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Dear Parents & Carers,

Planned Rail Strike: Tuesday, 21 June to Saturday, 25 June 2022

Rail union [RMT has announced 3 days of national strike action](#) across the railway network, planned from Tuesday, 21 to Saturday, 25 June 2022.

Those students who travel by train may be understandably concerned about the impact of the industrial action planned for next week – particularly if they are due to take exams.

We will make every effort to ensure that examinations for all pupils go ahead as usual, drawing on our existing contingency arrangements to manage any disruption, including late arrival of students.

Whilst the vast majority of our students either walk, cycle, get the bus or are driven to school, we recommend that students who get a train look to find alternative routes to school next week. Should you have serious concerns that you are unable to get your child to school next week, please contact us as soon as possible so we can see if there's any support we can offer.

I would like to remind all parents and carers that whilst the rail strike will cause disruption to people's journeys, full attendance at school is still required for all students whilst strike action is underway.

Kind regards

N Smith
Head of School