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Friday 20th January 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

You may be aware from media coverage that the National Education Union (NEU) have declared strike action, which will take place on 4 dates over the next 2 months. The strike is happening because of a national dispute between the unions and the government over teachers' pay and working conditions and not because of any issues at our school.

I'm getting in touch to give you as much notice as possible that learning may be disrupted on these dates. We're currently considering several options including closing the school.

We recommend that you start to make alternative childcare arrangements for these dates:

Wednesday 1.2.23 Tuesday 28.2.23 Wednesday 15.3.23 Thursday 16.3.23

I'm sorry about the potential disruption to you and to your child's education. I understand that this situation may be frustrating and ask that all members of our school community continue to treat each other with respect. Moor Nook remains committed to providing a safe and secure environment for our pupils and delivering high-quality teaching.

I am seeking advice from the local authority and union representatives to keep up to date with the situation, alongside working closely with our Chair of Governors, and will inform you of the final arrangements as soon as possible via Parentapp and the school website.

If you have any queries, please contact me through the school office.

Kind regards,

Suzanne Clough Headteacher

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