

26<sup>th</sup> February 2023

Dear parents/carers,

You may be aware from media coverage that N.E.U have declared strike action, which will take place on 1<sup>st</sup> February 2023. The strike is happening because of a national dispute between the unions and the government and not because of any issues at our school.

I'm getting in touch to give you as much notice as possible about our arrangements for 1<sup>st</sup> February 2023.

The school will remain open as usual for:

- **All of Year 6**
- **Students who are classed as "vulnerable" as per the Government's guidance – these families will receive an individual text confirming the school will be open for their child.**

**If your child is in receipt of a Free School Meal we will send you an electronic voucher to your given email address in advance of the 1st February. Please check that your current email address is correct.**

I understand that this situation may be frustrating, and ask that all members of our school community continue to treat each other with respect. St Cuthbert's Trust remains committed to providing a safe and secure environment for our pupils and delivering high-quality teaching.

Kind regards,



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