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Dear Parent/carers,

SUMMER TERM NEWSLETTER ONE, 2023

Re. Industrial Action (Thursday 27th April & Tuesday 2nd May 2023) and other important dates
Further to the letter that I circulated (21/04/2023). Unfortunately, the national dispute between teaching unions and the Government remains unresolved.

Thursday 27th April 2023

School will be closed to ALL pupils except for children in Year 6.

Tuesday 2nd May 2023

School will be closed to ALL pupils except for children in Year 6.

As per Guidance from the Department for Education we have prioritised (where possible) school attendance to year groups who will be subject to public assessments/tests this year. At primary school level, this relates to Year 6 end-of-Key Stage 2 Standard Attainment Tests (SATs).

May Bank Holidays: Monday 1st May (May Day) & Monday 8th May (Coronation Bank Holiday)

National Assessments 2023 will take place after Easter for children in Year 6 (external tests), Year 4, Year 2, and Year 1:

Year 6 SATs start on Tuesday 9th May to be completed by Friday 12th May.

Year 4 Multiplication check, week commencing Monday 5th June (three weeks).

Year 2 SATs start from Wednesday 3rd May to be completed by Friday 26th May.

Year 1 Phonics screening, week commencing Monday 5th June (one week).

End of the half term (summer term one)- Friday 26th May 2023

This will be the last day of summer term one. **School will close at 3.15pm** for (Key Stage 1 pupils) and **3.20pm** (for Key Stage 2 pupils).

Beginning of the next half term (summer term two)- Monday 5th June 2023

School will open for the second summer half term on this day.

We appreciate this half term is looking particularly fragmented and therefore disjointed. Please bear with us, and I ask for your consideration and support. Please be minded that most of the above sits outside of our school's immediate control.

Yours sincerely,

M Roberts

Mark Roberts
Head teacher



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