



**Talbot  
Primary  
School**

**Talbot Primary School  
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23<sup>rd</sup> February 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

**Notification of Industrial Action Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2023**

As you will be aware from the recent media coverage, National Education Union (NEU) members have voted to take industrial action in our area on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2023.

The action is not against the school itself but is part of nationwide industrial action organised by the union, to ask the Government to ensure schools are funded sufficiently well to provide a good standard of education for children, and for staff to be paid a fair wage.

There is no requirement for unions or individual teachers to inform us of which members of staff will take action, as there is no obligation on members of unions to obey a strike call. However, I am aware that some staff will be striking.

In preparation for this, we have taken the decision to cancel all hot school meals on this day and any children that would normally have a hot school meal will be provided with a packed lunch.

We will send out further information nearer to this date once we have a better idea of any class/year group closures.

Thank you in advance for your understanding and continued support.

Yours sincerely

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