

Tuesday 4th July 2023



Dear Parents and Carers,

You may be aware from media coverage that the National Education Union has declared strike action in Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July 2023.

The strike is happening because of a national dispute between the unions and the government over teachers' pay, and not because of any issues at our academy.

I am sorry to inform you that Oasis Academy Fir Vale will be partially closed on both these days. Please do not send your child into school on these days.

We have not taken this decision lightly. We remain committed to providing a safe and secure environment for our pupils, and do not consider this to be possible with the staff we have available.

Nursery and children identified from the DfE guidance will be contacted separately to attend on both days.

There will be no breakfast club, after school clubs or extracurricular activities on this day.

Children who are eligible for Free School Meals are entitled to a packed lunch. Please come to the office should you require a pack up for your child.

Please direct your child(ren) to the remote learning pages on our website here https://www.oasisacademyfirvale.org/learning/home_learning

I am sorry that you will have to make alternative arrangements for your child at short notice and that they will experience disruption to their education. I understand that this situation may be frustrating and ask that all members of our school community continue to treat each other with respect.

We are working closely with our staff union representatives to keep up to date with the situation, and I will inform you as soon as possible if arrangements change further.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs Latif-Meah on 0114 201 2300 or email info@oasisfirvale.org

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'H Round'.

Mrs H Round
Principal



Oasis Academy Fir Vale

Oasis Academy Fir Vale, Owler Lane, Sheffield, S4 8GA
Email: info@oasisfirvale.org Tel: 0114 201 2300

www.oasisacademyfirvale.org



Oasis Academy Fir Vale is sponsored by Oasis Community Learning www.oasiscommunitylearning.org – part of Oasis UK.
Oasis Community Learning is a Company Limited by Guarantee registered in England & Wales (No.5398529) and an Exempt Charity Registered Office: 75 Westminster Bridge Road, London SE1 7HS