



# **Manchester Industrial Relations Society**

## **Student Debate**



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Strike in important public services is  
**JUSTIFIABLE**





Strike is a

**FUNDAMENTAL RIGHT,**  
and a legal tool for collective bargaining



It is an

**IMPORTANT MEANS**

for workers to promote their social and economic interests



Ask yourselves:  
When public services take care of us,  
who really takes care of them when they are  
**PUSHED TO THE BRINK?**



Their interests are also in the favour of  
**SOCIETY'S INTERESTS**

These are the results of bad policies that you have to fight about,  
**THAT WE ALL HAVE TO FIGHT ABOUT!**



Being a public servant will be a  
**LIFETIME CURSE,**

and your best people won't join the efforts  
to provide best public service for common goods







A threat to strike is  
**MORE DANGEROUS,**  
it influences work motivation and caused so much troubles

When strikes do take place, they are the last resort

The long-term benefits of striking to achieve better working conditions

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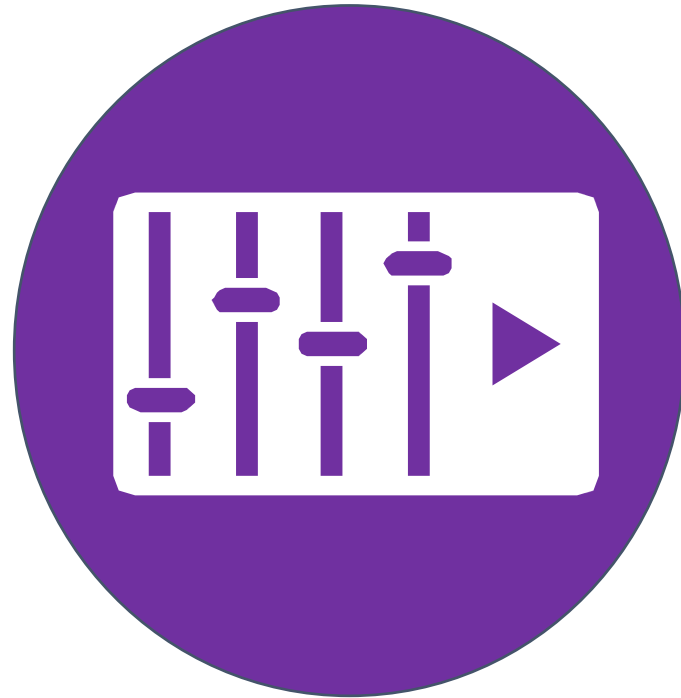
any short-term disruptions.

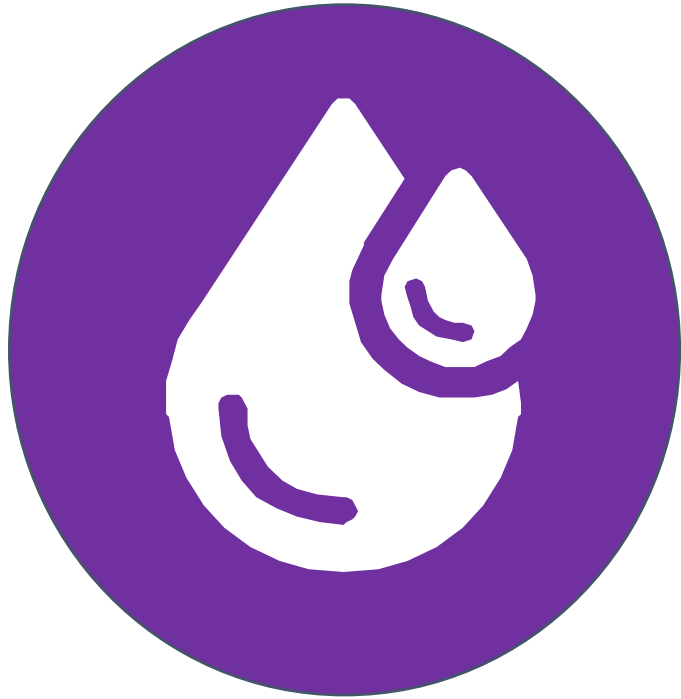


The disruptions caused by strikes are only indicative of the disruptions caused by

**SYSTEMIC**

underfunding and cutting





They pour

# CROCODILE TEARS

for the public when a strike takes place

“Collective bargaining without the right to strike is  
**COLLECTIVE BEGGING**”



**Thank You!**