



Oaklands School

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28th June 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Planned strike action at Oaklands School on Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th July

I am now able to share arrangements for provision for the scheduled teachers' strike days on Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th July. The decision has been taken to again **partially close the school on both days**. This is required to ensure that I can meet the health and safety requirements of students and staff on site.

The information below explains that different students will attend the school on each of the strike days.

Strike Day – Wednesday 5th July

The school will be open only for year 9 and 10 students, and for identified children/families in need of additional support. We will also consider, where possible, providing provision at school for children whose parent/carers are critical workers. Please contact the school office if you are a critical worker and wish for your child to attend school on these days.

Strike Day – Friday 7th July

The school will be open only for year 7 and 8 students, and for identified children/families in need of additional support. We will also consider, where possible, providing provision at school for children whose parent/carers are critical workers. Please contact the school office if you are a critical worker and wish for your child to attend school on these days.

Please note that there will be no provision for students in year 11 and 12 for the two strike days.

I would like to remind you that we have a selection of Home Learning Resources in the Curriculum Tab (in the menu list on the left hand side of the page) of the school website that families can use to support their children when they do not attend school. Please note that there is no legal requirement to teach the curriculum on strike days.

I apologise for the disruption caused during the upcoming strike days. You may be aware that striking teachers are not compelled to share their plans with me, therefore decision making and planning is not an easy task. I hope you understand we have not taken any decisions

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lightly and have made decisions to secure the health and safety of the students and non-striking staff.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'N Oxley', with a stylized, cursive script.

Mr N Oxley

Headteacher