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FAQ's – NEU Industrial Action Wednesday 1st February 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

I wrote to you last week to notify you that the NEU will be going ahead with Industrial Strike Action on Wednesday 1st February 2023.

The school office has been asked a few questions about the day, therefore we have put together some of the 'frequently asked questions' to help parents and carers plan for the day.

Will my child be able to come to school on Wednesday 1st February 2023?

The school will only be open to children in Year 4 and Nursery on the day.

Will Breakfast Club and After School Homework Club be open on this day?

Breakfast Club and After School Club will be available to pupils in school on the day (Year 4). If your child is not in school on Wednesday, please login to MCAS and cancel your booking, this will credit your account.

Will Rhino Gymnastics Club go ahead on the day?

Yes, Rhino Gymnastics club will go ahead. Children in Year 4 will go straight from class, children not in school can arrive at the school office at 3.15 to meet the Rhino Coach. Collection is at 4.15 as usual.

My child receives a Free School Meal hot dinner in school, can they still take their free lunch?

Last week we sent out a form for parents to book a packed lunch for 1st February. You can book [HERE](#) until the end of the day. Parents can come into school at 11am on 1st February 2023 to collect.

I have a child in Year 4, however my other child is not in school due to the strike, if my Year 4 child does not attend school on this day will the absence be authorised?

As per DFE guidance, if your child is able to come to school, they must come to school as usual. An absence of this kind will be marked as 'unauthorised' on the register.

Will the strike action affect my child's attendance record?

No. Children in classes that are closed on the day will have an authorised absence.

If you have any other questions or queries, please do not hesitate to get in touch with the school office via Office@tgs.nor.olicatschools.org.

Yours sincerely,

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