

The Wembley Schools Federation

Lyon Park Primary School

Vincent Road, Wembley, Middlesex, HAO 4HH

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Executive Headteacher: Mr R Fenton

Headteacher: Ms T Bhambra Chair of Governors: Mrs I Yarde

Tuesday 24th October 2023

Dear Parents/carers,

Re: NEU Planned Strike Action Notification

As previously explained in our newsletters and Chit Chat Morning Meetings, through ongoing analysis of the current and forecasted school budget, it is clear that the school needs to review its current costs and staffing arrangements to ensure that that the core needs of the school are met and that these changes are financially sustainable.

The school has therefore been undertaking consultation on a restructure of the staffing structure. This has included consultation with all affected staff and Union Representatives.

The school has received notification from the National Education Union (NEU) that its' members will be taking part in industrial strike action on a number of days during the coming month in response to concerns about the potential impact of the restructure. Please find the dates below:

- Tuesday 7th November 2023
- Tuesday 14th November 2023
- Wednesday 15th November 2023
- Tuesday 21st November 2023
- Wednesday 22nd November 2023
- Thursday 23rd November 2023

This will most likely result in a partial or full school closure dependent on the numbers of staff available.

Please rest assured that the school has been and will continue to have ongoing dialogue with staff and unions in attempts to avoid the industrial action and to minimise the impact on children and families. However, I will write to you all again to confirm the school's position next week.

If you have any questions, please contact the school office, who will pass your query onto a member of the Senior Leadership Team.

Yours sincerely

Ms T K Bhambra Headteacher







