

KingsGate School

TO KNOW, TO LOVE, TO SERVE

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To all Parents and Caregivers,

We have been informed that teachers who are part of the NZEI will be taking industrial action in the form of a strike on Monday 12th November 2018, unless an agreement is reached prior.

Confirmation that the strike will go ahead should be sent to the school next week and we will send out a confirmation notice to parents once provided to us. This action is not against the school itself but is part of national industrial action.

As a result, KingsGate School will be closed on this day as we will not have sufficient teaching staff to supervise the whole school. Please use this advance notice to arrange alternative care for your child/ren for Monday 12th November in preparation for the potential strike action.

Most State and State-Integrated schools across New Zealand will be affected in the same way.

We apologise for any and all inconvenience this causes to your family.

We can all pray that the issues under negotiation are resolved quickly and satisfactorily.

On behalf of the KingsGate School Board of Trustees

Chris Hills

BOT Chairman

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