

Friday 26th January

Dear Parents,

A reminder that next Wednesday school is closed for an Ark network teacher training day. Further information and updates about the weeks ahead can be found below:

1. Mock Exams

Year 11 and Year 13 pupils will start their mock exams next Thursday. You can view the timetable for those mock exams [here](#).

2. Industrial Action

You will have seen that the National Education Union has announced planned strike dates in February and March. The first day of planned strike action is Wednesday 1st February.

This is the date our planned training day and therefore the school will be closed to pupils regardless. I will be in touch to share plans for future strike days nearer to the time.

3. Key Dates

A reminder below about upcoming key dates.

Event	Date
School Closed (network training day)	Wednesday 1 st February
Mock Examinations for Year 11 and Year 13 begin	Thursday 2 nd February
School closing at 12.00 (marking and moderation)	Friday 17 th February
Half-term Holiday	Monday 20 th – Friday 24 th February

4. Useful Links

- [Term Dates](#)
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