use the time for independent study. Transport to the campus for Post 16 students will operate as normal.
- Years 7 - 11 should follow their normal timetable and lessons will be provided either via a live link or work in the Google Classroom. **There may be some gaps in provision in which case students should refer to the remote provision document below:**

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- Planned exams will run as normal.
- Students who are entitled to FSM will be contacted directly to offer an alternative to ensure they have food.
- Students we know to be vulnerable will be invited into school and parents/carers will be contacted. Transport to the campus, for these students, will operate as normal.

I hope that the Government and Unions can come to an agreement and minimise the disruption to education moving forwards.

Yours sincerely

W Teece
Headteacher