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Dear Parent/Carer,

I am sure you will be aware of the strong possibility that next week there will be further industrial strike action affecting the Northern Rail train service on **Tuesday 13, Wednesday 14, Thursday 15 and Friday 16 December**. This will again mean that families who rely on the train to get to and from school will face likely disruption. There will be a limited service for Ilkley-Leeds, and potentially no service on the Bradford-Ilkley line. There are currently no plans for Northern Rail to provide replacement services during this time.

As every day in school matters, we would encourage you to plan ahead in order to support your child in getting to school on these dates. To support students and families, Guisseley School will not issue consequences for late arrival for children who rely on trains for their school transport, and we understand some students may arrive slightly later than normal.

Further details regarding the strike action can be found here:

<https://www.northernrailway.co.uk/travel/strikes>

Yours sincerely

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