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Dear Parents and Carers,

Friday 23rd June 2023

Re: Industrial Action Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July 2023

As I am sure you aware, further industrial action is proposed by the NEU on <u>Wednesday 5th July and</u> <u>Friday 7th July 2023.</u>

The DfE have asked me to provide the best possible options for learning and I can now update you about our provision for students on this day.

As a result of the very large number of Deyes High teaching staff participating in industrial action and having conducted a risk assessment based on this information, it is clear that we can only provide <u>partial education</u> in school for Y10 on those days.

Unfortunately, it will not be possible to provide education in school for students in years 7,8 and 9 on Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July 2023.

This decision has been reached alongside Lydiate Learning Trust and our colleagues in local schools as many of us find ourselves in a similar position. We recognise that this may cause you inconvenience, but this matter is completely beyond the school's control. This is a national issue regarding teachers' pay and is not directed at Deyes High School. Ultimately, we must, as always, prioritise the health, safety and well-being of all our students.

There is no requirement for striking teachers to set work. However, we will be preparing learning plans for <u>years 7, 8 & 9</u> to enable them to <u>learn at home</u> on the days of the strikes. Please be reassured that all students will be given appropriate and relevant work to complete at home in English, Maths, Science, Personal Development and further tasks to support the next steps in their learning journey.

Y12 will be on work experience during this week so their learning has been catered for off-site.

Your child's <u>attendance record will not be affected</u> by industrial action on <u>Wednesday 5th July and</u> <u>Friday 7th July 2023.</u>





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Please note that Thursday 6th July is a normal school day.

We will communicate final details, along with the individual year group learning plans, to you prior to <u>Wednesday 5th July 2023.</u> Y10 parents will receive a separate letter containing details of the planned sessions for the year group including timings.

May I take this opportunity to thank you in anticipation of your understanding and support. As always, the positive way in which we are able to work together will ensure stability and security for our students and this will continue to be our priority. Please also be reassured that all Deyes High School staff remain dedicated to providing every student with the dynamic and inspirational learning opportunities they deserve to achieve their full potential.

With kind regards

Mrs V L Beaney

