

15 July 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to communicate about how we will be keeping our students safe, given the extreme temperatures that are forecast for Monday 18 and Tuesday 19 July. Please note the following steps taken:

Uniform

- Students are advised to wear school PE kit, instead of school uniform, on both days.
 Short white socks are fine.
- If students choose to remain in uniform, students do not need to wear blazers and ties and top buttons can be undone (short sleeved shirts are recommended).

Water

- Students are encouraged to bring their own water bottle.
- The canteen water stations will be available throughout the day, to allow students to top up their bottles.
- Bottled water can be purchased from the canteen as usual.

Protection from the sun

- Students are encouraged to bring in their own sun protection cream.
- Students are encouraged to bring in an appropriate sun cap or hat, to wear at break and lunch, if going outside.
- Students can remain in the canteen during break and lunch, if they wish to avoid being outside in the sun.

Lessons

- Whilst temperatures in all classrooms should remain sensible, all lessons are being timetabled in classrooms with air conditioning.
- PE lessons will take place in the school building, with lessons not involving physical activity.

It is predicted that temperatures will drop on Wednesday 20 July, with all regular uniform expectations resuming.

Lastly, please can parents and carers note that **school will finish at 2.40pm on Friday 22 July** (last day of the summer term). We hope you have a safe and pleasant weekend, and please let us know if we can support you any further.

Yours faithfully,

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