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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 **Wednesday 15th March 2023 and Thursday 16th March 2023**. The strike is happening because of a national dispute between the unions and the government over teachers' pay, and not because of any issues at our school.

At present, I am unsure about the number of teachers that will be taking strike action at Roman Road School, and so we are unclear as to the disruption this may cause, and whether or not the school will remain:

1. Closed
2. Partially open
3. Fully open

Although early indicators show it will most likely be option one or two, I will make a final decision and let you know the school's plans by **Monday 13th March 2023**, at the latest. We will base our decision on the number of teachers attending school, and the pupil to teacher ratios.

We are 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. Roman Road remains committed to providing a safe and secure environment for our pupils and delivering high-quality teaching.

Thank you for your understanding.

Yours sincerely,

Mr A Mahmood
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