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Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to inform you that due to strike action the school will be closed on both **Wednesday July 5th** and **Friday July 7th**.

We have not taken this decision lightly. We remain committed to providing a safe and secure environment for our pupils, and feel that we would be unable to provide this with the staff we have available.

I am sorry that you will have to make alternative arrangements for your child at short notice, and that they will experience disruption to their education. I understand that this situation may be frustrating, and ask that all members of our school community continue to treat each other with respect.

We are working closely with our staff union representatives to keep up to date with the situation, and I will inform you as soon as possible if arrangements change further.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards

John McKee
Headteacher