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Dear Parents and Carers

You will be aware from the media and my recent correspondence that we are expecting further disruption due to anticipated strike action next week. I am writing ahead of the weekend to help you with your planning.

The two remaining days where strikes are planned in the South West are:

- Wednesday 15 March 2023
- Thursday 16 March 2023

We will not be able to open in full to all students on either of these strike days. Therefore, the following plan will be put in place:

On **Wednesday 15 March Year 7, Year 8 and Year 9 should remain at home** and complete home learning. **Year 10 and Year 11 should attend the academy.**

On **Thursday 16 March Year 7, Year 8 and Year 10 should remain at home** and complete home learning. **Year 9 and Year 11 should attend the academy.**

A small group of students will be invited in from the year groups who are working from home. These students will be contacted directly. If you are a 'critical worker' and you require your child to attend the academy on days when the rest of the year group are at home, please contact us and let us know.

We will be doing our best to keep lessons as normal as possible for those students who are in attendance, but may alter the provision (such as extended assembly) if we need to.

More information on plans for the two days, including access to learning resources, will follow early next week.

Many thanks for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely

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