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Wednesday 19th April 2023

Dear Parent(s),

## Teacher Strike Action

By now you will be aware of the upcoming full day strike of industrial action planned by a number of Trade Unions, for Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2023. As our teaching staff are members of The Irish National Teachers' Organisation (INTO), it is highly likely that they will be unavailable for work on this day. After conducting a risk assessment and consulting with the Chair of Governors, school will not be open to pupils on this day. Children will be marked on the register with the appropriate code, which will not be counted as an unauthorised absence.

Due to the strike action, P1 Appraisals with the school nurse, have been rescheduled until Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June. Parents are asked to come at their original appointment time on this day.

NB: Wednesday's afterschool clubs for term 3 will run for 6 weeks at a cost of £12.

## P6 Numeracy and Literacy Transfer Booster Classes

Numeracy and Literacy Transfer Booster Classes will begin next week, from  $\underline{3\text{-}4pm}$ . Each week during this time, the pupils will work on specific areas of Numeracy & Literacy identified from homework test papers. Any remaining time will be spent doing revision topics addressing areas of difficulty. The children will have a test paper every Monday & Wednesday night for homework. Parents are encouraged to help their child with the paper at this stage.

Please do not hesitate to contact school if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

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Mrs Martina Martin

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