



## SWINEMOOR PRIMARY SCHOOL

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

As I'm sure you will be aware, there is some planned industrial action that will affect schools in the coming weeks. The following days have been nominated as 'strike' days:

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> February  
Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> February  
Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March  
Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March

This action is not organised by the school but is part of national industrial action organised by a teaching union (NEU) regarding pay.

We wanted to give you advanced warning of the strike on **Wednesday 1 February** as we anticipate that it will cause disruption to our school and to schools across Beverley. We have a significant number of staff who are members of the NEU and thus this action could result in a full or partial closure.

We are hoping to be able to give you more information next week. I do apologise for the uncertainty that this has caused, but hope you will understand that this matter is beyond our control. As soon as we know how the school will be affected, I will let you know.

In the meantime, can I thank you for continuing to send your children to school looking so smart and ready to learn. Key Stage 2 children have their Audition Week for Swinemoor's Got Talent next week, which is creating much excitement! Masterchef will be held across the school in the next few weeks, and we are all looking forward to this. Our children are also busy writing stories for the next volume of Swinemoor Stories.

Thank you in anticipation of your understanding of these uncertain times.

Yours sincerely

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