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Industrial Action

19th January 2023

Dear Parents / Carers

I am writing to inform you that the National Education Union (NEU) has voted to take industrial action. There are four planned days for strike action for London schools and these are as follows:

- Wednesday 1st February
- Thursday 2nd March
- Wednesday 15th March
- Thursday 16th March (Please refer to further information included in this letter for Year 4).

As a result, we will have a partial school closure on **Wednesday 1st February** which means the following classes will be closed:

- Tiger
- Tudor
- Victorian
- York
- Stuart

Please note that any NEU members are not required to inform their employer if they are taking action. This means we could have classes, in addition to the classes listed above. If I am required close classes at short notice on the 1st February and this affects your child's class you will receive a phone call asking you to come and collect.

All other children not affected by strike action are expected to attend. If the strikes are averted we will be open to all children on these days as normal. We will communicate separately and directly with those parent/carers who have responsibility for children deemed as vulnerable.

No after school clubs are affected and clubs on Wednesday 1st February will go ahead.

Please note that the Year 4 teaching team will be going ahead with the planned trip on the 16th March 2023, so Celtic, Stuart and Tudor will not be closed on this day even if the strike action goes ahead.

In order to ensure that all children eligible for Universal Infant Free School Meals (this is all children in Reception, Year 1 & Year 2) as well as all KS2 children eligible for Free School Meals we



are able to provide a packed lunch for the affected children. This will be sent home at the day before the day of strike action. If you would like your child to be provided with a packed lunch for the strike days please let us know by Friday 27th January by emailing Office@charvilleacademy.org.

I will inform all parents/carers if or when I know further details of the classes affected for the strike dates scheduled in March.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact a member of the senior leadership team.

Yours Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "N Kelly". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.

MRS N KELLY
Headteacher