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Dear Parents and Carers,

As you are aware, the Met Office has issued an extreme heat warning for large parts of the West Midlands, including Coventry, on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July and Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2022.

Therefore, as a school we are putting measures in place to mitigate any risk to your child and ensure vigilance in respect health and safety in these conditions.

For Monday and Tuesday, you are advised to send your child to school wearing shorts and a loose fitting, light-coloured t-shirt. Your child should also bring a wide brimmed sunhat.

You are advised to apply sunscreen to your child before school (at least factor 15 with UVA protection) and then to bring sunscreen to school for further applications during the day. The sunscreen container should be marked with your child's name and KS1 and KS2 children should be able to apply it themselves. With your permission, staff in Early Years will support children to apply any further sunscreen.

Your child will not take part in vigorous activity during these days – P.E. lessons will be cancelled or modified.

If children are outside for any time, they will be encouraged to stay in the shade. Indoor areas will be available during lunchtime.

Cold water will be available and children will be encouraged to drink more than usual.

We will monitor the situation throughout the day.

Thank you for your support and understanding.

Lorraine Knowles  
Head Teacher



*As individuals we are unique. Together we make a community.*

