

Friday, 15 July 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

As you know doubt have already heard, next Monday and Tuesday are forecast to be very hot with temperatures in excess of 37°C.

While we will be taking measures in school to keep children as safe and comfortable as possible, we will understand that some of you may choose to keep your child off school. This may be because they have an underlying health condition which means they are more vulnerable to extreme heat, or because you arrive to school in transport which may be difficult to use in extreme heat. If this is the case, please do notify us of your child's absence in the usual way: by email or phone call.

Some of the measures we will be taking in school include:

- Transferring some classes to some of our cooler classrooms for the day and/or using the halls and other cooler areas
- Providing children with an indoor option during their play breaks
- Using water spray mists throughout the day
- Encouraging frequent drinking of water throughout the day

Please ensure your child arrives at school appropriately dressed. Children can wear PE kits if you prefer. Flip flops are never allowed, as they often result in foot injuries at school. A hat is a great idea to offer protection from the sun, as is sun block.

Yours Sincerely,



Ian Scotchbrook
Headteacher