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Friday 24th February 2023

Dear Parent / Carer,

Re: Advance Notice of Strike Action by Teacher Unions – Thursday 2nd March

I am writing to confirm with you our arrangements for Thursday 2nd March:

- All classes with teachers who are striking will not have lessons for the day.
- Any classes with teachers who are not striking, students will need to work from home with set tasks from these teachers, where possible on Satchel.one and Teams. If there is no access to IT, we have asked these teachers to ensure students are given access to work they can do offline by Monday 27th February.
- We will audit our Year 11 students so that any Year 11 students without a quiet place to study have let us know and we can arrange adequate provision for them to study in rooms at school.
- All KS5 students may continue independent study at home.
- Special arrangements will also be made for students with specific contexts. The safeguarding team will organise this on a case-by-case basis.
- Any students that are on site and in receipt of a free school meal will have access to this.
- For students at home who are also in receipt of a free school meal, we are able to provide lunch on site. You must let us know by clicking here https://forms.office.com/e/DBKkvYZUwd before 12pm on Monday 27th February. Students will need to be on site at 12:30pm in full school uniform and will be dismissed at 1:10pm.

Please note that this means that for this day, there may not be work set for every subject for every child. There may be periods of the day where students have no work set.

All members of staff who are not striking will be on site as normal.

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.

If you have any questions, please email us at contactus@rooksheath.harrow.sch.uk or call your child's Head of Year.

I would like to thank you once again, for your support.

Yours sincerely

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