



Garfield Primary

Today's children, tomorrow's future.

20th January 2023

Dear Parent / Carer,

Proposed NEU (National Education Union) Strike Action – 1st February 2023

I am writing to advise you that we have been notified by the NEU of proposed strike action on 1 February 2023 in relation to a national dispute over pay. This is the main union for teachers across the UK.

I am currently doing a risk assessment to see if I will be able to open the school to children on that day, with safety being one key factor. I am still gathering information in order to make a decision.

I, therefore, feel it is appropriate to notify you that you should plan for alternative arrangements for childcare, should this be required, in the event that the school has to close to children on that day.

I will write to you again next week with more information.

Yours sincerely

Karen Khwaja
Headteacher