



Gladesmore Community School

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4th March 2025

Dear Colleagues,

Re: National Education Union (NEU) Strike Action Update

I am writing to provide an update regarding the upcoming strike action by the National Education Union (NEU).

Strike action has been confirmed for Wednesday, 5th March, and Thursday, 6th March. I will provide further updates regarding the proposed strikes on 11th, 12th and 13th March as soon as more information becomes available.

Due to the impact of the strike, the school will not be able to operate safely for all students. However, the following arrangements will be in place:

Students with Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND):

The school will remain open for students with SEND who wish to attend. These students will be supervised while accessing online learning.

Year 11 Students:

Students in Year 11 will be welcome in school to undertake independent study under staff supervision in our ICT suites.

The school day for SEND and Year 11 students will follow this schedule:

- **Arrival:** 9:00 am (Crowland Road gate)
- **Lunch:** 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm
- **Departure:** 12:30 pm (Crowland Road gate)

Students entitled to Free School Meals:

We will also offer lunch to students eligible for free school meals. These students should arrive at the Crowland Road entrance by 12:30 pm, where a packed lunch will be provided for them to either eat at school or take home.





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Further Information for staff:

Please note that NEU members taking strike action will have their pay deducted for the days they are unavailable to work.

For staff who are attending work, normal hours apply. Please ensure you sign in at the office upon arrival. During the day, staff should focus on supervising students as needed, as well as preparing, planning, and marking.

If you have any questions or need clarification regarding the school's position during these dates, please don't hesitate to speak with me. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely,

G Ojokor

Mr. Goldwater Ojokor
Headteacher

