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Dear Parents/Carers

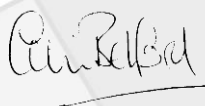
You will be aware that, following properly conducted national ballots, the National Union of Teachers (NUT) have voted in favour of strike action, which will take place on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July.

Reluctantly, as a result of this planned action, I have taken the decision to close Archway School to all students in Years 8, 9 and 10 on Tuesday. The school will remain open for Year 7 and Year 12 students throughout the day, and there will be study facilities or supervision provided for them where their teachers are missing.

Year 10 Drama students should attend from 1.30pm in preparation for their practical exam later in the afternoon.

I have made this decision as soon as I have been notified by staff. It is unlikely that the national situation will change before that date, but were that to be the case, then I would contact you again.

Yours faithfully



Colin Belford  
Headteacher

