



Morton Academy

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RMCG/KRE

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Dear Parents/Carers

I hope this letter finds you well and that you had a restful Easter break. I wanted to write to you in regard to the planned industrial action which is due to take place on Thursday 27th April and Tuesday 2nd May.

As you will be aware the membership of the National Education Union (NEU) have voted to take industrial action on these days and potentially on future days. The industrial action is a result of a national dispute between the NEU and the government and is not specific to Morton Academy or United Learning. The overwhelming majority of schools will be affected at a local and national level.

The arrangements for these strike days will be similar to previous days.

- The academy will close to students in Years 7, 8, 9 and 10.
- Year 11 students will attend as normal.
- The academy will also open to students who fall into specific categories such as being in receipt of an EHCP. Families affected by this will be contacted early next week.
- The academy will set work for students not in school through our website, details will be shared next week.

Once again, I apologise for the disruption caused by this dispute and for the inconvenience this causes you. It is unlikely that the industrial action will be called off, but if this were to happen, I will write to you to confirm that the school will be open as usual for all students.

Yours sincerely

Richard McGuire
Principal