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Dear Parents/Carers,

I am aware that many of you will have seen the recent media coverage relating both to the industrial action and to the student demonstrations connected to it. It is against this backdrop that I can now confirm that the NEU London Regional Office has formally written to the school to withdraw the strike action previously planned for the remainder of this week.

The following strike dates have therefore been suspended:

- **Wednesday 13th May**
- **Thursday 14th May**
- **Friday 15th May**

The school has scheduled further discussions with NEU representatives for the afternoon of Friday 15th May. I will, of course, write to parents again following these talks to provide an update on any developments.

However, I can confirm unequivocally that, regardless of whether the planned future strike action is ultimately withdrawn or proceeds, the school will remain **fully open to all students in all year groups next week as normal.**

As always, I would like to thank parents and carers for the patience, support and understanding you have shown throughout what has been a prolonged and challenging period for the school community. It is greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,



Mr. Silk
Headteacher