

Parents/Carers of Pupils attending
Dundee City Council Schools

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Dear Parent/Carer

NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL ACTION – THURSDAY 2 FEBRUARY 2023

I am writing to inform you that the Educational Institute of Scotland (EIS) and the Association of Head Teachers and Deputies in Scotland (AHDS) will be holding strike action on Thursday 2 February 2023.

All schools will be affected by the industrial action due to the staff membership of the EIS and AHDS. The decision has therefore been taken to close all primary, secondary, and special schools to pupils on Thursday 2 February.

However, **all** Dundee City Council nurseries will be open to children as normal. Please note that this includes nurseries attached to primary schools as well as standalone settings.

Industrial action is being taken by members of the EIS and AHDS over national pay negotiations.

In summary, on Thursday 2 February 2023:

- All primary schools **will be closed** to all pupils.
- All secondary schools **will be closed** to all pupils.
- Kingspark School **will be closed** to all pupils.
- Rockwell Learning Centre **will be closed** to all pupils.
- All Dundee City Council nurseries **will be open** to children as normal. Please note that this includes nurseries attached to primary schools as well as standalone settings.

All nurseries and schools will be open as normal to all pupils on Friday 3 February.

Arrangements are being made for free school meal payments to be made directly to qualifying households.

Any change to the above will be posted on Dundee City Council social media channels, and shared via nurseries and schools as soon as possible.

Your sincerely



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