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Science



APPLIED
LEARNING



Living the Olympic
and Paralympic Values



International
School Award
2010-2013



Healthy School



supporting individual excellence



Dear Parents/Carers,

Strike action Wednesday 30th November 2011

As you may be aware both teaching and school support staff trade unions have balloted to take strike action on 30th November 2011. This is a strike throughout England and Wales as part of their dispute with the government around proposals for pension reform.

The Headteacher and I have carefully assessed the likely impact of this strike action on Heathcote.school. Unfortunately, following this careful assessment and based upon the number of staff likely to be absent from work we have determined that we have no option but to close the school to students on this day. Parents/carers will therefore have to make alternative childcare provision for the 30th November.

Whilst this significant inconvenience is outside the control of the governing body I would nonetheless like to apologise for this.

Yours sincerely,

Ian Moyes
Chair of Governors

