















Friday 21st April 2023

ATWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dear parents and carers,

Strike action by members of the NEU on Thursday 27th April and Tuesday 2nd May 2023

We are writing to inform you about strike action that is being taken by members of the National Education Union and to advise you about arrangements at **Atwood Primary School**. Teachers and senior leaders who are members of the NEU may be on strike and all classes at Atwood Primary **School may be closed.** NEU members taking action are under no obligation to give prior notice of their intentions. You will see below that classes are now listed under three categories - 'Open', 'Closed' and 'Undeclared'.

Where a class is 'undeclared,' parents should assume that the class will be not be open and should have other arrangements in place for their child's care.

On the days of strike action, we will text parents at 8:30am to tell you **if a class is open**. **If you do not** receive a text message, then your child's class is closed.

NURSERY	OPEN	3S	CLOSED
RED	CLOSED	3M	OPEN
YELLOW	CLOSED	4T	CLOSED
BLUE	CLOSED	4MT	UNDECLARED
VIOLET	CLOSED	5D	CLOSED
GREEN	OPEN	5G	CLOSED
ORANGE	OPEN 27.4, CLOSED 2.5	6S	OPEN
		6SB	CLOSED

If your child's class is closed, they will not be able to access Breakfast or After School Club. If you have paid for Breakfast Club through SAS Academy you will need to contact them to arrange a credit. If you have booked a place with the school for after school club, an extra day will be credited to your account. All activity clubs are cancelled on these days. Breakfast (assuming there are sufficient numbers) and After School Club will only be open for children whose classes are open. On the days of the strike, the school kitchen will still be open to provide packed lunch meals for children eligible for free school meals – please email the school office if you would like to take up this offer.

We apologise unreservedly for the inconvenience that this may cause many of you, and hope that you will appreciate that this a national dispute that cannot be resolved by staff on site. We know that teachers do not take strike action lightly and we all hope that this dispute can be properly



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Executive Principals: Mr M J Roberts & Ms L D Sampson

resolved as quickly as possible so that there are no further disruptions to the education of the children at

Yours sincerely,

our school.

Rob Veale

Rob Veale - Headteacher