



31st January 2023

Dear Parents,

Information about the strike day tomorrow

We have many of our teachers striking tomorrow which means that normal lessons will not go ahead. However, we have done everything possible to stay open for you so that you do not have childcare issues and lose pay yourselves.

I am sure you understand that tomorrow will be very unusual for the children as many will have support staff looking after them.

Our teachers have our full support for the strike but we are choosing to stay open to help families, especially as this falls at a time of economic difficulty for many.

Please could children come to school in clothes suitable for PE but warm enough to keep on all day as some classes will have extra PE slots.

We have had some parents saying they want to support the strike by keeping children off school tomorrow. We understand your feelings on this completely. We have checked the legal stance on this and children not in school for this reason will be marked as unauthorised absence.

We will do our very best to keep things as normal as possible for your children tomorrow. However, if you are worried at all because of your child's individual needs please let us know so that we can try to reassure you.

Best wishes,

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