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Dear Parent/Carer

The NEU union have declared further strike action, which will take place on Wednesday 15th March and Thursday 16th March. The strike is happening because of a national dispute between the unions and the Government over teachers' pay and conditions, and not because of any issues at our school. St Anne's will be partially closed on these dates and I have used DFE guidance to inform the plan for this partial closure.

- **Year 1, Year 3 and Year 5 will NOT attend on Wednesday 15th March.** All other classes should attend as normal.
- **Year 2, Year 4 and Year 5 will NOT attend on Thursday 16th March.** All other classes should attend as normal.
- Pupils eligible for benefits related free school meals who are not attending school will be able to order and collect a packed lunch on these days.

Specific work will not be set for the day of the strike. However, children can access a range of websites to continue learning at home. These include:

- <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning>
- <https://trockstars.com/>
- <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>
- <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/>
- <https://www.thenational.academy/>
- <https://twinkl.co.uk>

It would also be beneficial to read at home and complete any outstanding homework. Please visit the home learning section of the school website for information.

I am sorry that you will have to make alternative arrangements for your child at short notice, and that they will experience disruption to their education. St Anne's remains committed to providing a safe and secure environment for our pupils and delivering high-quality teaching.

We are working closely with our staff union representatives to keep up to date with the situation, and I will inform you as soon as possible if arrangements change further.

As always, I thank you for your continued cooperation.

Yours sincerely

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