



# Urmston Grammar School

---

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> September

## RE: Planned Industrial Action Across Bus Services

Dear Parents & Carers,

As you may already be aware from the local media, there is planned strike action across much of the bus network in Greater Manchester from Friday 19<sup>th</sup> to Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> September. This of course coincides with two school days.

Comprehensive information is available from the Bee Network [HERE](#), but provisionally it looks likely that the following busses which many Urmston Grammar students use will not be in operation on these days:

- 15 - Flixton - Davyhulme - Urmston – Manchester
- 245 - Trafford Centre - Stretford – Altrincham
- 247 - Trafford Centre - Flixton – Altrincham
- 253 - Partington - Flixton - Urmston – Manchester
- 255 - Manchester - Stretford - Urmston – Partington
- 798 - Stretford - Flixton Girls School/Wellacre Academy
- 799 - Boothstown - Urmston Grammar/Flixton Girls School/Wellacre Academy

I am hopeful that with advanced notice students will be able to make alternative arrangement for their school journey on these days. I would request that wherever possible reasonable steps are taken to ensure students still attend school as usual. Some students may be able to utilise the regular train service from Manchester Oxford Road to Urmston Station and informal car-share arrangements may also be possible.

It is feasible that the industrial action could be called off in advance of Friday, however at this time it would be sensible to assume alternative arrangements will be needed.

Kind regards,

Mr T Kennedy-Fowler  
Headteacher