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Dear Parent/Carer

INDUSTRIAL ACTION

You may be aware from publicity in the media that the National Education Union (NEU) representing teachers have conducted a ballot to their members and have voted to take industrial action. Legally, strike days will not be officially announced until seven days prior to the strike date, however, **it is likely that industrial action will take place on Wednesday 1st February, Tuesday 28th February, Wednesday 15th March and Thursday 16th March.**

The disruption created by these strikes, and the need to have regard to the health and safety of pupils, have caused the school to decide whether or not to remain open to pupils.

In order for parents and carers to plan ahead, St Ann's Catholic Primary School will close to pupils. Provision will be provided to a small number of pupils by invitation only, which will be emailed out to those parents on or before 25th January 2023.

We very much regret the disruption and inconvenience but have made the decision to partially close after careful consideration and in the best interests of pupils.

Yours faithfully

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