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'The school's work to promote pupils' personal development and welfare is outstanding'. (Ofsted)

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## NEU Strike Action - Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> of April and Tuesday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of May

Dear Parents/Carers

As I am sure you are aware, the strike taking place this week and next is again happening because of a national dispute between the unions and the government over teachers' pay, investment in education and the challenges of recruitment. Therefore, on Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> of April and Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> of May, Hawkey Hall High School will be closed to students in Year 7, 8, 9 and 10. However, we will be open to all Year 11 students completing examination courses this summer. It is important that Year 11 keep their routines as we approach the examinations. We will ensure that the all work supports preparation for subject examinations and the completion of any outstanding assessment.

Food and transport provision will be provided as normal for Year 11. Work will be set online for all other year groups on Satchel One except Y10 who are on work experience throughout the week, Year 10 pupils should still attend their work experience placement on the strike day.

For Y7-9 we will again focus on setting work in English, Maths and science and personal development. However, some staff that are not striking will set work for their own classes in different subjects. Please ensure that your child checks Satchel One for this work. Staff who are not striking will attend school that day. However, as you may be aware, colleagues in other unions are not allowed to cover for striking colleagues. As a result, we cannot safely open school to all students and provide an appropriate provision on site.

Yours Sincerely

Mr. M Klinck

Headteacher



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