WHANGANUI HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Caregivers

Re: Student Strike Action for Climate change

There has been some discussion in local and national media in recent days about proposed student protest action throughout New Zealand on Friday, 15 March regarding climate change issues.

As you have conversations with your son or daughter regarding their attendance at school on Friday I would like you to be aware of the following information as part of your decision-making process -

- 1. All timetabled classes will be running as normal on Friday.
- 2. Students who have parental permission to attend protest activities will be recorded as 'Explained Absence' (E) on our student attendance system.
- 3. Students who do <u>not</u> have parental permission to attend protest activities will be recorded as 'Truant' (T) from classes on our student attendance system.

Kind regards

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