Our Ref: NCA/JAS

27 February 2023



Dear Parent/Carer

# Re: National Education Union Teachers' Strike on Wednesday, 1 March 2023

We wish to inform you that a proportion of our teaching staff belong to the National Education Union, therefore we will not be able to operate the academy as we would normally do.

# The plan that we have put in place for Wednesday, 1 March 2023 is as follows:

- Years 9, 10 11, 12 and 13 will be required to attend the academy as normal for an 8.30 am start.
- Years 7 and 8 will remain at home working remotely as they did during COVID.

## Arrangements for Years 11 and 13

Year 11 and 13 students will continue to follow their Pre-Public Examination (PPE) timetable and when they do not have a PPE, they will follow their normal subject timetable.

### Arrangements for Years 9, 10 and 12

Year 9, 10 and 12 students will follow their normal timetable.

For Year 12 students, enrichment will not take place lesson 5 so Year 12 students can depart the academy at 1.30 pm. Should they wish to remain on site for lunch, they will depart at 2.00 pm. A reduced menu will be available at lunch time for students to purchase food, however, please be advised that Breakfast Club will operate on this day from 8.00 - 8.20 am.

### Arrangements for Years 7 and 8

Years 7 and 8 will be expected to access the student portal to complete work for the subjects they study on that day. This can be accessed via the link below: <a href="https://wmat.sharepoint.com/sites/WednesfieldStudentSite">https://wmat.sharepoint.com/sites/WednesfieldStudentSite</a>

Students will also be able to access online resources; Sparx and GCSEPod.

All students will be required to know their Office 365 log-on. Should they not, they will need to inform their Form Tutor as soon as possible for this to be raised with IT support.

Should you have any further queries regarding these arrangements please contact the academy via the group email address: <a href="mailto:enguiries@wednesfield.uwmat.co.uk">enguiries@wednesfield.uwmat.co.uk</a>.

Yours faithfully

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