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Dear Parent/Carer

Teacher Union Strike Action – Thursday 8 December 2022

We have now received notification from the Scottish Secondary Teachers' Association (SSTA) and the National Association of Schoolmasters Union of Women Teachers (NASUWT) that they intend to take strike action on Thursday 8 December 2022.

The potential numbers involved in this planned action is less than those striking last week however there will be a significant impact on secondary schools and a small number of primary schools.

All Moray Secondary schools will be closed to S1-3 pupils with variable arrangements in place for young people in the Senior Phase (S4-6) depending on staff availability. Head Teachers will inform you directly of their individual arrangements in the next day or two. All Moray Primary Schools will remain open to all pupils unless you are notified by the Head Teacher of any individual arrangements. Early Learning and Childcare Centres will operate as normal.

Once again, I fully appreciate that this is inconvenient for families and I have faith that this advance notice allows you to make the necessary arrangements. If this situation changes, I will update you.

Yours sincerely

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