



# THE ECCLESBOURNE SCHOOL

'Learning Together For The Future'

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Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> June 2016

Dear Parents, Carers, Community and Friends of the School

## Industrial Action by NUT – Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2016

You will be aware through the national media of the decision of the NUT to call a one day strike on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2016.

We have worked closely with our union representative to estimate the numbers of staff who will be involved.

We are aware that partial or whole school closures inconvenience parents and carers and so we are writing to give you advance notice of the likely impact of the action on this school. We will continue to monitor the situation and should a significant alteration in the intentions of union members occur then we will inform you in good time of any change of plan.

Our intention is that that **the School will remain open to Years 7, 8, 9 and 12** on the day in question and that we will provide normal services, wherever possible. However, it is not our intention to ask teachers to cover for union members who are taking part in the strike action. **Year 6 induction day will go ahead as planned.**

Year 12 students will be registered in the Sixth Form centre on arrival and when they leave at the end of the day rather than attend form registration. Years 7, 8 and Year 9 will be registered and attend lessons in the usual way.

Yours sincerely

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Head Teacher

*N.B. As part of our efforts to become a "less paper office", this letter (and all future letters) will be posted on The Ecclesbourne School website, which can be found at [www.ecclesbourne.org.uk](http://www.ecclesbourne.org.uk).*

