



Sutton in Craven C.E (V.C) Primary School

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Notification of Teachers' Industrial Strike Action

Dear Parents and Carers

As you may be aware from the recent media coverage, National Education Union (NEU) have balloted their members with regards to taking industrial action over concerns relating to pay. The strike action is not personal to our school but is part of the national industrial action organized by NEU. The NEU has confirmed that following a ballot they will now be calling upon their members to take part in strike action on the following dates:

Wednesday 1 February 2023

Tuesday 28 February 2023

Wednesday 15 March 2023

Thursday 16 March 2023

There is no requirement for NEU to inform us of which members of staff will take action, as there is no obligation on members of the union to obey a strike call. However, in the interests of our children's safety and welfare I have already requested that staff colleagues advise me whether they intend to attend work on the planned strike days. For Wednesday 1st of February, we will remain open for all classes. I want to reassure parents that once I know more for the following dates, I will be in touch with information on our plans for each of these days separately. As always, the situation will be properly risk assessed to ensure that the safety of children in school is our number one priority.

With very best wishes,

Orla Gibbons

Mrs Orla Gibbons

Headteacher

