13 January 2017

Dear Parents

**Industrial Action on Wednesday 18 January until 12.30pm**

We have been advised that one of the teachers’ trade unions, INTO, has instructed its members not to report for work on **Wednesday 18 January until 12.30pm**. We have therefore to make contingency arrangements to manage with the reduced number of staff in school on that day and have decided that pupils in Years 8, 9 and 10 will not be required to attend school until **12.30pm**. School will be open, as normal, for Years 11, 12, Lower 6 and Upper 6. School buses will not be affected.

I would ask you to ensure that your children in Years 11 to Upper 6 attend school as normal on Wednesday 18 January and, where possible, I would encourage you to bring your children in Years 8 to 10 to school for 12.30pm.

Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience which the above might cause. You will understand that these matters are outside the control of the school.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Thérèse Hamilton
Principal