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Dear Parent/Carer

### **Industrial Action – 21 October to 1 November inclusive**

I am writing to update you on the impact of industrial action in our school. There are national strike days planned 21 October to 1 November, inclusive. This involves support staff in all schools in Perth and Kinross.

As you will be aware we were closed today on the first day of industrial action. This was due to the numbers of union members potentially involved in strike action and the need for an assessment to be undertaken as to whether we could open the school safely. It was not possible to complete this during the October holidays.

These assessments have now been completed and the information available to me at present indicates that our school and early childhood centre **will remain closed to school and nursery pupils.**

Remote learning will be offered to all our pupils, including a live lesson every day. **Learning packs are required to be collected from the school office and will be available from 9am.** These packs will contain activities which can be undertaken at home alongside login details for some digital platforms. The packs will also include a glow login which will allow your child to access our live learning offer on teams. Further information regarding access to glow and teams will be individually emailed out soon.

There will be no meal service available on these days. Free school meal payments will be made directly to those eligible and who are in receipt of qualifying benefits, for any school closures to pupils. The Breakfast Club based in our school will also be closed on these days.

As the industrial action is expected to last two weeks, it may be the circumstances of our school could change day to day.

We will keep you informed by our usual means of communication, parentpay, school app and our school facebook page. Please also follow the Council's social media accounts on Facebook and X (Twitter) @PerthandKinross for further updates.

Yours sincerely

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