

National Teaching Strike Update

25th April 2023

Dear families,

Following on from the ongoing strike action of the National Education Union (NEU), we would like to share with you the schedule for Thursday 27th April and Tuesday 2nd May.

- We have again assessed the situation, and this poses disruption the normal operation of the Academy. As a result, the following measures will be in place:

Arrangements for Thursday 27th April and Tuesday 2nd May **ONLY**

- The Academy will be open as usual to Year 7 students.
- The Academy will be closed to Year 8 students.
- The Academy will be closed to Year 9 students.
- The Academy will be closed to Year 10 students.
- The Academy will be open for Year 11 Students.
- The Academy will be open for those in our HI/PI Provision.
- Students in Year 7 and Year 11 are expected in school and in normal taught lessons. **The usual legal requirement to send your child to school applies – as does their attendance record.**
- Students in 8/9/10 will receive specific home learning guidance via online or other resources. **This will not impact their personal attendance record. More guidance on this will be issued nearer the time.**
- Students (all year groups) that are in our Hearing Impaired and Physically Impaired Provisions will come into school as normal and be based in the provision base.

The Academy will be open as normal on Friday 28th April.

I apologise for any disruption that this may cause and hope you understand that this is out of our control.

I am hoping that after this set of national strikes that there will be no more disruptions.

Yours faithfully,



Mr D Watkin: Headteacher