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Dear Parents / Carers,

Following unsuccessful attempts to resolve their dispute with the Government, members of the NEU teaching union are intending to take further industrial action. They have planned two more days of strike action on Thursday 27th April and Tuesday 2nd May.

At this moment in time, based on the information I have, Athersley South will be open on both dates above for all pupils in F2 (Reception), KS1 and KS2. However, we will be **unable to open F1 (Nursery)** on these dates. This is due to teaching staffing ratios required in order to meet health and safety requirements.

At this time, we are not aware of any further strike action planned but will of course keep you updated.

I apologise again for any inconvenience the closure of F1 (Nursery) will cause but I hope you can appreciate the safety of pupils is paramount.

Yours sincerely

Mrs E. Sanderson