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Dear Parents and Carers

Industrial Action By National Education Union (NEU) Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July 2023

Further to my letter dated 21st July 2023, I am writing to update you on the likely impact of the action being taken by members of the National Education Union on **Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July 2023.** If the action goes ahead the school will most likely be partially closed. The table below indicates which classes are likely to be open and which are likely to be closed.

Class	Wednesday 5 th July	Friday 7 th July
Nursery	Open	Open
Class 2	Open	Open
(Reception)		
Class 3	Open	Open
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Class 4 (Year 1)	Open	Open
Class 5 (Year 1)	Open	Open
Class 6 (Year 2)	Closed	Closed
Class 7 (Year 2)	Open	Closed
Class 8 (Year 3)	Closed	Closed
Class 9 (Year 3)	Closed	Closed
Class 10 (Year 4)	Open	Closed
Class 11 (Year 4)	Open	Closed
Class 12 (Year 5)	Open	Closed
Class 13 (Year 5)	Open	Closed
Class 14 (Year 6)	Open	Closed
Class 15 (Year 6)	Open	Open

The action being taken by NEU members at Chuckery is part of the ongoing campaign for a fully funded, above inflation pay increase for teachers. The NEU have stated the action is taken to ensure enough money is available to pay a fully funded increase in pay for teachers which at least matches inflation, and which begins to restore lost pay.



We fully understand the disruption this may cause and reassure parents that action is never taken lightly, and the union members feel it is in the long-term best interests of your children, so they receive a properly funded education.

I will provide a further update on the situation nearer the time.

Yours sincerely

James Pearce Headteacher