

30th January 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing further to my communication on Monday 23^{rd} January with further information about accessing remote learning on Wednesday 1^{st} February, the day of the NEU national strike. We have received no new information that would change the arrangements set out last week.

Year 13 students are on Study Leave. Year 13 exams scheduled for 1st February will go ahead and therefore Year 13 remain unaffected by strike action.

Students in Yr7-12 will be accessing remote learning from home, with the exception of some vulnerable students who will be in school accessing remote learning.

Students in Yr7-12 should be present on Teams from 8:40 for registration (which will be delivered via Teams) and should then follow their usual Wednesday Week A timetable. Students should be dressed as though they were going to leave the house; students not in school do not need to be in school uniform. Students should have their normal school equipment within easy reach.

Before each lesson students should:

- 1. Look in their subject Teams posts under 'General' for scheduled live lessons. Students should join these live lessons at the beginning of the usual lesson time. We expect students to attend all of their live lessons so that they do not fall behind in their learning.
- 2. If by the time of the scheduled start of a lesson there is no lesson scheduled, students can presume that their teacher is not present and instead of attending a live lesson, they should go to Teams posts of their Year Group Team to complete set work for the subject from this document https://www.ringwood.hants.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/Student-work-when-a-teacher-is-absent-strike-days.pdf

All students have been reminded how to access Teams from home. In the link below is our Remote Ready Checklist for support.

https://www.ringwood.hants.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/Remote-Ready-Checklist-Strike-Days.pdf

Students have been reminded of our Online Learning Etiquette and Expectations for behaviour in live lessons which are available on the remote learning page of the school website https://www.ringwood.hants.sch.uk/academic-curriculum/student-remote-learning/

Thank you in advance for your support in getting students organised for their day working from home. We ask for your patience and understanding on this unusual day and ask that students do their best in their lessons and completing their work.

Yours sincerely,

Leanne Symonds Headteacher